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VALLEY HILL—J. L. Reddin, Mrs. J. L. Reddin, Mrs. D. H. Kilpatrick, A. Jones.
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PROCEEDINGS

MORNING SESSION, AUGUST 5, 1941

The 65th Annual Session of the Carolina Baptist Association met with Double Springs Church today at 10:00 A. M. Devotional exercises conducted by Brother L. B. Morrison. Roll Call of Churches omitted. Letters handed in. The women's work was then taken up, led by Mrs. O. J. Smith. Mrs. Smith gave a fine report of women's work.

Other interesting talks were made by representatives of the G. A. and R. A. organizations. A beautiful duet was rendered by two girls from the Tuxedo Church. Report adopted.

The next thing on the program was a talk by Brother Wilson Fields, a returned missionary from China. He spoke on "What The War Is Doing For China." As he spoke of the courage and heroism of the Chinese Christians and the missionaries, our hearts were stirred within us. These people have learned to know God and they are trusting Him. The war has given Christianity a place in China which it never had before. A great speech.

Introductory Sermon was preached by N. B. Phillips

Committees appointed by the Moderator:

RESOLUTIONS: Mrs. Claribel Clark, Mrs. Albert Drake, Mrs. Burgin Baldwin.

RTCEPTION OF NEW CHURCHES: N. B. Phillips, B. G. Henry, M. L. Lewis.

NOMINATIONS: E. E. Wall, A. J. Neilson, C. M. Heyman, Jr.

TIME, PLACE and PREACHER: Lawrence Erwin, Claude Drake, S. W. Bayne.

All reports of committees have been adopted and will be found in the minutes

Adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

After the lunch hour, the Lord's Acre work was taken up by Brother Dumont Clark, the originator of the movement. Brother Clark gave several illustrations of the work done by the Lord's Acre movement. Brother M. L. Lewis and Brother Chetwood also made interesting talks in regard to the movement. Brother A. I. Justice then made an interesting talk on the pioneer work of the western Baptist convention and the union of that body with the state convention at Hendersonville. He was heard with gladness.

Then followed reports of committees:

Home missions: Miss Frances Waters.

Foreign missions: Mrs. Albert Drake.

Retirement Plan: Brother N. A. Melton.

Address by Brother M. A. Huggins: Let every messenger carry back

to his church a message. Be a Missionary Baptist because the Bible is a Missionary Book.

Fine address and reports were adopted.

MORNING SESSION, AUGUST 6, 1941

Devotional exercises conducted by Rev. C. M. Heyman, Jr.

Report on Periodicals offered by Brother M. L. Walker. Address by Brother Saterfield, the Recorder Representative. Report adopted. The report on Orphanage was presented by Brother Claude Drake. Address by Brother I. G. Greer, of our Baptist Orphanage. Report adopted. Report of Christian Education was offered by Brother Lawrence Erwin. Address by Dr. Hoyt Blackwell of Mars Hill College. Report adopted. Hospitals report by Miss Nancy Barton. Fine address by Smith Hagaman, Supt. of our Hospital at Winston-Salem. Report adopted.

Adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

After a song and prayer by Brother Saterfield, the Report on Music was presented by Brother D. G. Wilkie. Report adopted. Report on Sunday Schools presented by Brother Roy Huggins. Address by Brother C. F. Jervis. Report adopted. The report on promotion was presented by Brother Wade W. Worley. This question was discussed by Brother Worley and adopted. Brother Noah Hollowell being absent, a substitute report on Temperance was presented by Brother W. H. Davis, discussed by Brother M. A. Adams and adopted. A collection was then taken to help Brother Adams, which amounted to five dollars and fifty cents.

Election of officers for next year: The following officers were elected:

Victor Rector, Moderator.
W. W. Worley, Vice Moderator.
W. H. Davis, Clerk.
M. L. Walker, Treasurer.
Noah Hollowell, Historian.
A. I. Justice, Librarian.

Report on obituaries was presented by Brother Lawrence Erwin and adopted. After a few minutes of silence, the Association adjourned with prayer by the Moderator.

The next meeting will be held with the Hendersonville First Church on Tuesday and Wednesday after the First Sunday in August, 1942.

VICTOR RECTOR, Moderator,
W. H. DAVIS, Clerk.

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION OFFICERS FOR CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

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Associate Director	Rev. Earl Pearson
Secretary-Treasurer	Rachel Kuykendall
Chorister	Junius Huggins
Pianist	Jannie Kuykendall
Adult Leader	Mrs. Claribel Clark
Young People's Leader	Mrs. Richard Harding
Intermediate Leader	Mrs. L. V. Lyda
Junior Leader	Miss Frances Waters
Story Hour Leader	Miss Reba Staggs

GROUP LEADERS

Number 1 ..... Mrs. Millie Pace Henderson
Number 2 ..... Howard Crook
Number 3 ..... O. J. Smith
Number 4 ..... Dean Ward
Number 5 ..... William Connor
Number 6 ..... Miss Annabelle Raines
Pastor Advisor ..... Rev. W. W. Worley
Librarian ..... Miss Nancy Barton

REPORT OF BAPTIST TRAINING UNION WORK

August 1940 thru August 5, 1941

MEETINGS HELD:
3 Associational.
6 Group
7 Executive
1 Social

SPECIAL MEETINGS HELD:

Regional Conference at Canton, N. C. Vada V. Lyda, our representative in the Sword Drill Contests won first place at the Regional Conference and won first place in the State Contests at Ridgecrest. She represented North Carolina in the Southwide Contests at Ridgecrest where she won SECOND Place.

TRAINING SCHOOL CONDUCTED:

1 Associational. 20 Churches participated in the annual training school at the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville, with an average attendance of 327. Eleven classes were conducted. 283 awards were requested in this school.

15 or more training schools have been conducted in the individual churches since the Central School.

22 Churches have participated in some school of training this year.

A total of 625 awards have been issued to the Carolina Association since last August.

Number of New B. Y. P. U.'s and B. A.'s and Story Hours Organized: 5
Number Churches having at least one union 29
Number Churches having Baptist Training Unions 22
Number of Unions in Association: Story Hours, 10; Junior, 17; Intermediate, 23; Young People, 29; B. A. U.'s, 15— Total Unions in Association, 93.
Money Received $2.50
Amount Paid Out: (Postal cards, $1.31; Reports, .10; telephone service, charge to Ridgecrest, .10; Stencil, .20; Stamps, .79) $2.50
BALANCE $0.00

ROY BENNISON, Director,
RACHEL KUYKENDALL, Secretary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Home Missions ..... by Miss Frances Waters
Foreign Missions ..... by Mrs. Albert Drake
Minister's Retirement Plan ..... by N. A. Melton
Periodicals ..... by M. L. Walker
Christian Education ..... by Lawrence Erwin
Church Music ..... by D. G. Wilkie
Baptist Training Union ..... by Roy Bennison
Hospitals ..... by Miss Nancy Barton

Orphanage ..... by Claude M. Drake
Sunday Schools ..... by Roy Huggins
Promotion ..... by W. W. Worley
Historian's Report ..... by Noah Hollowell
Temperance and Public Morals ..... by W. H. Davis
Report of Treasurer ..... by M. L. Walker
Resolutions ..... by Mrs. Claribel Clark
Time, Place, and Preacher ..... by Lawrence Erwin
Obituaries ..... by Lawrence Erwin

HOME MISSIONS

Making and keeping our home land Christian is the challenging task of the Home Mission Board. Over half of the population of the Southern Baptist Convention territory is not affiliated with any church. The Home Mission Board majors in the making and baptizing of the believers in all of our work. And, as the Gospel is the only power among men that can transform the unbelieving heart into a Christ-like faith and trust in Jesus Christ as Savious and Lord, we are endeavoring to give the Gospel to twenty-six language groups that are in our Southland as well as the American Indians, the deaf, and the neglected people of our cities.

Here is a summary of the workers and the work done in all of the departments in the past year:

Number of missionaries	391
Number of mission stations	951
New mission stations opened	71
New pieces of property acquired	14
Number of sermons preached	31,403
Number of persons touched in personal work	77,440
Number of people making profession of faith	5,375
Numbers of Bibles and Testaments distributed	4,443
Number of tracts distributed	724,505
Total receipts from all resources	$560,168.09

During the past year the Board has made real progress in the payments of its debts. During the year, $181,130.41 has been paid on the principal. The receipts of the Board have shown a marked increase over the receipts of the year before, and this increase in receipts has enabled the Board to make an increased payment on the principal of its debts. We hope to liquidate the debt in full by 1945, a goal to which we have been looking for the past twelve years.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANCES WATERS.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

"The one and only hope of suffering and toiling humanity is the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Vast multitudes still wait in pagan and heathen darkness for the light of the Gospel."

The Foreign Mission Board, during its 96 years of operation, has 446 missionaries working in 16 foreign countries. The critical war conditions have caused several important changes in the work. All our missionaries, except one, have been withdrawn from Japan, and many of our women missionaries in China have also returned to the Homeland. Some of these refugee missionaries have started a new work in the Hawaiian Islands. We now hove 12 missionaries there. After long consideration, the Board recently voted to open new work in Columbia, S. A.

Our total income from all sources for the year 1940 was $1,326,-

862.95, an increase over 1939 of $247,277.67. In 1940 we paid $33,500.00 on the debt of the Board. We now owe $205,000.00. We look forward to a debtless denomination by 1945.

The work in these 16 lands belongs to Southern Baptists. It is God's entrustment to every individual. It will grow or it will be limited in proportion to the generosity of Southern Baptists. May we in Carolina Association not limit the progress of God's work.

The Committee on Foreign Missions wishes to recommend the following:

That we practice the Bible teachings on Stewardship and tithing.

That the Lord's Acre project be adopted by more churches as a means of increasing our gifts to missions.

That more definite Mission Study be carried on in each church, especially reaching the Young people, endeavoring to arouse more interest in missions by studying mission books and missionary periodicals.

That we may abide more in prayer for our Missionaries and their work.

Frome every section comes the call for a renewed advance in response to the Great Commission. May we in Carolina Association renew our forces for the Cause of Foreign Missions.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. ALBERT DRAKE.

MINISTERS' RETIREMENT PLAN

We are in the midst of a great social and economic movement which has as its aim and purpose the welfare and well-being of the workers of our country. Social Security and retirement funds for the aged are much in the minds of the people. The employees of great corporations and of the State and Federal governments are being provided for in a splendid way. Because of the principle ever dear to Baptists of complete separation of Church and State, our Baptist Churches and Boards will bear their own burdens unaided by the agencies of the government.

Baptists of North Carolina cooperating with the Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention have adopted a plan whereby our ministers, missionaries and other workers, may retire in old age with some compensation. Pastors and Churches are asked to cooperate with the denomination in this most worthy enterprise.

The plan which is simple and workable is, very briefly, as follows: The pastor pays 4% of the salary which he receives from his Church or Churches, and a like amount is paid by his Church or his Churches; to this the denomination adds $18.00 annually for each participating pastor. In this way a fund is being accummulated from which the Relief and Annuity Board will pay the minister when he is retired something more that 25% of the salary which he has been receiving. The plan is now well established and is backed up by the denomination. The Baptist Relief and Annuity Board has total reserves of $5,149,663.24.

We recommend that all pastors and Churches join in with this major plan now being administered by the Relief and Annuity Board. For detailed information, write Secretary M. A. Huggins, Raleigh.

N. A. MELTON, For Committee.

REPORT ON PERIODICALS

The matter of good reading merits the attention of our people. Good literature should inspire us to know more about our Bible and develop our devotional life. We also need badly, as individuals and as a denomination, the inspiration and information that good literature gives us.

We commend to our people all the periodicals that Southern Baptist

publishes. We mention especially "The Commission," "Home Missions," our Sunday School literature and our own two state papers, "The Biblical Recorder" and "Charity and Children." We wish that "The Recorder" and "Charity and Children," especially went into every Baptist home in North Carolina. We recommend clubs for these two papers in our local churches, and suggest that you contact Rev. Wade Worley, our "Recorder" representative. We believe these papers would add greatly to the interest in our work, and also supply good reading material to our Baptist people. We would recommend to the directors of "The Recorder" and to our convention that some plan be worked out to get "The Recorder" to every pastor in North Carolina. "Charity and Children" already goes to each one. We believe this would result in greatly increased contributions to our work and also to a greatly increased "Recorder" circulation, and that the pastors would then be more interested in getting this to our members. Since only about ten per cent of our people get "The Recorder," we think that this plan would be worth trying.

Respectfully submitted,
M. L. WALKER, For Committee.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

What is Christian education? This question is being asked by many today.

"Christian education is that education which gives due attention and emphasis to the facts, principles, and applications of Christianity by Christian exponents, under Christian auspices, for distinctively Christian ends." Christian education is not "Christian" if it fails to recognize, teach, and stress the facts and principles of Christianity.

Christian education is very important in our churches and fields of work. We as Christian workers deal with the souls of men, which is the most important work that can be named. We need to be prepared so that we will be able to deal with them in an intelligent way. A Christian education will help anyone to be a greater servant for the Master. All true Christians believe the Bible, and we cannot get around Paul's great statement in 2 Tim. 2:15, "Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." We can see in this one verse of Scripture that the Bible endorses a Christian education.

Our Christian schools like Mars Hill, Wake Forest, Boiling Springs, and others have been a great help in preparing men and women with a Christian education.

We as Christians must support our Christian schools in every way. Not only for what they have done in the past, but also for what they are doing now for Christianity.

Respectfully submitted,
LAWRENCE A. ERWIN.

REPORT ON CHURCH MUSIC

One of the greatest problems confronting the leaders of the average church today is the music.

Much stress has been laid on other phases of the church program in the way of training, but not much has been said or done about the musical training.

As a part of the worship service, music is second in importance to the minister's sermon.

About one-third of the time of the average church service is composed of music. We usually start our services with music and close with

magnificent and delightful presents God has given us."

These facts being true, every church should strive to improve along this line of worship service in song. Music should be a part of the worship and not just something to fill in a program with or to entertain a congregation. Paul suggests three things relative to a music teaching and admonishing." Second—The types or forms of music to program, namely: First—The manner or method of procedure—"Speaking, be used—"Psalms, hymns and spiritual songs." Third—The condition of the heart for it's use—"Singing with Grace and melody in the heart, and with Christ dwelling richly within."

The churches should select books with the best standard hymns and Gospel songs. These should be hymns written by Divine inspiration and by authors with spiritual background.

Appropriate musical selections, both special and congregational to each service, will add greatly to that service in making it impressible.

Every church should have a consecrated, Christian choir leader and pianist, with necessary musical qualifications, and all members of the choir should be Christians.

The choir should lead the congregation and encourage them in congregational singing and in Christian living.

Better church music will make larger and better churches.

Respectfully submitted,
D. G. WILKIE.

HOSPITAL REPORT FOR CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

As Jesus gave His first disciples power to cure diseases, so does He give power today to heal the sick. "And he sent them to preach the Kingdom of God, and to heal the sick." Since Jesus gave this command, preaching and healing have been synonymous. Due to the enormous strides of modern medical science, it seems only obvious that hospital work should be the Church task in healing and preaching.

Since 1922 the Baptist of North Carolina have maintained their own hospital at Winston-Salem for the purpose of providing treatment for the sick of the entire State, but primarily for those who are not financially able to pay a hospital bill.

We note the following interesting facts about the Hospital in Winston-Salem:

In 1941 two new wings have been added, one for children with 50 beds, and another with 150 beds.

The hospital is now able to care for 10,000 patients a year, 1/3 of which will be charity patients.

The north wing is occupied by the Medical School of Wake Forest College, which provides a four-year course with accommodations for 200 students.

The hospital has a staff of 76 medical and surgical doctors, and 91 nurses besides a number of special graduate nurses.

The hospital also provides a school for nurses.

All religious denominations are admitted.

The hospital now has a full-time pastor who makes daily visits to patients, and teaches Bible to the nurses.

Religious services are held in the nurses home each morning.

There will be an average of 200 preachers admitted each year.

There will be about 3,000 mothers each year who will be blest to return to their homes of 9,000 children.

The hospital at Winston-Salem is representing the Baptist Denomina-

tion in our efforts to be "True to the cause of Christ and suffering humanity."

Respectfully submitted,
NANCY BARTON.

ORPHANAGE REPORT

Back in 1885 when J. H. Mills was thinking about establishing an orphanage there is no doubt but that he was also thinking of the passage of Scripture found in Proverbs 22:6, which says: "Train up a child in the way he should go; and when he is old he will not depart from it." With this in mind he opened what is now the Baptist Orphanage located in Thomasville, North Carolina and Kinston, North Carolina.

The orphanage is one part of the denominational work that every one is interested in. The orphan and the underprivileged child make their appeal to the Christian person wherever found.

It would indeed be difficult to find a man better prepared to take care of our children than I. G. Greer. He has the natural art and training to understand children and how best to meet and satisfy their needs. He sees to it that their hands are trained to do useful work and that their minds are taught to think of noble thoughts.

With such leaders as are found here in the orphanage these young people leave the home not only prepared to make a living but also to live a clean Christian life.

There is no wonder we are aroused through and through when one of the members of the Home comes to tell us of the wonderful work which is being done each year by our Home.

The average cost of keeping a child for one year is $300.00 and there are always from 50 to 100 applications each month. A "once a month" offering from the Sunday School and a liberal Thanksgiving offering have proven to be the best methods of financing the orphanage.

Respectfully submitted,
CLAUDE M. DRAKE.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

August 4, 1940 - August 5, 1941

Number Churches in Association	53
Number Sunday Schools in Associatoin	53
Number Mission Sunday Schools organized	2
Number Associational S. S. Officer's Meeting	4
Number Associational Wide Sunday School Meetings	1
Number Religious Census Taken	4
Number Vacation Bible School Conducted	7
Number Enrollment	830
Total Number Training Schools Conducted	4
Total Number Awards issued for Sunday Schools	102

20 Churches participated in the Special Thanksgiving Offering to the Baptist Orphanage by giving produce, offerings, and boxes valued at approximately $217.97. This includes the produce, offerings, and boxes ONLY that were gathered to one central place which the Orphanage truck picked up in December.

Submitted in the Interest of better Sunday Schools,
ROY HUGGINS.

PROMOTION

Promotion means advancement. It is needless for me to repeat the reports that you may read for yourself. These reports indicate that we are growing. But we are not satisfied with our advancement. There are 21 churches in our Association which gave nothing to missions and according to the CHARITY AND CHILDREN there are 28 churches that gave nothing to the Orphanage in the first six months of the calendar year of 1941. This ought not to be. We are not happy over this situation, and the Missionary Baptists of these churches cannot be happy about it.

Who is to blame? Those of us who have the knowledge and fail to impart that information to our sister churches. We once were guilty of being passively missionary. But information, inspiration, and vision brought us into the active missionary fold.

What are we going to do about it?

(1) Let ever Associational officer of the W. M. U., B. T. U., and Sunday School inform himself or herself of the duties of that office and with the help of Christ perform those duties faithfully.

(2) Let every church choose something to do. A church cannot do something when it does not have something to do. Have a goal.

(3.) Let those who are doing something, do more. They can.

May I suggest that our churches give to one of the following causes:

(1) The Co-Operative Program. Give to this and you give to all except the Orphanage.

(2) Give to the Orphanage once a month.

(3) Join the Hundred Thousand Dollar Club. This means a Debtless Denomination by 1945.

(4) Have a Wake Forest Day in your Sunday School. Take an offering for the Wake Forest Chapel.

Where shall we get the money?

(1) Quit using worldly methods of raising money. If a thing is worth giving to it is worth going into our own pockets to get the money.

(2) Be a Tither.

(3) Try the Lord's Acre Plan. For further information write to Rev. Dumont Clark, Asheville, N. C.

Respectfully submitted,
WADE W. WORLEY.

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

Your Historian is lost on an uncharted sea insofar as his duties to this Association are concerned. He has no precedent, expressed wish or instruction to follow. Brother A. I. Justice, who did considerable research as historian a few years ago and who advised me that he, more than any one else, was responsible for my election to this office, desires that more history be compiled of the Association's work, perhaps taking up where he left off several years ago.

Our annual minutes, in so far as statistics go, reveal the growth of our work, numerically and financially, but these don't tell the whole story. The Historical Table shows the official set-up since 1877. The obituary list names of those who have died during the associational year, but this is incomplete at the best because several churches don't report to the Association. The proceedings and reports show the state of mind, more or less accurately, of the body from year to year. The list of ordained ministers serves a purpose historically. Statistics reveal some sad conditions and they also have their bright spots.

In the light of these facts, what should be the Historian's duties? What should he undertake that is not covered by present activities as

recorded in the minutes? Should the Historian, after reviewing the minutes each year, comment on things revealed therein that might have some historical bearing on the state of the churches in future years? Should he point out the encouraging things he might find in the proceedings or those things not necessarily covered by the minutes or any of the regular reports? Should he somewhat editorialize on facts and conditions evident to most of us? What work can the Historian do better than is done at present?

Could not the Historian bring encouragement and inspiration by studying some things that have been good for some of our churches in meeting financial responsibilities and enabling them to grow into larger opportunities? For instance, would not something like the Lord's Acre movement be worth surveying and commenting upon? When about 100 members can build a nice church house and parsonage by the Lord's Acre plan, as the Dana Baptist Church has done, isn't this worth emphasizing? Calvary, Fruitland and perhaps other churches in the Association have tried this plan with good results. The Lord's Acre activity at Dana is recognized as one of the outstanding pieces of work in the United States because it has pointed the way to more successful financing of rural church work. Dana's work has had nation-wide publicity. Does it not hold out great responsibilities for struggling rural churches? Is this type of church history not worth recording and commenting upon? I think we are losing an opportunity in not encouraging it.

Again, what should be the Historian's work? As a guide to future Historians of the Association, I would recommend that a few moments for the discussion of this report and that the Moderator be instructed to name a special committee of three, including Brother A. I. Justice, to formulate a policy, in writing, and submit same to this body at this session, and that whatever may be adopted may be given a place in our next book of minutes inorder that the pastors and other church workers may be of service to the Historian in covering matters deserving attention.

Respectfully submitted,
NOAH HOLLOWELL.

A SUBSTITUTE REPORT ON TEMPERANCE

In Eastern North Carolina there are 26 counties under the domination of liquor stores. The dry forces in some of these counties are making a strong appeal to the dry forces in other counties to help them to throw off this awful yoke of the liquor traffic.

These people are our neighbors. They need our help. I read in the Book, "Woe unto him that giveth his neighbor drink, that putteth the bottle to him, and makest him drunken also that thou mayest look on their nakedness". The blood of the victims of liquor murdered on our highways not only in those counties but even in this county cries unto us from the ground. Shall we hear and heed this cry.

Our boys in the camps are making an appeal to us for protection from liquor and vice. Shall we hear their cry and help them?

W. H. DAVIS.

TREASURER'S REPORT, CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

August, 1941

RECEIVED FROM:

D. G. Wilkie, Former Treasurer	$ 9 51	Liberty	1.00
Balfour	5.80	Middle Fork	1.00
Bat Cave	4.00	Mills River	2.00

Bear Wallow	1.69	Mt. Olivet	2.50
Beulah	1.10	Mt. Moriah	3.05
Cedar Springs	3.26	Mt. Page	.75
Cross Roads	1.08	Mt. Zion	1.00
Dana	4.00	Mt. Home	2.05
Double Springs	.40	Mud Creek	7.00
East Flat Rock	10.00	Pacolet	3.00
Ebenezer	2.00	Pleasant Grove	2.00
Etowah	2.00	Refuge	1.00
Fletcher	4.33	Saluda	4.00
French Broad	1.50	Shaws Creek	5.00
Fruitland	5.00	Tryon 1st	5.00
Hendersonville 1st	15.00	Tryon 2nd	3.00
Holly Springs	1.25	Tuxedo	10.00
Horse Shoe	2.00	Valley Hill	3.50
Jones Gap	2.00	Warrior Mtn.	2.00
Locust Grove	2.00	West Hendersonville	1.75

Total of Receipts $141.60

DISBURSEMENTS

Rev. M. A. Kizer, services as clerk	$ 25.00
Rev. W. H. Davis, services as clerk	25.00
W. C. Russ, payment on minutes	90.00
Total of disbursements	$140.00

Balance in State Trust Co. ..... $ 1.60

The above mentioned amounts contributed includes both that paid in at the Association last year and funds raised by Brother Worley since the Association met.

We still owe to W. C. Russ, $35.00, being the balance for printing of minutes.

M. L. WALKER, Treasurer.

RESOLUTIONS

1.—Be it resolved that we extend our appreciation to the Double Springs Baptist Church, and to the ladies of District No. 4, for the abundant lunch served to all present during the two day assembly, August 5th and 6th.

2.—We further resolve to express our sincere thanks to the visiting speakers, Mr. Wilson Fielder, Rev. Dumont Clarke, M. A. Huggins, Supt. I. G. Greer, Dr. Hoyt Blackwell, Dr. Smith Hayaman, Rev. Satterfield, Mr. M. A. Adams, and for others that participated in making this Association a success.

3.—Lastly, resolve to extend our gratitude to our Moderator, Mr. Victor Rector, and Associational Clerk Mr. W. H. Davis, and other officers of the Carolina Association, for their loyal efforts during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. CLARIBEL CLARK, for the Committee.

REPORT ON TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER FOR NEXT ASSOCIATION

Time, Tuesday and Wednesday after the First Sunday in August, 1942. Place, First Baptist Church, Hendersonville, N. C. Preacher of Introductory Sermon, N. A. Melton. Alternate, C. M. Heymann, Jr.

LAWRENCE ERWIN.

RULES OF ORDER

Article 1. The annual meetings of the Association shall open by singing and prayer at half past ten o'clock on Tuesday after the 1st Sunday in August each year. At this hour the Moderator, or in his absence, the Clerk, shall call the members to order, when the certificates will be presented, and the names of the members enrolled. This body will then be organized and attend upon the introductory discourse, at the close of which the Association will take recess or proceed to business.

Article 2. The order of business is to open the door: (1) For membership, (2) For correspondence, (3) For any business coming up regularly.

Article 3. The Association shall, on each day, open and close with prayer by the Moderator, or a brother, at his request. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all the meetings of this body.

Article 4. The Moderator shall preside at the meetings of the body, keep and decide questions of order, subject to appeal from members.

Article 5. Questions shall be decided by "aye' 'or no", doubtful cases by the rising of the members to their feet until they are counted.

Article 6. The Moderator shall appoint all committees, except those ordered by ballot.

Article 7. In all cases by ballot, the Moderator may vote; in other cases he may not unless the body is equally divided ,or unless his vote, given to the minority, will make the division equal, and in that case the question shall be lost.

Article 8. A member may, on motion, submit any subject to the consideration of the Association that relates to its designs or objects, and if seconded, it shall receive due consideration, except to be withdrawn by the mover with the consent of the body.

Article 9. If two or more members shall rise to speak at the same time, the Moderator shall decide the priority of right.

Article 10. If a member shall violate any of these rules the Moderator shall call him to order.

Article 11. No member shall speak on the same subject oftener than twice, without leave of the Association, except to explain.

Article 12. A member, in making a motion, speaking, or in debate, shall rise and address the Moderator respectfully.

Article 13. When a motion is made and seconded it shall be stated by the Moderator before debate.

Article 14. When the Moderator is putting the question, or addressing the body, no member shall walk out or across the house; nor, when a member is speaking, enter into private conservation, or pass between the speaker and the Moderator, but all are requqired to pay strict attention.

Article one is in accord with a recent ruling of the Association.)

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE 1. This Association shall be known as the Carolina Baptist Association and shall be composed of such representatives as the churches constituting this body may select and send as delegates to its meetings, together with all ordained ministers who are members of said churches, and each church shall report by letter to each annual session the number of its membership, additions, and losses from whatever causes, with statistics, contributions, finances, etc.

Each church shall be entitled to three delegates and one additional delegate for each fifty members in excess of one hundrdd, and the name of no delegate shall appear in the minutes except such as are in actual attendance during the session of the body.

ARTICLE 2. The organization of the body shall be preceded by the

preaching of an introductory sermon and shall then be organized by the Moderator of the former session, calling the body to order, and the enrolling of delegates from the various churches, who shall compose the body, and proceed, by ballot, to the election of a Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, and Historian, who shall hold their offices until their successors shall be elected at the opening of the next annual session.

ARTICLE 3. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as may from time to time be deemed advisable.

ARTICLE 4. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ and the ordinances of His house as accepted by missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, and acceptance by a majority vote of the same.

ARTICLE 5. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion, resolution, or other action of the body ,except to amend the Constitution, which shall only be done by a vote of two-thirds of the members for such amendment.

ARTICLE 6. The Association may at any meeting withdraw from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

ARTICLE 7. This Association regards each Baptist church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body having for its object the furtherance of the cause of Christ ,the betterment of humanity and the enlightment of mankind the world over, by the preaching of the Gospel and the furtherance of Christian education.

ARTICLE 8. Any church in good standing in this Association, may on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

ARTICLE 9. The Moderator shall appoint such committees as may be necessary forthe transaction of the business and these shall report as such times as may be directed by the bodv

ARTICLE 10. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the opening of each day and corrected if necessary, and approved, and the minutes of the entire session shall be read and approved previous to final adjournment

ARTICLE 11. No member shall absent himself from any session of the body, without leave of same.

ARTICLE 12. The Association shall, before its final adjournment, fix a time and place for the next annual meeting and election of one of the ministers of the body to preach the introductory sermon.

ARTICLE 13. The Association shall at each annual session appoint an executive committee consisting of one member from each church in the Association and one additional member for every two hundred members of each church after the first fifty members. All pastors shall be ex-officio member of this committee.

(a) Each church is requested to nominate to the Association the members to serve on the Executive Committee from said church. In case this is not done before the annual meeting of the Association, then the Association shall in conference with the messengers of said church appoint the members of this committee for the church until such time as the church may elect its representatives on this committee.

(b) A nominating committee shall be appointed at the beginning of each annual session of the Association for the purpose of receiving nominations from the churches for the Executive Committee. This committee shall before the close of this session make its nominations to the Association.

(c) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee at its first meeting after the annual session of the Association to organize as follows: 1—Chairman, 2—Vice-Chairman, 3—Secretary, 4—Treasurer, 5—Committees: a—Administrative, b—Needs of the Churches, c—General Denominational Work, d—and any other committees which may be needed.

(d) This Executive Committee shall hold quarterly meetings in conjunction with the Worker's Council of the Association. The meetings should be held in various sections of the Association.

(e) The Executive Committee shall divide the Association into districts and appoint a chairman for each district, whose duty it shall be to enlist the workers of the churches of this district in the work of the churches.

(f) This Executive Committee is empowered to transact business for the Association between sessions. It shall be known as the Association ad interim.

(2) Worker's Council.

(a) The constituency of the Worker's Council shall be the Officers of the Carolina Association, the members of the Executive Committee of this Association, and the official members of the Carolina Association and the officers of all organizations of the Association.

(b) The objectives of the Worker's Council shall be to elicit, combine and direct the energies and activities of the churches of the Carolina Association.

(c) Its meetings shall be held quarterly unless otherwise provided.

(d) The Program Committee shall consist of the Moderator of the Association, a member of the Executive Committee, and the President of each auxiliary organization of the Carolina Association.

ARTICLE 14. That this Association shall at the present session appoint a Board of Trustees consisting of fifteen members, five of whom shall hold their office for twelve months, five for two years, and five of them for three years. Terms of office of the first five members on said committee shall expire at the end of one year from this session, and their places shall be filled by appointment of this body, and each session of this body shall fill the vacancies occuring by expiring terms, or from death, resignation or otherwise, at its regular annual meeting.

That the said Board of Trustees shall constitute the Board of Education of the Carolina Association and shall be empowered to receive donations and hold property, both real and personal, for educational purposes, to procure the necessary charters for educational institutions and that any legal action necessary be taken for advancement and interests of education in the bounds of this Association.

Said Board shall also take control, possession and the general supervision of all school property belonging to the Association, shall establish and direct the management of schools and report their proceedings and recommendations to each annual session of this body for ratification. Said body shall have no power to purchase property or contract debts, but by the authority of a two-thirds vote of the Associational annual meeting. The officers of said Board shall be President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Executive Board, whose duties shall be those usually performed by such officers and such further duties as the Board may designate. The said Board may fix time and place for meeting and adjournment, provided, nevertheless, that the President and three other members of the Board may call a meeting at such times and places as the business of the same may require, and seven members present at any meeting shall be a quorum, for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE 15. This body shall be governed by the rules of Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

ARTICLE 1..... This Constitution shall be printed in the minutes of the Association.

(This is a reprint from the minutes of 1911 with the amended Article 13 taken from the 1929 minutes.)

OBITUARIES

"They shall walk with me in white: for they are worthy."
Rev. 3:4.

BEAR WALLOW—Mr. J. M. Sinclair.

DOUBLE SPRINGS—Mrs. J. M. Morgan.

LOCUST GROVE—Mr. J. P. Ward, Mrs. Bertha Wright.

BAT CAVE—Mrs. J. P. Duvalt.

MILLS RIVER—Mrs. Evelyn Bryson, Mrs. Anna Gordon.

SHAWS CREEK—Mr. Ed Merrell, Mrs. C. N. King, Deacon.

EAST FLAT ROCK—Mrs. Sarah Beddingfield, Miss Bessie Steadman.

HENDERSONVILLE—Rev. J. W. Kesterson.

DANA—Mr. Henry O. Lively, Deacon.

HENDERSONVILLE, 1st—Mr. R. E. Childers, Mr. H. L. Grainger, Mr. J. C. Morgan, Mr. Howard Bennett, Mr. Vernon Henderson, Mr. Edward Maxwell, Mr. E. C. Ward, Mr. S. S. Rozier, Mrs. J. E. Harrell, Mrs. M. A. Brown, Mrs. A. A. McCall.

TRYON, 2nd—Mr. John Stiles, Mr. Rufus Gosnell.

MIDDLE FORK—Mr. Harry Hill.

WEST HENDERSONVILLE—Rev. W. A. Morris, Mr. C. P. Maybin.

MUD CREEK—Mr. J. M. Cooper, Mr. J. M. Brookshire, Deacon, Mrs. D. W. McCall, Mr. Ed Brown.

FLETCHER—Mrs. Margaret McFalls, Mr. Francis Harris.

OAK GROVE—Mrs. Easter Stepp.

VALLEY HILL—Mrs. B. B. Middleton.

MT. ZION—Mrs. Eliza Connor.

MT. GILEAD—Mrs. K. M. Robertson.

FRUITLAND—Mr. J. S. Jackson.

JONES GAP—Mr. James Lessly, Mrs. Anna Mintz.

HOOPERS CREEK—Mr. John Wilkie.

BEREA—Mr. Charlie Garren, Deacon.

CEDAR SPRINGS—Mr. J. B. Capps, Deacon, Mr. G. A. Ward.

HENDERSONVILLE, 1st—Miss Diana Bowen.

SALUDA—Mr. Alonzo Pace.

MT. MORIAH—Mr. J. B. Lamb, Miss Pauline Brown, Miss Annie Gilliam.

TUXEDO—Mr. Sam Bayne, Mr. W. O. Mason.

PACOLET—Mr. Edward Taylor.

Submitted by Lawrence Erwin

PROCEEDINGS

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

of the

Carolina Baptist Association

WATCHWORD FOR 1941

Etowah Baptist Church

June 11, 1941

Next Meeting: Refuge — Time: June

OFFICERS

of the

Woman's Missionary Union

AUXILIARY TO THE

Carolina Association

Superintendent ..... Mrs. O. J. Smith, Hendersonville
Associate Superintendent ..... Mrs. E. M. Blackstock, Saluda
Secretary-Treasurer ..... Mrs. B. E. Wall, Hendersonville
Assistant Secretary and Reporter .... Miss Eugenia Morrison, Hendersonville
Personal Service Chairman ..... Mrs. D. G. Wilkie, Tuxedo
Co-Operative Program, Hundred Thousand Club, and Stewardship
Chairman ..... Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Hendersonville
Mission Study Chairman ..... Mrs. A. W. Drake, Hendersonville
Training School Chairman ..... Mrs. N. B. Baldwin, Fletcher
Margaret Fund Chairman ..... Mrs. W. W. Worley, Tuxedo
Young People's Leader ..... Mrs. B. G. Henry, Tryon
Y. W. A. Counselor ..... Miss Nancy Barton, Hendersonville
G. A. Counselor ..... Mrs. M. L. Walker, Hendersonville
R. A. Counselor ..... Mrs. L. E. Jaeckel, Hendersonville
Sunbeam Counselor ..... Mrs. A. D. Sherman, Hendersonville

District Leaders

Number 1 ..... Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Dana
Number 2 ..... Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Fletcher
Number 3 ..... Mrs. H. L. F. Drake, Hendersonville, Rt. No. 2
Number 4 ..... Mrs. W. E. Crawford, Tuxedo
Number 5 ..... Mrs. Fred Arledge, Saluda
Number 6 ..... Mrs. C. R. Staggs, Balfour
Pianist ..... Mrs. Broadus Phillips
Chorister ..... Mrs. Lavada Lyda

The annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union, Auxiliary to Carolina Association, opened at 10 o'clock, Wednesday, June 11, in the Etowah Baptist Church. The Superintendent, Mrs. O. J. Smith, presiding.

Theme: Our Continuing Task, Making His Way Known.

Opening Hymn: "Jesus Saves."

Devotion: Ps. 67:2—Rev. W. H. Harbin, Balfour.

A motion was made and carried that the program, in hand, be adopted as the program for the day.

Greetings were extended by Mrs. Vera Morgan of Etowah Baptist Church.

Response: Mrs. O. J. Smith.

Recognition of Pastors: Rev. N. A. Melton, Fruitland; Rev. W. H. Harbin, Balfour; Rev. B. E. Wall, Hendersonville, First; Rev. N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock.

Recognition of Visitors: Mrs. W. E. Briggs, State Secretary, Raleigh; Mr. E. L. Marshall, Dana; Mrs. Daisy Fowler, Hendersonville.

The minutes of the last quarterly meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's report:

Receipts		Disbursements	
Balance from 1939	$ 2.86		
Hendersonville, First	13.20	Expenses—Secretary and Treasurer	$ 1.43
East Flat Rock	1.30		
Bat Cave	1.00	Expenses — Superintendent	16.00
Tuxedo Y. W. A.	1.00		
Mt. Moriah	.70	Mission School	3.00
Saluda	2.00		
Mrs. C. R. Staggs	.50	TOTALS	$20.43
Fletcher	1.00		
Dana	2.00	Balance June 11, 1941	$ 5.13
TOTALS	$25.56		

Superintendent's Report

In giving the report of the woman's work of the Carolina Association, I find there are a great many things for which we should congratulate our women. The general officers have co-operated in a beautiful way. Each has done a fine piece of work. The societies have worked faithfully; the individual women have shown a greater interest in missions. This has been due to many causes, the most outstanding is the increase in mission study classes.

We do not have so many new missionary societies but better work is being done in the ones we do have. We also have more and better work among the young people. There are Woman's Societies in the following churches: Beulah, Calvary, Dana, East Flat Rock, Fletcher, Fruitland, Hendersonville First, Mt. Moriah, Mud Creek, Refuge, Saluda, Tryon, Pacolet, Tuxedo, Bat Cave, Mt. Olivet. Sixteen in all. Young Woman's Auxiliary have been organized in Calvary, Dana, East Flat Rock, Fletcher, Hendersonville First, Tuxedo, and Saluda. Seven churches with Girl's Auxiliary, three of these have both junior and intermediate organizations. Calvary, Dana Jr. and Inter., East Flat Rock, both Jr. and Inter., Mt. Moriah, Tryon and Tuxedo. Five churches have Royal Ambassador Chapters. Dana, both Jr. and Inter., East Flat Rock, Jr. and Inter., Mt. Moriah, Hendersonville First and Tryon. Five churches have Sunbeams: Calvary, East Flat Rock, Hendersonville First, Mt. Moriah, Tryon and Saluda. Thirteen organizations have made A-1 records.

We have increased from 16 memberships in the hundred thousand club to 36. Every church in the Association should have a part in this great work.

Our total gifts to all causes given through W. M. U. and reported to Raleigh was $3,258.53, an increase of 13%.

Our work has made progress in all the different fields, but there is much work to be done. There are only 9 churches with any form of missionary organization for the young people. This is not because we do not have the young people, but the lack of leadership and a vision of the

work. Thirteen organizations were A-1 last year; most of these were young people.

Two societies reported every woman member of the church giving to missions. These were Dana and Tryon.

It is hoped we will do better next year.

Report of presidents of societies, presenting the high lights, brought encouragement to all.

Roll call of churches—11 responded.

REPORT OF STEWARDSHIP CHAIRMAN

Mrs. H. L. F. Drake

Number of Tithers in W. M. S.	93
Number of Tithers in R. A.	6
Number of Tithers in G. A.	7
Number of Tithers in Y. W. A.	0
TOTAL	106

This report was felt to be incomplete, due to lack of societies reporting.

REPORT OF HUNDRED THOUSAND CLUB

Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield

Total Number Memberships 34

12 churches reporting memberships.

Our goal is 80 memberships.

Memberships have more than doubled since June, 1939.

REPORT OF MISSION STUDY CHAIRMAN

Mrs. A. W. Drake

We strive, with the help of God, to move toward a Christ-like missionary program through the study of missions by lifting the challenging Christ up so that His message will extend from our homes to the ends of the earth.

Our record for the past year shows a steady growth and enlargement. We wish to stress the Number 3 Associational-wide young peoples' study classes, the 2 church schools of mission, and the Associational school of missions conducted by Miss Lucy Wright, a returned medical missionary from China. 355 people from 15 of our churches attended this school.

Please notice the statistical report for further information.

REPORT OF PERSONAL SERVICE CHAIRMAN

Mrs. T. S. Mulliken

Personal service is Christ-like living with regard to others.

Your part and my part in God's program is of utmost importance. It is making use of the opportunities, afforded by need, to win souls to Christ. All of God's wonder-working power is available, awaiting our surrender. If we are not used and usable it is our own fault not God's, for we are "saved to serve."

REPORT OF TRAINING SCHOOL AND MARGARET FUND CHAIRMAN

Mrs. W. W. Worley

Mrs. Worley read a letter from Miss Littlejohn, Principal of the school, thanking us for our interest and made an appeal for money contribution to aid in furnishing the new building.

Committees annointed—Resolution and Place.

Lunch.

Opening Hymn: "Higher Ground."

Prayer—Rev. N. A. Melton.

Devotion—Miss Charlotte Hill.

Playlet—"Tithing"—by G. A. from Hendersonville, First.

REPORT OF YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

Mrs. B. G. Henry, Leader

The greatest gift in all the world and one most wanted by Jesus, our King, is the hearts and lives of our young people. It is for this, that we should give our time to our young people. It is for this, that we earnestly beg parents to help us, by making it possible for our chil-

dren to attend the missionary organizations of our churches. In the name of the King Himself, I ask you, as loyal members of the Woman's Missionary Society, to rise and join leaders in dedicating each child to the service of the King.

We have 35 Young People's Organizations: 9 Y. W. A.; 6 R. A.; 12 G. A.; 8 Sunbeams.

Special Music—Duet by two young ladies, Etowah Church.

Report of Committees:

Literature—No report.

Obituary—Mrs. Roy C. Bennett:

Our hearts are saddened as we, the women of the Carolina Association, think of the loved ones who have been removed from our midst during the year.. See Page: "Our Beloved Dead."

Report of Nominating Committee was read and officers whose names appear elsewhere, were elected, Mrs. Briggs in the chair.

Report of Place Comittee—Mrs. Bostick.—Place: Rufuge Church. Time—June seemed to be the acceptable month after discussion.

Report of Resolutions—Mrs. Melton—The committee expressed appreciation for the work of the officers and leaders of the association. To Mrs. Briggs, our visitor, sincere thanks was expressed for her mesasge of inspiration and instruction. The hostess church was thanked for their gracious hospitality and cordiality.

Under the head of business, there was a discussion as to our Memorial Fund, created for Volunteer students. A committee was appointed to study the situation and report at next quarterly meeting. The committee was Mrs. Powell, Mrs. B. G. Henry, Mrs. T. S. Mulliken.

A motion was made and carried that we secure 100 dozen cans from the Orphanage to fill with fruits and vegetables. Mrs. Gounce of Etowah, was asked to serve as chairman and distribute cans.

Open discussion—Led by Mrs. Briggs.

Mrs. Briggs brought printed sheets of questions which were passed among the ladies. These questions were all pertaining to our work. They were studied by the group and Mrs. Briggs answered any that were asked. This proved most helpful to all.

The following Committees were appointed to report at next meeting:

OBITUARY—Mrs. A. P. Cox, Hendersonville; Mrs. W. L. Green, Lynn; Mrs. C. W. Crawford, Tuxedo.

LITERATURE—Mrs. R. H. Brady, Tryon; Mrs. H. L. F. Drake, Hendersonville; Miss Charlotte Hill, Flat Rock.

Adjournment.

MRS. BROADUS E. WALL, Secretary.
MRS. O. J. SMITH, Superintendent.

REPORT OF YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

Church	No. Societies	No. Members	No. Tithers	No. Sp. Offerings to Missions	No. World Comrades	No. Windows	Special Offering to Missions	Amount to Co-op. Program	Amt. to 100,000 Club	Counselors
Y. W. A.'s										
Dana	1	9	6	3	....	3	3.41	7.72	....	Miss Sola Hill
East Flat Rock	1	12	4	3	....	6	8.80	1.50	3.00	
Fletcher	1	8	....	....	....	2	2.00	11.00	....	Mrs. Ruby Garren
Hendersonville,										Miss Nancy Barton
First	2	39	19	3	....	10	14.41	102.88	7.00	Miss Margaret Lane
Refuge	1	10	5	3	....	1	7.50	15.50	....	Mrs. E. L. Pace
Saluda	1	9	1	3	....	2	....	2.82	....	Mrs. E. M. Bostick
Tuxedo	1	22	6	2	....	2	2.55	1.35	....	Mrs. W. E. Crawford
Sunbeams										
Dana	1	8	3	2	1	....	1.00	5.06	....	Mrs. M. L. Pace
East Flat Rock	1	15	2	3	1	....	4.42	2.75	....	Mrs. O. M. Magness
Hendersonville 1st	1	38	2	3	4	....	11.99	76.63	....	Mrs. Lawrence Jenkins
Mt. Moriah	1	6	....	....	....	....	.20	....	....	Mrs. Eleava Pressly
Refuge	1	15	2	....	1	....	4.00	....	....	Miss Marie Case
Tryon	1	13	1	3	1	....	1.50	2.90	....	Mrs. W. E. Spangle
Jr. G. A.										
Dana	1	3	2	2	....	....	.28	1.24	12.00	Mrs. H. O. Lively
East Flat Rock	1	28	5	3	6	....	2.55	5.40	....	Mrs. Reba Field
Hendersonville 1st	1	14	2	....	....	....	.44	5.41	....	Mrs. Keith Arledge
Mt. Moriah	1	12	....	3	1	....	.89	.50	....	Mrs. Willard Turner
Saluda	1	3	1	....	2	....	....	....	....	
Tryon	1	9	2	3	1	....	1.80	2.55	....	Mrs. W. R. Hoots
Intermediate G. A.										
Dana	1	8	6	4	1	....	3.10	7.74	....	Mrs. J. H. Henderson
East Flat Rock	1	12	3	3	4	....	3.89	4.10	....	Miss Beulah Jones
Hendersonville										Mrs. A. D. Sherman
First	2	33	9	3	10	....	51.42	167.45	....	Mrs. P. A. Fulmer
Refuge	1	15	3	3	1	....	1.00	....	....	Mrs. Willis Allen
Jr. R. A.										
Dana	1	5	3	3	....	....	1.52	1.41	12.00	Mrs. Geo. Hill
East Flat Rock	1	8	2	3	2	....	4.76	1.00	....	Mr. Edgar Sinclair
Hendersonville 1st	1	....	....	....	2	....	9.53	14.56	....	Mrs. M. L. Walker
Mt. Moriah	1	7	....	1	1	....	1.06	.40	....	Mrs. T. S. Mulliken
Tryon	1	4	1	3	1	....	.90	3.80	....	Mrs. J. W. Taylor
Intermediate R. A.										
Dana	1	9	7	3	....	....	3.00	7.45	2.00	Rev. M. L. Lewis

HISTORICAL TABLE

Carolina Baptist Association

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	C. Ward	[illegible] Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith	....	....	....
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Lureline
1881	....	....	....	Tex. Gen. 35-24
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mt. Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boilston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mt. Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Saluda	L. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Fruitland	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Beulah	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Connor	J. T. Freeman	Hoopers Creek	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Riverside	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Fruitland	V. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Mount Gilead	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mt. Page	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Mt. Moriah	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	East Hendersonville	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	F. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthon	Salem	K. W. Cawthon
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mount Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	East Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargeant	Mt. Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargeant	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargeant	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	East Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy C. Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Roy C. Bennett	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Mrs. J. L. Redder	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mt. Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips

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CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND POST OFFICES	Number of Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Y. W. A.'s	Number of G. A.'s	Number of R. A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Organizations	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A.'s Members	G. A.'s Members	R. A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled in Mission Study Courses	Contributions (Local Work) Given by W. M. U.	Contributions (Missions) Given by W. M. U.	Grand Total for All Purposes Given by W.M.U. And All Its Organizations	Number Brotherhoods	Enrollment Brotherhoods
Bat Cave	Mrs. T. L. Mann, Bat Cave	1					1	9					9	4	$ 49.60	$ 29.68	$ 79.28		
Beulah	Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Hendersonville	1					1						17			57.50	57.50		
Dana	Mrs. E. L. Marshall	1	1	2	2	1	7	15	9	8	8	7	55	55	90.70	125.58	216.28		
East Flat Rock	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	1	1	1	1	1	6	32	12	24	8	18	94	68		215.64	215.64		
Etowah	Mrs. J. E. Gonce, Etowah, N. C.	1					1	10					10	4	65.56	16.85	82.41		
Fletcher	Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Fletcher	1	1				2	20	8					11		57.95	57.95		
Fruitland	Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, Hendersonville	1					1	15						6		104.41	135.41		
Hendersonville, First	Mrs. Roy C. Bennett, Hendersonville	1	2	3		1	7	118	39	47		38	242			1987.23	1987.23	1	100
Mt. Gilead	Mrs Tom Hawes, Arden, N. C.	1					1	10							50	8.00	8.50		
Mt. Moriah	Mrs. T. S. Mulliken, Edneyville	1		1	1	1	4	13		9	6	7	35	8		22.03	22.03		
Mud Creek	Mrs. J. B. Williams, Hendersonville	1				1	2	5				20	25				37.21		
Pacolet	Mrs. Ila Rhodes, Lynn, N. C.	1					1	10											
Refuge	Mrs. Albert Sprolles, Dana	1	1	1		1	4	12	10	15		15	52	15		133.36	133.36		
Saluda	Mrs. E. M. Bostick, Saluda	1	1				2	13	7				20	18	2.61	49.21	51.82		
Tryon First	Mrs. B. G. Henry, Tryon, N. C.	2		1	1	1	5	45		9	5	8	67	33	182.25	245.22	427.47	1	34
Tuxedo	Mrs. W. W. Worley, Tuxedo	1	1	1		1	4	12	18	13		10	43	16		65.74	65.74		

Table I — CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, ETC., CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION — August 6, 1941

CHURCHES	Is It In A Village, Town, City or Country?	When Constituted	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Days of Meeting	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP										Weekly Prayer Meetings	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper
					GAINS					LOSSES				TOTAL				
					Members Reported Last Year	Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures	Deaths	Total Present Members				
Balfour	Village	1908	W. H. Harbin, Hendersonville	1-2-3-4	334	7	2	1		7		1		336	1	2	3	
Bat Cave	Country	1892	J. E. Pearson, Biltmore	1-2-3-4	131					1			1	129	0		3	
Bear Wallow	Country	1868	E. A. Kilstrom, H-ville	1 &3	71	5				5			1	70	1	1	3	
Berea	Country	1921	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1 & 3	84	2	1						1	86		1	1	
Beulah	Country	1820	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1 & 3	275	9	1	1		1				285		2	1	
Broad River	Country		No Report															
Calvary	Village		No Report															
Cedar Springs	Country	1847	M. C. Cheatwood, Sp'tburg	1 &3	145	6	2		1	3			2	149		1	1	
Crab Creek	Country	1834	No Report															
Cross Roads	Country		A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.	1 & 2	103					3		1		99	1	1		
Dana	Country	1936	M. L. Lewis, Hendersonville	1-2-3-4	107		2			3			2	104	1	1	4	6
Double Springs	Country	1876	L. B. Morrison, Tr. Rest, S. C.	1 &3	100								1	99		1		
East Flat Rock	Village	1910	N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock	1-2-3-4	501	2	2			8			2	495	1	1	4	4
Ebenezer	Country		S. F. Huntley, Hendersonville	1 & 3	294	8	12		2	2			1	313	1	1	1	
Etowah	Village	1917	No Pastor	2 & 3	187		3			1			1	182			1	1
Fletcher	Village	1838	No Pastor	1-2-3	204	6	3			3			2	208	1		3	1
French Broad	Country	1792	C. M. Heymann, Jr., H-ville	1 & 3	76	2	1			6				73		1	2	
Friendship	Country		No Report															
Fruitland	Country	1875	N. A. Melton, Hendersonville	2 & 4	251	3				8			1	249		1	1	4
Green River	Country		No Report															
Hendersonville, 1st	Village	1844	B. E. Wall, Hendersonville	Every	1323	11	33			41			13	1313	1		4	10
Holly Springs	Country		No Report															
Hooper's Creek	Country	1899	W. C. Huntley, Rt. 2, Asheville	1 & 3	82	40	4		4	6			1	123	1	1	1	
Horse Shoe	Country	1888	R. R. Mahaffey, Leicester	2 & 4	86	1	4		7	3				95			1	

Jones' Gap	Country	1913	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	4	112	4			2			2	112		1		
Laurel Springs	Country		No Report															
Liberty	Country		No Report															
Locust Grove	Country	1936	Quay Corn, Rt. 2, H-ville	2 & 4	72		2		1	4			2	69	1	1	1	
Middle Fork	Country	1888	J. W. Owenby, Flat Rock	2 & 4	69					1			1	67		1	2	
Mills River	Country	1835	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock	2 & 4	124					1		2	2	119				
Mt. Gilead	Country	1883	E. R. Bartlett, Asheville	1-2-3-4	205	16	5	1		5		1	1	220		2	6	
Mt, Moriah	Country	1839	N. A. Melton, Hendersonville	2 & 4	185					3			3	179		1		
Mt. Zion	Country	1900	W. K. Sawyer, Campobella	2	26								1	25		1	2	
Mtn. Home	Country	1892	M. E. Summey, Rosman	2 & 4	155	6	2			6				157	1	2	1	
Mtn. Page	Country	1790	No Report															
Mtn. Valley	Country	1931	I. H. Green, Balfour	2 & 4	89	1	7			3				94		1	1	
Mud Creek	Country	1804	C. E. Blythe, Rt. 4, H-ville	2 & 4	465	12	10			8			4	475	1	2	4	
Oak Grove	Country	1875	Clarence Haynes, Balfour	2 & 4	160	4	8			1			1	170	1	2	4	
Pacolet	Village	1910	B. H. Henry, Tryon	1-2-3-4	139	26	1		1	1			1	165	1	1	3	
Pleasant Grove	Country	1859	Finley Orr, Etowah	1 & 3	142	3	1			3			1	142		1	2	
Refuge	Country	1837	W. W. Worley, Tuxedo	2 & 4	277	3	3			1				282	1	1	1	1
Saluda	Village	1888	M. A. Kizer, Saluda	1-2-3-4	107	1	8			7		1	1	107	1	1	4	
Shaw's Creek	Country	1873	Lawrence Erwin, Balfour	1 & 4	152	6	5			5	1		2	155	1	1	4	8
Tryon, 1st	Village	1891	B. G. Henry, Tryon	1-2-3-4	155	7	12			4				170	1		4	18
Tryon, 2nd	Village	1924	M. J. Ross, Tryon	1 & 3	121	23	3	1		11			3	134	1	2	2	
Tuxedo	Village	1926	W. W. Worley, Tuxedo	1 & 3	348	10	3			10			2	349	1	1	4	15
Valley Hill	Country	1908	E. A. Kilstrom, H-ville	1 & 3	249	3	5			3				254	1	2	1	
Warrior Mtn.	Country	1933	M. J. Ross, Tryon															
West Hendersonville	Village	1934	J. E. Osteen, Hendersonville	1-2-4	85		7			1			2	89	1	1	4	4

Churches not represented are the following:

Broad River	Green River	Mt. Olive
Calvary	Holly Springs	Mtn. Page
Crab Creek	Laurel Springs	Pleasant Hill
Friendship	Liberty	Warrior Mtn.
		Zion Hill

Table II **SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION** **August 6, 1941**

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	Cradle Roll Under 3 Years	Beginners 3-5 Years	Primaries 6-8 Years	Juniors 9-12 Years	Intermediates 13-16 Years	Young People 17-24 Years	Adults 25 Years and Up	Extension Department	General and Departmental Officers	Total Enrollment—Main School and Mission Including All Officers, Teachers and Pupils	What Is Your Average Attendance	Baptisms from Sunday School	Is The School Graded?	Is It Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Diplomas	Enrollment of Vacation School	Average Attendance of Vacation School.
Balfour	W. E. Hammond, Balfour		20	36	28	40	95	62		21	302	233	1				162	145
Bat Cave	T. L. Mann, Bat Cave	2	10		9	11	10	34		5	76	35					16	14
Bear Wallow	J. B. Wall, Gerton		5		6	8		13		8	40	30						
Berea	Raymond Ward, H-ville		10			12		10		5	37	20	2					
Beulah	J. L. Huggins, Hendersonville			18	24	15	30	35		12	134	60	9					
Bread River	No Report																	
Calvary	No Report																	
Cedar Springs	Alvin Allen, Zirconia											50						
Crab Creek	No Report																	
Cross Roads	M. L. Jones, Zirconia		15		10		15	10		6	56	30						
Dana	Arnold Hill, Rt. 2, H-ville	6	10	9	22	15			14		110	65		Yes				
Double Springs	Dean Ward, Zirconia		5	14	23	25	6	16			89	50	6		2			
East Flat Rock	M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	10	25	45	34	49	97	65	24	31	390	191	2	Yes			77	59
Ebenezer	No Report																	
Etowah	G. O. Morgan, Etowah		16	17	23	18	45	19			138	60						
Fletcher	N. B. Baldwin, Fletcher		15	12	23	18	46	24		21	159	95	6	Yes		1		
French Broad	Walter G. Hooper, Horse Shoe			5	10	15	10	20			70	52						
Fruitland	Howard Pryor, H-ville	10	5	10	27	30	25	35			141	85	3	Yes		5		
Hendersonville, 1st	W. B. Sinclair, Hendersonville	112	38	89	107	125	79	370	69	54	1043	450	11	Yes		5	322	246
Hooper's Creek	R. C. Wilkie, Fletcher		20	15	10	16	18	30		21	130	130		Yes				
Horse Shoe	Finley Pace, Hendersonville		11	16		11	28	26			92	50						
Jones' Gap	Charles O. Mace, Hendersonville			15	15		23	25			85	78	3					

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Table III — Baptist Training Union of Carolina Association — August 6, 1941

CHURCHES	DIRECTOR OF TRAINING UNION	Adult Unions	Young People's Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Total Unions Story Hours	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	Total Enrolled Unions and Story Hours	Total Number Daily Bible Readers	Number Taking Study Course	Total Systematic Givers In All Unions	Number of Unions A-1 for One Quarter	Students In College From Your Church
Balfour	P. O. Balfour	1	1				2	13	20				33	13	13			
Bat Cave	No Report																	
Bear Wallow	Verna R. Huntley, Gerton, N. C.	1			1		2	14			7		21	11	13	15		
Berea	No Report																	
Beulah	No Report																	
Cedar Springs	No Report																	
Cross Roads	No Report																	
Dana	Sola May Hill, Flat Rock	1	1	1	1	1	5	15	14	17	6	10	62	33	38	43		1
Double Springs	No Report																	
East Flat Rock	E. L. Porter, East Flat Rock	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	14	13	8	18	65	30	29	30		3
Ebenezer	No Report																	
Etowah	No Report																	
Fletcher	Abner Garren	1	1				2	7	11				18	12	11	18	1	1
French Broad	No Report																	
Fruitland	Roy Jones, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1		4	17	25	15	17		74	31	35	58		4
Hendersonville, 1st	Miss Nancy Barton	2	2	3	1	1	9	28	29	43	19	28	147	90	99	117	3	14
Hooper's Creek	No Report																	
Horse Shoe	No Report																	
Jones' Gap	No Report																	
Locust Grove	No Report																	
Middle Fork	No Report																	
Mills River	Chas. Sitton, Horse Shoe	1			1		2	12			10		22	15	17	22		

Mt. Gilead	Claud Ballard, Naples		1					23				23	10	15	23		
Mt. Moriah	Albert Hill, Edneyville		1		1		2		16		16		32		9		8				5
Mt. Zion	No Report																				
Mtn. Home	Claude Justice, Edneyville	1		1	1	1	4	20		30	20	10	80								
Mtn. Valley	No Report																				
Mud Creek	Roy Huggins, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	11	20	18	5	64	31	32	64					
Oak Grove	No Report																				
Pacolet	No Report																				
Pleasant Grove	No Report																				
Refuge	Grady Walker, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	15	18	22	11	5	71	47	59	43		2			
Saluda	E. M. Bostick, Saluda			1	1		2			11	8		19	6		8		3			
Shaw's Creek	Joe Anders, Hendersonville		1	1	1	1	4		12	15	10	8	45	15	21						
Tryon, 1st	R. E. Brantley, Tryon	1	1		1		3	10	25		5		40								
Tuxedo	Jack Cleveland, Tuxedo	1	1	2	1	1	6	9	24	34	10	17	94	28	61	48	1	2			
Valley Hill	Mrs. R. Harding, Hendersonville	1	1	2	1	1	6	18	16	34	18	6	92	56	44	72					
Warrior Mtn.	No Report																				
West Hendersonville	H. F. Cantrell, H-ville	1	1				2	30	12				42	4	9	7					

Table V. CHURCH PROPERTY OF CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION August 6, 1941

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When Was It Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Department Assembly Rooms	Number Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Insurance Carried
Balfour	E. S. Justus, Hendersonville	Yes	190[illegible]	Brick	450	11			$ 9,000	$	$ 9,000	$	$ 7,500
Bat Cave	W. H. Garvin, Bat Cave	Yes	189[illegible]	Wood	300	6		6	5,000		5,000		2,000
Bear Wallow	R. M. V. Merrill, Gerton	Yes	1929	Wood	250	3			3,500		3,500		
Berea	Raymond Ward, H-ville	Yes	192[illegible]	Wood	150	1			300		300		
Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, H-ville	Yes	1910	Wood	250	2		6	2,500		2,500		
Cedar Springs	W. P. Bane, Zirconia	Yes	190[illegible]	Wood	200	1			500		600		
Cross Roads	Miss Virgie Russell, Zirconia	Yes	1912	Wood	250	1			2,000		2,000		
Dana	Mrs. W. T. Willis, Rt. 2, H-ville	Yes	1937	Brick	300	8	2	8	8,500	3,000	11,500	1,100.00	4,000
Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia	Yes	1926	Stone	500	11	11	10	10,000		10,000		
East Flat Rock	Roy Bennison, East Flat Rock	Yes	1911	Wood	400	3	3	9	10,000		10,000		3,000
Ebenezer	B. C. Marlowe, Hendersonville	Yes	1817	Wood					6,000		6,000		5,000
Etowah	Miss Annie Mae Parker	Yes	1926	Brick	200	1	1	7	2,000		2,000		
Fletcher	Howard Crook, Fletcher	Yes	1926	Brick	350	10	1	10	20,000	5,000	25,000		3,000
French Broad	Mrs. Elinor W. Heymann, H-ville	Yes	1906	Brick	350	1	4	4	3,000		3,500		3,000
Fruitland	A. P. Pittilo, Hendersonville	No									2,000		
Hendersonville, 1st	W. H. Cale, Hendersonville	Yes	1844	Brick	700	48	7	48	77,000		77,000		24,000
Hooper's Creek	Vollie Suttles, Fletcher	Yes		Wood	600	1			3,000		5,000		

Horse Shoe	Mrs. H. P. Houk, Horse Shoe	Yes	1906	Wood	250	2	2	2	2,000		2,000		
Jones' Gap	A. F. Finley, Hendersonville	Yes	1913	Wood	250	1			2,000		2,000		
Locust Grove	Melvin Brevard, Hendersonville	Yes	1898	Wood	150	1			500		500		
Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow, Rt. 2	Yes	1925	Wood	150	1			1,000		1,000		
Mills River	G. C. Field, Horse Shoe	Yes	1902	Wood	200	3	1	2	2,000		2,000		
Mt. Gilead	Mrs. Marie Crawford, Horse Shoe	Yes	1913	Wood	250	1					1,000		1,000
Mt. Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville	Yes	1896	Wood	500	1			3,500		3,500		
Mt. Zion	J. E. Cox, Rt. 2, H-ville	Yes	1834	Logs	100	1		3	500		500		
Mtn. Home	V. O. Lamb, Edneyville	Yes	1892	Wood	400	7		6	2,000		2,000		
Mtn. Valley	H. L. Maybin, Zirconia	Yes	1931	Wood	180	1			1,500		1,500		
Mud Creek	Bill Mathews, Hendersonville	Yes	1900	Wood	500	14		14	5,000		5,000		2,250
Oak Grove	General Case, Flat Rock	Yes	1919	Wood	300	1			2,000		2,000		
Pacelot	W. K. Ross, Lynn	Yes	1910	Wood	200	10	2	4	5,000		5,000		3,600
Pleasant Grove	Walter H. Gray, H-ville	Yes	1921	Wood	200	3		2	2,000		2,100		
Refuge	Annie Marie Jackson, Flat Rock	Yes	1885	Wood	500	16	2	14	6,000		6,100		1,500
Saluda	E. B. Hall, Saluda	Yes	1892	Wood	200	5	1	4	2,000		2,000		2,000
Shaw's Creek	Claud M. Drake, Hendersonville	Yes	1928	Brick	300	10	1	10	5,000		5,000		5,000
Tryon, 1st	J. B. Hester, Tryon	Yes	1891	Wood	250	14	3	14	17,500	5,000	17,500	2,343.75	11,000
Tryon, 2nd	L. W. Corn, Tryon	No											
Tuxedo	S. W. Bayne, Tuxedo	Yes	1926	Wood	250	13	13	13	10,000		10,000		4,000
Valley Hill	A. F. Hamilton, H-ville	Yes	1908	W&B	360	15	2	13	2,875		2,875		2,000
West Hendersonville	Russell Hazeltine, H-ville	Yes	1936	Wood	350	3		2	2,200		2,200		

Table VI. **GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH OF CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION** **August 6, 1941**

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Pastor's Salary	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs	Church Debt and Interest	Incidentals	Literature for Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. and W. M. S.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing the Minutes anad Clerk of Association	Other Objects	(Local Work) Total for Local Purposes Given by the Church and All Its Organizations	Number of Tithers
Balfour	W. E. Hammond, Balfour	895.33		120.40	322.29	67.48	344 0[illegible]	96.32		5.80	15.00	1,867.69	
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	327.49			15.00		65.8[illegible]	21.83	25.00		17.21	467.40	5
Bear Wallow	Ruth Merrill, Gerton	155.01		23.75	109.00		29.2[illegible]	25.14		1.65	35.40	379.15	7
Berea	No Treasurer	60.63			15.00			8.00				83.63	
Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, Hendersonville	184.34		31.32			42.0[illegible]	26.30				283.96	
Cedar Springs	T. J. Ward, Zirconia	162.48			92.65		17.44	18.03		2.00		292.60	
Cross Roads	General Heatherly, Zirconia	47.69		1.81	40.00		11.10	9.70		1.00		111.30	
Dana	George Hill, H'ville, Rt. 2	860.69		19.68	1,533.75	300.00	103.56	73.68	18.01	4.00	24.67	2,937.55	40
Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia	103.60		22.60			9.60	9.20				145.00	
East Flat Rock	Hugh D. Morrison, H'ville	1,074.63		96.00	7.54		178.5[illegible]	259.39	33.69	10.00		1,649.79	65
Ebenezer	J. R. Searcy, H'ville	315.25	37.40		3,300.00		84.46	58.51	50.43	2.35	27.43	3,825.83	
Etowah	G. O. Morgan, Etowah	250.58		28.00	567.05		25 61	37.95	30.35	2.70		941.89	8
Fletcher	Mrs. Abner Garren, Fletcher	429.21		27.50	175.00		118.94	60.12	30.35	4.33	14.31	859.76	12
French Broad	Mrs. R. M. Pinson, H'ville	200.61		12.57	142.23		104.35	37.95	30.00	2.70	42.68	522.54	
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, H'ville	300.00	65.00		149.35		37.50	97.65	50.00	3.00	11.45	713.95	
H'ville, First	B. B. Massagee, H'ville	3,600.00	1,156.15	56.60	4,346.81		2,896.11	634.35	441.95	15.00	74.15	13,221.12	146
Hoopers Creek	No Treasurer	279.49		78.00	15.00		36.0[illegible]			2.00		405.49	
Horse Shoe	J. C. He[illegible]ner, H'ville	287.89				110.00	33.37	34.10	8.00	2.00	35.78	511.14	

Jones Gap	No Treasurer	50.00					12.00	12.00				74.00	
Locust Grove	No Treasurer							7.00		1.00		8.00	
Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow	74.24		25.00	48.38		3.25	10.00				160.87	
Mills River	Chas. Sitton, Horse Shoe	36.99	63.54				56.20	30.73			6.69	194.22	
Mt. Gilead	Posey Glenn, Arden	243.23	3.76	5.00	217.30		38.8	42.12	5.00	5.00	57.75	619.96	14
Mt. Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville	172.93			315.00		28.43	40.71	14.10	2.00	12.30	585.47	2
Mt. Zion	J. E. Cox, Rt. 2, H'ville	75.00			8.00			8.00		1.00		92.00	
Mtn. Home	No Treasurer	304.64		75.75	275.00		35.74	19.78	36.21	2.20		749.32	5
Mtn. Valley	H. L. Maybin, Zirconia	90.00						25.00		2.60		117.60	
Mud Creek	Spurgeon Pace, H-ville	529.78		25.65	64.93		205.11	124.91	24.33	7.00	42.53	1,024 24	10
Oak Grove	Mrs. Ethel Stepp, Flat Rock	115.00			2.00		70.58	20.00	12.00	2.00		107.73	10
Pacolet	Miss Jennie Ballard, Tryon	598.00		40.00	11.05		184.35	59.18				892.58	5
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Robert Wilson, H-vi-lle				80.00		12.00	12.00				104 00	
Refuge	Mrs. B. E. Hyder, Dana	356.97	8.11	67.08	481.29		119.56	119.52	268.13	1.00	16.31	1,437.97	13
Saluda	R. L. Savage, Saluda	630.00		51.60	113.48		58.46	45.34	17.45	4.00	58.76	979.09	4
Shaws Creek	Hubert Orr, H-ville	780.86			229.04		200.85	93.76	8.90	3.00		1,316.41	36
Tryon, First	B. L. Ballenger, Tryon	1,352.00			179.50	375.00	473.81	139.16		5 00	216.70	2.741.17	5
Tryon, Second	W. T. Cantrell, Tryon	195.00	181.00	6.00	27.00		72.0	54.00	45.00	2.00	98.75	635.75	
Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	936.00		72.73	58.10		257.08	287.52	130.05	10.00		1,801.48	10
Valley Hill	L. L. Morris, H'ville	484.31		29.79			155.08	127.54	2.00	3.50		802.22	24
West H'ville	Mrs. Horace W. Jones, H'ville	207.15		35.30	181 00	73.67	55.3	75.29	15 22	2.50	5.25	650.72	12

Table VII. Gifts for Missions, Education and all Benevolences, Carolina Baptist Association August 6, 1941

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Total to Co-operative Program	Special to Associational Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Schools and Colleges	Special to Theological Seminaries	Special to Orphanage	Special to Hospitals	Special to Old Ministers' Relief	Hundred Thousand Club	Red Cross and Foreign Relief	(Missions, Etc.) Total Given for Missions and Benevolences by the Church and All Departments	Grand Total for All Purposes—Both Local Work and Missions—Given by Church and All Its Organizations
Balfour	W. E. Hammond, Balfour				11.80				101.00	17.62				130.42	1,992.11
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	66.57		6.56	7.16	11.38			84.09	8.31			50.00	234.07	701.47
Bear Wallow	Ruth Merrill, Gerton	8.87							7.14					16.01	395.16
Berea	No Treasurer	3.10												3.10	86.73
Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, Hendersonville	33.81							30.28	12.00				76.09	360.05
Cedar Springs	F. J. Ward, Zirconia	9.45							8.14					17.59	310.19
Cross Roads	General Heatherly, Zirconia								9.75					9.75	121.05
Dana	George Hill, H'ville, Rt. 2	138.93		16.70	15.50	9.56	4.51		67.41			27.00	116.70	396.31	3,333.86
Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia													145.00	145.00
East Flat Rock	Hugh D. Morrison, H'ville	49.62	20.00	23.90	63.22	100.00			442.87	20.10	37.80	13.30		770.81	2,420.60
Ebenezer	J. R. Searcy, H'ville								77.67					3,825.83	3,903.50
Etowah	G. O. Morgan, Etowah	13.00							89.70	10.00		19.18		131.88	1,073.77
Fletcher	Mrs. Abner Garren, Fletcher	33.04		8.88					54.95	5.36			1.61	103.84	963.60
French Broad	Mrs. R. M. Pinson, H'ville	25.00							22.88					47.88	570.42
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, H'ville	58.71	12.00	25.25	98.60	25.12			114.20	26.48	12.00	14.00		306.36	1,020.30
H'ville, First	B. B. Massagee, H'ville	3,247.61	20.00	5.00		82.90	59.50		480.68	15.65	55.00	37.00	32.93	4,036.27	17,257.39
Hoopers Creek	No Treasurer				19.03				7.78					26.81	427.30
Horse Shoe	J. C. Hefner, H-ville								46.91	3.12				511.14	561.17
Jones Gap	No Treasurer													74.00	74.00
Locust Grove	No Treasurer													8.00	8.00

Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow								6.78	19.90				26.68	187.55
Mills River	Chas. Sitton, Horse Shoe	108.42			2.70	5.30			37.84	10.08			22.48	186.82	381.04
Mt. Gilead	Posey Glenn, Arden				2.59	5.66			41.69	10.00				59.94	679.90
Mt. Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville	27.38		8.15					10.66	.70	12.00	6.00		64.89	650.36
Mt. Zion	J. E. Cox, Rt. 2, H'ville	10.00							5.00					15 00	107.00
Mtn. Home	No Treasurer								33.66					33.66	782.98
Mtn. Valley	H. L. Maybin, Zirconia														117.60
Mud Creek	Spurgeon Pace, H'ville	98.15	24.00						14.50	19.14				155.79	1,180.03
Oak Grove	Mrs. Ethel Stepp, Flat Rock									1.60				1.60	109.33
Pacolet	Miss Jennie Ballard, Tryon									14.00				14.00	906.58
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Robert Wilson, H'ville				35.02				15.00					50.02	154.02
Refuge	Mrs. B. E. Hyder, Dana	162.86	4.90						31.30	12.08				211.14	1,649.11
Saluda	R. L. Savage, Saluda	147.30		6.55	5.45	72.25		1.00	21.84	4.00		19.30		277.69	1,256.78
Shaws Creek	Hubert Orr, H'ville	94.43			9.00				12.00				57.00	172.43	1,488.84
Tryon, First	B. L. Ballenger, Tryon	209.02		30.52	17.30	16.10		10.32	77.54	10.00		48.00	20.15	438.95	3.180.12
Tryon, Second	W. T. Cantrell, Tryon								48.00					48.00	683.75
Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	32.25					1.80		60.77	28.82			4.00	126.84	1,930.12
Valley Hill	L. L. Morris, H'ville			25.00	29.74	38.31			28.73	21.79				143.57	845.79
West H'ville	Mrs. Horace W. Jones, H'ville	41.05							41.05	5.53				87.63	738.35

W. M. S. REPORT

Church	Societies	No. Members	No. Miss. Study Classes	No. Tithers	Sp. Offer. to Missions	Sub. To Royal Service	No. Mem. to H. T. C.	Offering to Co-Operative Program	Special Offering To Missions	Special Offering to Orphanage and Hosp.	Gifts to H. T. C.	Presidents
Bat Cave	1	7	1	1	..	3	..	6.46	.....	25.00	....	Mrs. T. L. Mann
Beulah	1	13	1	4	..	6	1	....4.00	.....	....	6.00	Mrs. B. B. Bly
Dana	1	15	4	8	4	3	..	50.90	24.26	5.00	....	Mrs. E. L. Marshall
East Flat Rock	1	20	2	10	3	8	1	34 87	128.30	....	4.30	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
Etowan	1	11	..	2	..	..	..	12.00	6.00	20.23	....	Mrs. Vera Morgan
Fruitland	1	15	2	10	3	5	1	56.21	26.22	9.99	15.25	Mrs. A. A. Prestwood
Fletcher	1	20	4	2	3	2	1	22.50	6.25	9.98	18.00	Mrs. F. M. Huggins
Hendersonville 1st	1	118	14	35	4	25	16	1,729.06	5.05	1.00	3.00	Mrs. T. S. Mulliken
Mt. Morian	1	15	2	..	3	2	1	1.63	.....	....	....	Mrs. Alonzo Rhodes
Pacolet	1	11	3	4	..	2	..	.....	23.00	68.30	....	Mrs. Albert Sproles
Refuge	1	12	2	2	3	2	..	45.00	132.52	5.00	96.00	Mrs. Roy C. Bennett
Saluda	1	14	4	6	3	10	1	130.65	12.60	1.00	1.60	Mrs. E. M. Bostic
Tuxedo	1	16	2	4	..	3	2	2.40	24.97	....	....	Mrs. W. W. Worley
Tryon	1	60	3	10	4	20	4	.....	.....	....	....	Mrs. B. G. Henry

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DOUBLE SPRINGS—H. O. Hudson, L. M. Ward, W. T. Shipman, C. W. Shipman.

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PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION

The sixty-sixth annual session of the Carolina Baptist Association met with the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville, August 4-5, 1942. Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. M. A. Kizer, of Saluda. The Roll of Churches was called as the messengers stood.

The following officers were elected: D. G. Wilkie, Moderator; M. L. Walker, Vice-Moderator; Charles B. Vause, Clerk; M. K. Sinclair, Treasurer; Noah Hollowell, Auditor and Historian; A. I. Justice, Assistant Historian; W. W. Worley, Recorder Representative.

The program was adopted as proposed by the committee. Visitors were recognized by Brother Victor Rector, the Moderator.

During the Pastor's Hour, with M. L. Walker in charge, brief reports were given by the pastors of about twenty churches.

The Historian's report was given by Noah Hollowell.

The following committees were appointed by the Moderator: RESOLUTIONS: C. M. Heymann, Mrs. John Perry, Mrs. Junius Huggins; RECEPTION OF NEW CHURCHES: A. J. Nielsen, B. G. Henry, M. A. Kizer; NOMINATIONS: N. A. Melton, M. L. Walker, M. L. Lewis; TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER: W. W. Worley, A. I. Justice, J. B. Guice.

Brother M. L. Lewis made the motion that the Association for 1943 meet in one church the first day and another the second day. After discussion the motion was carried.

Brother Charles A. Leonard, Sr., returned missionary from Manchuria, led in prayer. The sermon by Rev. N. A. Melton on "Vital Religion" made a profound impression on the audience. Adjourned for lunch.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The devotionals were led by Rev. Otto Parham, pastor of Balfour Church, after which the following reports were read and adopted: State Missions, by L. B. Morrison; Home Missions, by N. A. Melton; Foreign Missions, read by F. M. Huggins, prepared by A. V. Reese; Ministers' Relief and Retirement Plan, by D. G. Wilkie.

Brother M. A. Huggins, our State Secretary, was introduced and took charge of the program to present the missionary enterprise. The present members of the Executive Committee were introduced: T. C. Johnson, Kinston; A. D. Kimmett, Burlington; R. C. Foster, Leaksville; R. R. McCullom, Clayton; Winston Pierce, Durham; B. E. Morris, Durham.

Secretary Huggins spoke encouragingly about the progress of our work in the State, indicating that over one million dollars had been raised for the cause of Christ at home and abroad during this year.

Rev. Talmadge C. Johnson, of Kinston, spoke about the challenge to North Carolina Baptists through the concentration of great numbers of people in connection with the construction and operation of the military camps.

Rev. Winston Pierce, of Durham, spoke on the deeper meaning of all these things.

Dr. Charles A. Leonard, Sr., returned missionary from China, related interesting facts about the work of our Foreign Mission Board.

The report on Temperance and Public Morals was given by Mr. J. E. Shipman, who then introduced Dr. M. A. Adams, a temperance lecturer representing the dry forces of North Carolina. Rev. F. M. Huggins pre-

sented the resolutions relative to the liquor question. The resolutions were adopted. An offering, amounting to $5.45, was taken to help Mr. Adams in his work.

TUESDAY NIGHT SESSION

The evening session at 8:00 o'clock was in charge of Mrs. Ethan P. Huggins, Associational B. T. U. Director, and Roy Huggins, Associational Sunday School Superintendent. Miss Nancy Barton, B. T. U. Director of the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville, conducted the devotional, which was in the form of a Daily Vacation Bible School feature.

The address of the evening was made by Dr. I. G. Greer, Superintendent of Thomasville Orphanage.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION

The second day of the sixty-sixth session began with a devotional by Rev. T. E. Thompson, who spoke briefly on Stewardship of Time, Faith, Lost Souls, Homes, and Property. Rev. N. B. Phillips led the prayer.

Report on the Woman's Work was given by Mrs. O. J. Smith, after which, Mrs. J. Ray Arnold, Superintendent of Lake County Association in Florida, spoke of the work in her county, mentioning especially camps for G. A.'s and R. A.'s and Association School of Missions. Motion was made that the Woman's Work be given the hour before the sermon on the first day of the Association meeting next year. This motion was adopted together with the report.

Rev. T. E. Thompson spoke on the Pre-requisite of Missions, using the Great Commission as his Scripture. Prayer for rededication of our lives was led by Rev. B. G. Henry.

Motions for adoption of B. T. U. and Sunday School reports were made and carried.

Rev. Lawrence Erwin gave the report of the Orphanage, after which Dr. I. G. Greer brought a most inspiring message on orphanage work, using "Let Us Make Man" from Genesis 1:26 as a basis for his remarks.

The report on Periodicals was given by R. G. Anders. This report was adopted as read.

Dr. Edgar Bomar spoke on Religious Literature.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Rev. W. W. Worley led the opening song, "Savior, Like a Shepherd, Lead Us." Rev. E. R. Bartlett's devotional remarks were based on the visit of Jesus to the temple.

The report on Promotion by Rev. W. W. Worley was given briefly through his energetic and uplifting message in behalf of the work of our denomination.

M. L. Walker gave the report on Christian Education, introducing B. M. Canup from Mars Hill College, who then, after bringing greetings from that institution, spoke on the subject of Christian Education.

A motion was made and carried that the Fruitland Institute matter be discussed. J. Foy Justice then gave his report, which will be found elsewhere in the minutes. The motion about the conveyance of that property to the State Mission and Home Mission Boards was made by Rev. C. M. Heymann, Jr., and seconded by Rev. B. E. Wall. It passed unanimously. A vote of thanks for work of the men who had worked so hard on this matter was given.

After the report on Hospitals by Rev. M. L. Lewis, Superintendent Smith Hagaman of Winston-Salem, discussed the report.

The following committee reports were made: Resolutions by Rev. C. M. Heymann, Jr; Nominations by M. L. Walker; Time, Place and Preacher by Rev. J. B. Guice (Fletcher first day, Rev. W. W. Worley preacher; East Flat Rock second day, Rev. Otto Parham preacher); Obituaries by Rev. N. B. Phillips.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SESSION

A special service was held in honor of Rev. A. I. Justice, who had served faithfully in the ministry for more than seventy years. R. G. Anders, Superintendent of Henderson County Schools, made a stirring and appropriate address about this truly great and good man.

The Association, after prayer, adjourned.

REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS

Jesus said, "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel," beginning at Jerusalem. Our State Board has been doing what we Baptists have been willing to let them do in carrying out the command of Jesus: by ministering to the sick through our hospital, by caring for the orphans through our two orphanage homes, also by helping to pay the salaries of pastors of weak churches.

The Master said to His disciples two thousand years ago, "The fields are white already unto harvest, but the laborers are few." Since our nation has entered the war and begun a vast defense program there is a crying need for more funds to provide more laborers to work with the chaplains of our camps and the pastors of the churches near the location of our camps. If some of our young men are not won to Christ while in camp they may never be won.

Let me urge every Christian who reads this report to be much in prayer for all our work, but don't stop with praying—give God the tenth of your income. Then don't stop with that—sacrifice until it hurts that Christ's Kingdom might go on in a mighty way in these perilous times.

Respectfully submitted,

L. B. MORRISON.

REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS

In a very real sense all of our missionary endeavor is one work, but for convenience and efficiency of operation we have State Missions, Foreign Missions, and Home Missions.

By Home Missions is meant the work within the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention and including Cuba. For ninety-seven years now Southern Baptists have been engaged in doing the Lord's work in the Southland in a cooperative way through the agency of the Home Mission Board, which is located in Atlanta, Ga.

The Home Mission Board is committed to the task of making and keeping our homeland Christian. This is a tremendous undertaking since over half the population is not affiliated with any church and there are more than twenty-five language groups as well as the various tribes of American Indians.

A glorious work in evangelism throughout the whole Southland has

been led by Dr. Roland Q. Leavell. Sometimes it is an individual church effort, and again it may be a city-wide or even an associational campaign in which many ministers and churches are engaged at the same time. Thousands are thus being won to Christ and to the churches.

Among the Spanish-speaking people of Texas, New Mexico, and Florida more than 100 missionaries are constantly laboring. Among the French-speaking of Louisiana and central Illinois we carry on both mission work and school work. In several cities missionaries minister to the needs of Italians, Chinese, and other foregin-speaking peoples.

Another important phase of the work is that among the Indians. Sixteen workers are reported among the Blanket Indians with nine tribes as their field and composing the Oklahoma Indian Baptist Association. There are five civilized tribes including the Cherokees of our Carolina mountains and their more numerous cousins of the west. Also we have work among four groups of Indians in New Mexico and Arizona and there are two missionaries among some five or six thousand Indians of southern Alabama.

The Home Mission Board has three rescue centers, two in New Orleans, and one in Jacksonville, Fla., and a half dozen good-will centers in large cities. There is also maintained a cooperative work with the various state mission boards and with our Negro Baptists throughout the South.

Respectfully submitted,

N. A. MELTON.

REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS

So much has been said in describing the terror of our times that we need to say only that we are passing through long, dark days and that we are looking forward hopefully and prayerfully to the coming of the "breath of brighter morrows."

Through its 464 missionaries and its thousands of native workers, the Foreign Mission Board has continued this year its program of education, evangelism, and healing in Africa, Asia, Europe, South America, and the Hawaiian Islands.

The indebtedness of the Board, which was $1,110,000.00 when Dr. Maddry became Executive Secretary, has now been reduced to $128,000.00. The response to appeals has been most encouraging and it looks now as if the burden of indebtedness may be rolled away by the end of 1943. Let us pray and work toward that end.

The women of the Southern Baptist Convention have become even more than ever before an indispensable part of the World Christian Mission. Their Lottie Moon Christmas offering this year reached the sum of $449,162.48.

Southern Baptists have the largest number of missionaries under appointment in Africa they have ever had, a total of sixty. Dr. George Green reports that the progress of the work there has not been impeded by world conditions. Pagans and Mohammedans are finding the conquering Christ in this land of darkness. Because of the sinkings along the Atlantic seaboard, it has not seemed wise to send out new workers.

It has been necessary for missionaries to be withdrawn from war areas of Europe and the Near East. One missionary remains in Barcelona. Our Board is also helping with the salaries of Spanish pastors.

As informed Baptists know, some of our missionaries in the Orient are now prisoners of war. Of one of these, Maxfield Garrott, a prisoner

in Tokyo, Mr. Cordell Hull sent Mrs. Garrott the following information: "Maxfield Garrott is still very busy, is happy, and sends love."

From Dr. M. T. Rankin, in Stanley Prison in Hong Kong, has come the urgent appeal for Southern Baptists to go forward to grasp the opportunities in Free China.

Surely we Baptists of the Carolina Association join Dr. J. R. Saunders and Dr. B. J. Cauthen in saying, "We earnestly urge that prayer without ceasing be made for these prisoners of the Lord Jesus Christ, that their lives be spared and their essential needs be met, and that all these sufferings and hardships may prepare our people here and in the homeland, as nothing else could, for the great onward movement of giving the Gospel of God's grace to the untouched millions of the Orient who have never heard."

May we pray, may we work, may we give in order that our Foreign Mission cause may prosper as never before!

Respectfully submitted,

A. V. REESE.

REPORT ON MINISTERS' RETIREMENT PLAN

The Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention has been organized 24 years and has made a great record of service and growth.

Its assets grew from a little over $100,000.00 at the end of the first year of operation to approximately five and a half million dollars by the end of 1941. Its income during the year 1941 was $1,147,678.84, while its expenditures in relief and annuity benefits amounted to more than one-half million dollars.

The number of preachers participating in the plan is approximately 6,000 and the number of churches 8,000.

The following is a financial report of the North Carolina Ministers and Church Employes Retirement Plan as of December 31, 1941:

Income 1940-1941

Payment by Members	$34,791.15
Contributions by Church and Convention	43,062.31
Interest earned on above (3¼%)	2,403.15
Total Income	$80,256.61

Disbursements 1940-1941

Payments to Beneficiaries:	
Age Annuities	$ 3,736.19
Disability Annuities	877.73
Widows' Annuities	118.37
Deduction for expenses (40% of ¼ of 1% of total salary basis)	869.79
Transfer to Annuity Reserve	1,591.50
Cash Withdrawals	375.64
Total Disbursements	$ 7,569.22
Balance in Reserve as of December 31, 1941, for Future Payments	$72,687.39

In the Ministers Plan of North Carolina there has been issued a total of 386 certificates. At present there are 262 memberships paid up

to date with 85 additional in fair standing. Some have dropped out or moved to other states.

Since January 1, this year, 30 new members have been enrolled; 18 have retired; about 36 are eligible for retirement and four are receiving disability benefits.

We would suggest that pastors and churches take advantage of this retirement plan. Further information may be secured from Secretary M. A. Huggins, Raleigh, N. C.

Respectfully submitted,

D. G. WILKIE.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF FRUITLAND INSTITUTE

To the Carolina Baptist Association Held With the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville, August 5, 1942

At the regular annual session of the Carolina Baptist Association held with French Broad Baptist Church, August 4-5, 1936, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, the Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute has been compelled to suspend operation of the school for the present year by reason of its embarrassing indebtedness, and,

"Whereas, it appears possible that the school may not be in position to re-open unless additional funds are procured in an amount beyond present prospects and possibility, and,

"Whereas, it appears that an early settlement of a portion in the indebtedness is imperative,

"Be it, therefore, Resolved:

"That with full confidence in the Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute to manage the affairs of the institution and its property to the best advantage, we hereby authorize and empower said Board, in the matter of adjusting the indebtedness of the institution to use its full discretion in the disposition of the property and if, in the judgment of said Board, it should become necessary or advisable to sell, mortgage, lease or convey the school's property or any part thereof, then such action by the Board of Trustees is hereby in all respects ratified and confirmed. In the event of liquidation of the assets of the school by the Board of Trustees as hereby authorized and after payment of all its just obligations, there should remain any funds on hand, then the Board of Trustees is hereby further authorized to use its full discretion in the disposition of such surplus in any manner that it may think best for the furtherance of the Kingdom."

The Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute, under the authority of the aforesaid resolution, has made diligent effort to adjust the indebtedness of the institution and, as it has become more apparent that the continued operation of the school is impractical, the cooperation and advise of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina has been sought as to what disposition should be made of the property.

On January 10, 1941, at a meeting of the Board of Trustees, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Whereas, Fruitland Institute was founded and for many years supported solely by the efforts and contributions of the Baptist people and friends within the boundary of the Carolina Baptist Association, until the

year 1908 when, at the urgent request of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention and in consideration of said Home Board's assuming an indebtedness then outstanding of $858.00, the said Carolina Association directed the local Board of Trustees to convey the legal title to the school's property to said Home Mission Board upon condition that the management of the institution and its property would remain as in the past exclusively in the said local Board and with the further provision that no sale or disposition of the property would ever be made by said Home Mission Board without the consent of the local Trustees, and,

"Whereas, the local Board of Trustees and Home Mission Board jointly and in a spirit of Christian brotherhood cooperated in the maintenance of the institution from the year 1908 until the year 1933, during which time additional buildings and other improvements were made until the school's property represented a total investment of about $135,000.00, about one half of which was contributed by Home Mission Board and the remainder by the local churches through the efforts of the said local Board and teachers employed by said local Board together with donations of the friends of the school whose interest had been enlisted through local effort, and,

"Whereas, the said Home Mission Board in the year 1926 by reason of its own financial embarrassment, was compelled to borrow a very large sum of money for which bonds were issued and incidental to which and as security therefor, the local Board was requested by said Home Mission Board to give consent that the property of the school might be pledged as part payment, which said request was granted by the local Board with full confidence that the said Home Mission Board, as an agency of the Southern Baptist Convention, would fully meet all its moral and financial obligations, and,

"Whereas, by reason of the continued financial distress of said Home Mission Board, in the year 1933 said Home Mission Board was compelled to withdraw further support from the mountain schools, including Fruitland Institute, and notified the local Board that it would be unable to render further assistance but stated that if the local Board should so desire it would be satisfactory with said Home Mission Board for the local Board to continue to operate and maintain the institution, provided no liability should attach to said Home Mission Board, and further that as soon as the bonded indebtedness of the Home Mission Board, for the payment of which the school's property was mortgaged as above set forth, could be discharged, the Home Mission Board would re-convey the property to the local Board, thereby relinquishing all claim of title or equity in the property, and,

"Whereas, the local Board believed the said bonded indebtedness of the Home Mission Board would, in due course, be ultimately paid, and relying on the promise of the Home Mission Board to so re-convey the property unencumbered as a potential source of credit, the local Board did not immediately discontinue the operation of the school, but for three years thereafter, in response to the sentiment of the local Baptist people, as well as many requests received from friends of the school throughout the State and Southland, the local Board continued to keep the school open; but realizing that it was without funds with which to supplement the school's operating income, instructed the principal of the school during said period not to incur any indebtedness whatsoever beyond the limit of his ability to pay from income received in operating of the institution, and,

"Whereas, during the said three year period, the country was involved in a world-wide financial depression, and notwithstanding the efforts and

sacrifices of the teachers in the school, a deficit of about $5,500.00 was incurred, and,

"Whereas, due to changed conditions the local Board does not regard it as expedient to re-open the school without more financial support, and,

"Whereas, in obedience to a resolution of the Carolina Baptist Association, duly adopted at its annual meeting with the French Broad Church in the year 1936, the local Trustees have used every possible effort to enlist the interest of the organizations of the Baptist denomination to use the property in some manner that would best contribute to the advancement of the Kingdom, and,

"Whereas, the local Board, through its duly authorized committee and under the discretion vested in said local Board by the aforesaid resolution of the Carolina Association, made an offer to J. B. Lawrence, Secretary of said Home Mission Board that all local claims on the property of the school, both legal and equitable, would be surrendered to said Home Mission Board, so that the said Home Mission Board might dispose of the property to its own best interest, free from any moral obligation to the local Board or local interests, if said Home Mission Board would assume the aforesaid obligations of about $5,500.00 incurred as operating expenses, which said proposition was declined by the said Lawrence, and,

"Whereas, the local Board now feels that the said obligation rests as a moral obligation on the Baptist people, whose servants they were in maintaining and conducting the institution, and it is further the sense of the local Board that when the bonded indebtedness of the Home Mission Board is discharged and the property freed from this encumbrance, ownership of the property should become vested in some organized and widely representative agency of the Baptist denomination who will conserve its assets to the best interest of the cause of Christ, either by a coninued use of the property or a sale thereof with the proceeds invested to the best advantage, and,

"Whereas, it is the belief of the local Board that the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina is a proper agency to which said property may be entrusted,

"Be it, therefore, Resolved:

"First: That the local Board of Trustees, duly chartered under the laws of the State of North Carolina and elected as therein provided by the Carolina Baptist Association, pursuant to the authority vested in it by law and in conformity with the resolution of the Carolina Association above referred to, hereby propose to the North Carolina Baptist Convention that if said Convention will assume payment of the aforesaid indebtedness of not exceeding $5,500.00, incurred in operating the school, to be paid in such manner as may be agreed upon by the duly authorized agents of the Convention and the Executive Committee of the local Board of Trustees, the said local Board will, upon notice of acceptance of this proposition, assign, transfer and convey to the Trustees of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina all its right, title and interest, both legal and equitable, which it now has or may hereafter acquire, to the property of Fruitland Institute,

"Second: That if this offer is accepted by the Baptist State Convention, then, the President and Secretary of this Board be, and they are hereby, authorized, empowered and directed to execute to the Trustees of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina a valid deed, conveying all the property rights of this Board, both legal and equitable, which it has or may hereafter acquire, to the property of Fruitland Institute,

"Third: That in working out the details of this proposition, the Executive Committee of this Board is hereby vested with full authority to

negotiate with the General Board of the said Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and for and in behalf of this Board, to approve whatever and method of payment of the indebtedness of this Board by the said Convention which, in the discretion of said committee, may be proper and agreeable to the said Convention."

As a result of negotiations between this Board and the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, an agreement has been reached with respect to payment of the school's indebtedness by the said Convention and the further ownership and control of the property as set forth in the following resolution which was unanimously adopted at a meeting of the local Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute held in Hendersonville on July 24, 1942:

"Whereas, pursuant to a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute on January 10, 1941, a proposition was submitted to the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina that this Board would convey to said Convention all its right, title and interest, both legal and equitable in and to the property of Fruitland Institute on condition that said Convention would assume and agree to pay accounts with which this Board now stands charged and incurred for operating expenses and repair and maintenance of the property subsequent to the discontinuance of financial aid to the school by Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, such obligation to be so assumed by the Convention not to exceed the sum of Fifty-five Hundred ($5,500.00) Dollars; and,

"Whereas, since the adoption of the above-mentioned resolution and agreement has been reached whereby the said State Convention will assume and pay obligations of this Board as above set forth in a total amount not exceeding the said sum of Fifty-five Hundred ($5,500.00) Dollars, upon condition that a one-half undivided interest in the property of Fruitland Institute be conveyed by the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention to the Trustees of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, it being understood that Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention shall hold and own, with absolute, complete and unconditional power of disposal, title to the remaining one-half undivided interest in said property; and,

"Whereas, it is further understood and agreed that upon execution of quit-claim deed by this Board to Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention of all the right, title and interest which this Board has in and to the property of Fruitland Institute, and in respect of the disposal of same, that said Home Mission Board will immediately convey a one-half undivided interest in said property to Trustees of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina;

"Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, That for the purpose of consummating the agreements herein referred to, the President and Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute be and they are hereby authorized, empowered and directed, in the name and behalf of said Board, to execute and deliver to Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, a quit-claim deed to all the right, title, interest and estate, both legal and equitable, which this Board has in and to the property of Fruitland Institute, and in respect of the disposal of same."

Under the authority of the aforesaid resolution, the Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute has directed its proper officers to execute a deed to Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. A copy of this deed is hereto atached and made a part of this report. When properly executed and delivered to Home Mission Board all local control and responsibility with respect to the property of the school will be

transferred to the Trustees of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention and Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

It is the considered judgment of the Board of Trustees that as a Christian high school Fruitland Institute has served its purpose and the churches of the Carolina Baptist Association which have supported it so loyally throughout the years may look back upon its accomplishments with pride and humble satisfaction that the institution in its training of young people for Christian leadership has been used of God so notably in the advancement of the Kingdom. We earnestly hope that the two representative Baptist organizations which will now hold and control the property may find some use to be made of the property in keeping with its traditions of service to the cause of Christ and humanity.

Respectfully submitted,

BROADUS E. WALL,
J. FOY JUSTICE,
Committee.

COPY OF DEED

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF HENDERSON.

This Indenture, made this_____day of August in the year of our Lord One Thousand, Nine Hundred Forty-two, between The Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute (also known as Fruitland Institute), a corporation of the County of Henderson, and State of North Carolina, party of the first part, and Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, a corporation of the County of Fulton, and State of Georgia, party of the second part,

Witnesseth: That the said party of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of Ten ($10.00) Dollars cash to it in hand paid, and other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for the purpose hereinafter stated, has bargained, sold, and does by these presents bargain, sell, remise, release, and forever quit-claim to the said party of the second part, its successors and assigns forever, all the right, title, interest, estate, claim or demand which the said party of the first part has or ought to have in and to all those certain tracts or parcels of land lying and being in Clear Creek Township, County of Henderson, and State of North Carolina, more particularly described as follows:

First Tract: Beginning at a stone on the East side of Clear Creek Road at Margaret Moore's old corner, and runs thence with her line East 6 poles to a stone; thence with her old line South 42 degrees East 20 poles to a stake; thence South 55 degrees West 14½ poles to a chestnut; thence North 35 degrees West 14 poles to a Spanish oak, now down; thence South 60 degrees West 15 poles to a chinquepin stump; thence South 2 degrees West 6 poles and 18 links to a rock; thence South 75 degrees West 2 poles to a black-oak stump; thence North 16 degrees West 8 poles to a water-oak; then with the road to the beginning; being the same property conveyed by C. Oates and others to party of the second part herein by deed of date January 19, 1907, recorded in Book 54, Page 622 of the Deed Records of Henderson County, North Carolina;

Second Tract: Beginning on a stone, Drake's and Pittillo's heirs' corner, and runs South 40 degrees East 22 poles to a stone; thence South 50 degrees West 13 poles to a chestnut; thence North 40 degrees West 14 poles to a Spanish oak; thence South 57 degrees West 17 poles to a

stone; thence South 16 degrees East 6 poles to a stone; thence West 2 poles to a black-oak; thence North 16 degrees West 10 poles to a water-oak at the road; and thence with the road North 51 degrees East 24 poles to a stone; thence with the road to the beginning, containing 2½ acres; and being the same property embraced in deed from the Board of Education, Inc., of Henderson County, North Carolina, to party of the second part herein, acknowledged February 16, 1926, and recorded in Book 151, Page 599 of the Deed Records of Henderson County, North Carolina;

Third Tract: Beginning at a chestnut, a corner of the school house lot, and runs thence North 35 degrees West 6 poles to a stake; thence North 53 degrees East 14 poles to a stake in Samuel P. Pittillo's line; thence with his line South 38 degrees East 6 poles to a stake at the corner of the school house lot; thence with the line of the same South 53 degrees West 14 poles to the beginning, containing 84 poles; and being the third tract of land conveyed by the Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute, Inc., to party of the second part herein by deed of date October 19, 1908, recorded in Book 61, Page 277, and also embraced in deed of the Board of Education, Inc., of Henderson County, North Carolina, to party of the second part herein, acknowledged February 16, 1926, and recorded in Book 51, Page 599, of the Deed Records of Henderson County, North Carolina;

Fourth Tract: Beginning at a small black-oak near Z. V. Brevard's stock gate, and runs North 52 degrees East 17½ poles to a stake in Samuel P. Pittillo's line; thence North 38 degrees West with his line 29½ poles to a stake; thence South 53 degrees West 14 poles to a stake; thence North 35 degrees West 9½ poles to stake; thence South 60 degrees West 8 poles to a stake; thence East 7 poles to a stake; thence to the beginning, containing 3½ acres, more or less; and being the second tract conveyed by deed from Fruitland Institute, Inc., to party of the second part herein of date October 19, 1908, recorded in Book 61, Page 277, of the Deed Records of Henderson County, North Carolina;

Fifth Tract: Beginning on a stake in the branch, Mont Barnwell's line; and runs North 21 degrees West 18 7/8 poles to a red-oak, Barnwell's corner; thence North 33 degrees West 35½ poles to a stake North of the Fruitland (Girls') Dormitory, corner of the school lot; thence West 7 poles to a stake; thence South 58 degrees West 6 poles to a chinquapin stump, corner of the school lot; thence South 5 degrees West 3 poles to a stake in Pinner's line; thence South 28½ degrees East 55 3/4 poles to a rock at the branch in J. J. Fisher's line; thence with the branch to the beginning, containing 5 acres, more or less; and being the same property conveyed by C. E. Pinner and wife to party of the second part herein by deed of date December 2, 1912, recorded in Book 81, Page 22, of the Deed Records of Henderson County, North Carolina;

Sixth Tract: Beginning at a stake and rock in Samuel P. Pittillo's line 2 poles Southeast of the Southeast corner of the Fruitland Baptist Church lot, and runs North 48 degrees East 14 poles to a stake and rock; thence South 48 degrees East 6 poles to a rock and stake; thence South 48 degrees West 14 poles and 22 links to a stake and rock in Samuel P. Pittillo's line; thence with his line North 48 degrees West 6 poles to the beginning, containing 86 and 16/25 poles, more or less; and being the same property as the first tract conveyed by deed of the Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute, Inc., to party of the second part herein by deed of date October 19, 1908, recorded in Deed Book 61, Page 277, of the Deed Records of Henderson County, North Carolina;

Seventh Tract: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the Fruitland Institute Dormitory lot at the edge of the old road, the S. P. Pittillo line, and runs North 48 degrees East 14 poles and 22 links to a stone; thence

South 48 degrees East 16 poles to a stone; thence South 48 degrees West 14 poles and 22 links to a stake at the old road; thence to the beginning, containing one acre, Excepting, However, from this parcel and this conveyance that part of this parcel described as follows: Beginning on a rock in R. R. Lyda's line at the Northeast corner of the Fruitland Institute, and runs North 48 degrees West 4 poles and 22 links to a rock; thence South 48 degrees West 16 poles to a stake in the road; thence with the road South 40 degrees East 4 poles and 22 links to a stake; thence North 48 degrees East 16 poles and 20 links to the beginning; containing 80 poles, more or less; the land conveyed by this parcel being part of the land conveyed by Fruitland Institute, Inc., to party of the second part herein by deed of date January 25, 1926, recorded in Book 155, Page 153, of the Deed Records of Henderson County, North Carolina;

Eighth Tract: Beginning at a stake or stone corner, the corner of the Fruitland Church lot, and runs North 50 degrees East 14 poles and 3 links to a stake, Norman's corner; thence North 64 degrees West 14½ poles to a stake in Drake's line; thence South 33 degrees West 10 poles and 19 links to a stone, his corner; thence South 39 degrees East 11 poles to the beginning, containing one acre, more or less; and being the same property conveyed by F. H. McMillan to party of the second part herein by deed of date May 11, 1910, recorded in Book 68, Page 165, of the Deed Records of Henderson County, North Carolina;

Ninth Tract: Beginning at a stone or stake, J. H. Freeman's old corner in Clear Creek road, corner of store house lot; and runs South 60 degrees East 12 poles to a rock; thence South 33 degrees West 15 poles and 16 links to a stake in the line of the Baptist Church lot; thence with said line North 46 degrees West 9 poles to a stake in the road; thence with the road to the beginning; and being the same property conveyed by N. A. Melton and others to party of the second part herein by deed of date April 29, 1913, recorded in Deed Book 89, Page 246, of the Deed Records of Henderson County, North Carolina;

Tenth Tract: Beginning on a forked pine and rock, Samuel Pittillo's corner on the East side of the Clear Creek road, and runs East 6 poles to a rock, his corner; thence with his line South 42 degrees East 11 poles to a rock; thence North 48 degrees East 4 poles to a rock; thence North 42 degrees West 19 poles to a rock on the East side of Clear Creek road; thence with Samuel Pittillo's line South 17 degrees West 9 poles to the beginning, containing 48 poles; and being the same property conveyed by L. P. Pittillo and others, Trustees of Fruitland Baptist Church, to party of the second part herein by deed of date February 20, 1925, recorded in Book 139, Page 534, of the Deed Records of Henderson County, North Carolina;

Eleventh Tract: All of the right, title and interest in and to that certain sewer right-of-way, and the rights and privileges in relation thereto and in connection therewith, granted by J. P. Garren and wife to party of the first part herein, and to party of the second part herein, by deed of date October 17, 1919, recorded in Book 104, Page 332, of the Deed Records of Henderson County, North Carolina; said sewer right-of-way being described in said deed as following a line known and designated as follows: Beginning at a corner of the E. T. Parham and Fruitland Institute properties in Garren's line; and runs thence South 60 degrees West 170 feet; thence South 40 degrees West 378 feet to Kyle's Creek.

The above described tracts or parcels of land are known as the Fruitland Institute property in said Henderson County, North Carolina; and it is the intent and purpose of this conveyance to remise, release and forever quit-claim to the said party of the second part, its successors and assigns forever, all of the right, title, interest, estate, claim or demand

which the said party of the first part has or ought to have in and to all of the property of the Fruitland Institute in said Henderson County, North Carolina, together with all buildings and improvements, whether hereinabove specifically described or not, with all the rights, members and appurtenances thereunto in anywise appeartaining or belonging.

And, for the considerations aforesaid, said party of the first part does hereby release and discharge each and all of the above described tracts or parcels of land, and all of the property of said Fruitland Institute, of and from any right said party of the first part and/or its Board of Trustees, has or may have in respect of the disposition of said properties, or any part of same, by party of the second part, its successors and assigns; it being distinctly understood and agreed that party of the second part does, and shall, have in respect of said properties, and each and every part of same, the absolute, complete and unconditional right of disposal of same, without the approval or consent of first party and/or its Board of Trustees, and without the necessity of securing such approval or consent, and entirely freed, released and discharged of and from any right on the part of first party, and/or its Board of Trustees, in respect of the disposal of said properties by second party, its successors and assigns.

To Have and To Hold the above described and released premises unto said Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, party of the second part herein. its successors and assigns, to its and their only proper use and behoof forever, so that neither said party of the first part, nor any other person in its name and behalf, shall or will hereafter claim or demand any right or title to said premises or any part theeof, or in respect of the disposal thereof, by virtue of any claim or right now existing in party of the first part; but party of the first part, and any other person in its name and behalf, shall by these presents be excluded and forever barred.

This instrument of conveyance and release is executed and delivered by party of the first part as the corporation incorporated by the Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina of date February 5, 1901, as set forth in the Private Laws of North Carolina, Session of 1901, page 119, and this instrument of conveyance and release is so executed and delivered pursuant to resolution of the Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute at meeting thereof duly and legally called and held on July 24, 1942, at which a majority of the members of said Board of Trustees were present and voted unanimously in favor of the adoption of said resolution.

In Witness Whereof, the said party of the first part has hereunto set its hand by N. A. Melton, its President, attested by W. B. Sinclair, its Secretary, with the corporate seal affixed, the day and year first above written.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF FRUITLAND INSTITUTE
(Also Known as Fruitland Institute)

By _____
President

Attest _____
Secretary

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF HENDERSON.

This the_____day of August, 1942, personally came before me _____, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, W. B. Sinclair, with whom I am personally acquainted, who being first duly sworn, says that he knows the common seal of

Board of Trustees of Fruitland Institute, and is acquainted with N. A. Melton, who is President of said corporation, and that he, the said W. B. Sinclair, is Secretary of said corporation, and saw the said President sign the foregoing instrument, and that he, the said W. B. Sinclair, Secretary as aforesaid, affixed said corporate seal to said instrument and signed his name in attestation of the execution of said instrument in the presence of the President of said corporation, and that said instrument is the act and deed of said corporation.

Witness my hand and notarial seal, this the day and year first above written.

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Notary Public.

My Commission Expires_____day of_____, 19____

REPORT ON BAPTIST ORPHANAGE

When we think of our Baptist Orphanage, we think of a work that should move every Christian to support it in every way.

Our Baptist Orphanage, located at Thomasville, was established by J. H. Mills in the year 1885. The Kennedy Home at Kinston is also operated by the Baptist denomination.

The purpose of the Orphanage is not just to provide a home for underprivileged children, but it goes beyond this. It provides a home and also prepares boys and girls for life's tasks after leaving the home as young men and women. This has been proven by numbers that have left the home and become great citizens of our country. These probably would not have made good in life if it had not been for the training they received in our Baptist Orphanage.

The religious training that boys and girls receive while at the Orphanage goes with them throughout life. After leaving the Orphanage numbers of the boys and girls take up their church work in other churches and are of great service in the churches in which they serve.

This great work that is being done by the Orphanage is financed with the offerings given by the Baptist churches each month. A Thanksgiving offering each year also goes for the support of the Orphanage.

May God's people ever be found ready and willing to help such a worthy cause.

Respectfully submitted,

REV. LAWRENCE ERWIN.

REPORT ON TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

No subject confronting the Christian world has been more fully and more constantly discussed than that of temperance and public morals. It has ever been one of vital interest to the church, and therefore must be kept continuously before Christian people. Intemperance and immorality, because of their pernicious influence upon society, have done much to retard the progress of the church. There is no discounting the fact that both of these vices have a very strong grip upon a very considerable element of the people of our county, our state and our nation. Many of our people are both immoral and intemperate and the church is not only not reaching them, but their influence is having a very detrimental effect upon its progress. If the power of these evils could be broken the church would become far more militant, and its influence far more

effectual. However, we are still confronted with the age-old question, "What can we do to promote temperance and public morals?" When we begin to look for the answer to this question some of us conclude that its solution will depend largely, if not altogether, upon the enactment and enforcement of laws designed to prohibit intemperance and immorality. Many of us seem to think that this is the only answer to the question, and that unless we can elect law-makers who will have the courage to enact necessary statutes, and also elect executive and judicial officials who will have the like courage to enforce these statutes, that our present situation cannot be improved.

But, I want to say that after an experience of more than forty years at the bar, during which time I have been engaged in the general practice of the law, both civil and criminal, that this problem will never be solved in this way. Just so long as we depend, in the main, upon law and law enforcemnt, to eradicate these evils, just so long will they continue as a grave and serious problem. I must not be understood, however, as entertaniing the opinion that we should have no law against intemperance and immorality. We should have prohibitive statutes against these evils, and such statutes should be properly enforced. But, in my opinion, it will take far more than this to reach the desired goal. There can be no question but that the enforcement of the criminal law is absolutely imperative for the protection of society. Without it there would be no personal security, no organized government, and anarchy would reign supreme. The experience of the ages has taught us that there must by law sufficient and adequate for the punishment of those who commit wrongs against the public, but my observation and experience has convinced me that the law accomplishes very little in the reformation of criminals.

The law writers tell us that the two main objects in the punishment of offenders is:

1. To reform them, and

2. To deter them from further violations of the criminal law, as well also to deter others from committing crime. I think in some instances the courts have been the means of causing offenders, and more generally youthful ones, to change their lives and become good citizens, but I believe that such instances are comparatively rare. I do think, however, that the punishment of those who violate the law has a very wholesome effect as a deterrent, and thereby prevents many of the criminally-inclined from violating the law. But this does not improve their morals or make them better men and women. They only refrain from violating the law because they are restrained by fear. The criminal therefore will not hesitate to violate the law if he feels that he can do it with impunity.

Then, what is the answer to the foregoing question?

The older I grow the more thoroughly I am convinced that the church is the agency to which we must look in the main for the solution of this problem. In fact, it is my opinion, that if the many evils that are threatening our destruction are ever subdued and our world made a better place in which to live, the church will be the most potent factor in this achievement. It is the one institution that emphasizes the divine regeneration of the human heart and seeks to make men better by the inculcation of the spiritual virtues. And just to the extent that the church exerts its influence to transform the lives of men and women by the dissemination of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, just to that extent will it promote temperance and morality. The church must become more active and militant in its efforts to reach lost men and women and when it does the scope of its influence will broaden and deepen and many of those who are now living intemperate and immoral lives will be transformed into good citizens. They will then obey the law, because

they love the right and eschew the wrong and not because they are restrained through fear. The great Master of men did not condemn the woman who was guilty of a capital offense under the Mosaic law, but said to her, "Go thy way and sin no more." The church must manifest more of the same spirit toward a lost world if this problem is to be solved.

With respect to our local situation, I believe that we are making some progress. I do not think we are having as many infractions of the prohibition law as we have had in previous years, and I feel that the situation is somewhat improved. I venture the assertion, however, that if the churches of the Carolina Baptist Association would become intensely interested in the salvation of the unsaved within its bounds that a great religious upheaval would take place, and that much more would be accomplished for the promotion of temperance and morality than can possibly be done through the administration of the law.

Respectfully submitted,

J. E. SHIPMAN.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

In making our report on Christian Education it is most regrettable that it is not more favorable and enthusiastic.

It is desired to draw attention to our three institutions most greatly concerned in the task of Christian Education, namely, the Home, the Church, and the Christian Schools and Colleges. Everyone who is a Baptist should be most interested in the progress of Christian Education as it may be advanced through these institutions.

In our Homes I am sure that everyone of us could and should spend more time with our Bibles, and could and should spend more of our time in teaching the Book to our children. For no person who knows his Bible can be said to be ignorant. The teaching of it and learning of it brings a satisfaction to both old and young such as can be had from no other source.

In our Church we could make better progress in spreading Christian Education if we would give our minds and thought to the cause. In the Church we have the Sunday School, B. T. U., Vacation Bible School, and Missionary organizations where there is a place for each of us to put our shoulders to the wheel, and where that individually and collectively our efforts would total a far greater advancement in Christian Education than is now enjoyed. The Master commanded us to TEACH, and we think our churches could go at the task more seriously, making this training a more vital factor in our church life.

Finally, it seems our Christian Schools and Colleges are worthy of a greater place in our minds and accordingly more support from us. These institutions are going a long way toward meeting a great need in this field, but their degree of success only reaches so far as our cooperation and support goes. In no other way can we support them so well as to plan and strive harder toward sending to them our sons and daughters, and with our money and our prayers.

In conclusion, it is realized that while some few are using their talents well in our cause of Christian Education, making use of and supporting our institutions, yet we must report being very unfavorably impressed by the fact that so many of our people fail to support them.

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. WALKER.

REPORT ON WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

The W. M. U. of the Southern Baptist Convention has a well balanced program for the full development of a Christian. Every man, woman, and child who is a Christian should be a member of some missionary organization. It is impossible for a person to be the same after working in one of these organizations.

In answering the Great Commission through the Missionary Union, about twenty churches in the Carolina Association have reported $2,449.87 given to various causes. This is not an accurate report but it is an estimate of what has been done. Through personal service the members have helped the needy and unfortunate people and have caught a vision of the great words of Jesus when He said, "Give ye them to eat."

Through the study of missions we have learned more about the work of the noble servants of God who are laboring for the Southern Baptist Convention at home and in many foreign countries. Through stewardship the spiritual lives of our people have been enriched.

At our annual meeting 174 pieces of linen were sent to the Baptist Hospital.

The W. M. U. of Carolina Association is beginning a student fund to help worthy students in school who have dedicated their lives to definite Christian service.

We should encourage all of our people to rededicate their lives to the cause of our Saviour here in our own Association. Most of our churches do not have any program of missions at all. Why is this? Is it because our people are not Christian, because we are self-satisfied, or is it because we have not been taught the true meaning of Christianity? The greatest thing we can do now is to rededicate our lives to Christ and recognize him as Lord as well as Saviour. Then we would be able to lead other people to deeper consecration and greater cooperation.

The Master is calling for our best, be it great or small. May we do our best not for reward but for the Lord!

In the hymn, "Let the Lower Lights Be Burning," we find these words, "Brightly beams our Father's mercy," set opposite "Dark the night of sin has settled." He has given us this light. God help us to trim our feeble lamps so that the darkness of sin can be eliminated from the earth and this light of Mercy fill the whole earth.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. O. J. SMITH.

REPORT ON PERIODICALS

Without doubt, our country is in the midst of the greatest crisis in her history. The issue to be settled in this conflict is whether we, the American people, shall lose or maintain our way of life guaranteed to us by the blood and sacrifices of our fore-bears—whether our free institutions shall stand or fall; whether religious freedom shall perish from the earth.

The Christian church must and will make itself felt, mightily, in this struggle. Morals, morale, faith, hope, love, righteousness, virtue, consecration, tolerance—all these and more must be maintained by our people in the highest possible degree. This is a challenge to the Christian pulpit and the Christian press. This challenge will be accepted, gloriously, by both pulpit and press.

It is imperative that all Baptist people join in the Baptist program

of service to our country, to our God and His church, and to the hastening of His Kingdom on earth. To do this our people must be informed.

We recommend that great emphasis be placed upon the reading of the Bible and Christian literature in the home. And especially do we urge that our state periodicals, "The Biblical Recorder" and "Charity and Children" be made accessible, by some method, to all Baptists of our Association. Thus, our people may become familiar with and active participants in our Baptist state-wide program of endeavor in this, the supreme hour of our country and denomination.

Respectfully submitted,

R. G. ANDERS.

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

Your historian, having no definitely outlined precedent to follow, will assume that his report will be in order as it touches any phase of the life, customs, present and past, and activities of the churches composing this organization. Space being limited, this report will cover only those things which are considered worth while for the time being, and that may prove helpful in our future work. It is our purpose to touch only the high or the low of the "state of the church."

We wonder in the passing of years and the changing of customs how the recent statement in a sermon from the pulpit of this church would sound. It was to the effect that the pastor had expected that when the United States entered the war the members of his church would take life more seriously, but that he had been disappointed in observing no such trends, and especially was he disappointed in the decreased attendance at the mid-week services. If this is typical of the church life in this Association then this is a sad commentary on the "state of the church." On the other hand, there are improvements in the physical appearances and conveniences of many of our houses of worship.

We regret to see that some of our church buildings are not kept in good condition and that deterioration may be noted as one passes over the highways.

Historic importance is attached to the fact that the Mills River Baptist Church at 12 o'clock on Sunday, August 23, will hold ceremonies that will bring to mind the activities of that church more than a century ago. A pulpit chair will be presented by Mrs. Preston F. Patton to the board of deacons in memory of Jesse Rickman, who donated the ground where the church stands, and his father, Dr. William Rickman. This date will mark the 105th anniversary of the ordination of the Rev. Merit Rickman, son of Jesse Rickman, and the first pastor, who served the congregation there for almost twenty years. The Rev. Merit Rickman, who was an outstanding Baptist leader, was one of the council of Baptist ministers which met in Hendersonville and organized the First Baptist Church in 1844, now host to this sixty-sixth annual session of the Carolina Baptist Association.

Our pastors and other church leaders should give more emphasis to the preparation of reports for our sessions. The records show that thirteen churches had no representation at last year's session.

A custom that has become historic because of its age leads your historian to the conclusion that the "pastoral turn-over" is too heavy for the best church work. Too many churches pride themselves on their liberty in calling new pastors annually. The pastor cannot do his best work feeling that possibly his call will be for only one year's duration. The residences of too many of our pastors are too far removed from the

fields they have chosen to serve. Gasoline and tire rationing should lead our churches to think collectively on grouping churches geographically so as to make for better work and more inviting fields for resident pastors.

A particularly successful factor in local church work has been the introduction of the Lord's Acre Movement, which has been sponsored by the Farmers' Federation with the Rev. Dumont Clark giving his services to this movement, which is enriching many churches and spurring them on to greater accomplishments, spiritually and materially. The Dana Baptist Church has conducted one of the most outstanding projects known to the movement.

The education facilities of our churches are not keeping pace with those of our public schools and we need to lay more stress on improved facilities for taking care of our Sunday Schools and Young People's work.

The Woman's Missionary Society of our churches are accomplishing things in their various activities in the way of increased work among the young people and the conduct of mission study classes. The report on stewardship shows that there is a growing list of tithers within the Association. There were 830 persons attending the seven Vacation Bible Schools last year.

There are both high and low spots within the bounds of the Association. Some churches seem to be struggling to hold themselves together. Some are showing more than the usual activity. It behooves us to keep up our church activities and not let our attendance sag on account of the gasoline and tire situation because this will be disastrous at a time when the best influences of the church are needed. We must take heed that this gasless age does not keep the church from going places.

Respectfully submitted,
NOAH HOLLOWELL.

TREASURER'S REPORT
August, 1942
Receipts

Balance on hand at last report	$ 1.60	Jones Gap	1.61
Received on Minute Fund:		Locust Grove	1.00
Berea	1.00	Middle Fork	1.57
Balfour	4.00	Mills River	2.00
Bat Cave	2.00	Mt. Gilead	5.00
Bear Wallow	1.50	Mt. Valley	2.60
Beulah	1.10	Mt. Moriah	2.00
Cedar Springs	3.00	Mt. Zion	1.00
Cross Roads	1.00	Mountain Home	2.20
Dana	4.00	Mud Creek	7.00
Double Springs	1.00	Oak Grove	2.00
East Flat Rock	5.00	Pleasant Grove	2.00
Ebenezer	2.35	Refuge	5.00
Etowah	2.70	Saluda	4.00
Fletcher	3.00	Shaw's Creek	2.00
French Broad	1.50	Tryon First	5.00
Fruitland	5.00	Tryon Second	2.00
Hendersonville First	50.00	Tuxedo	5.00
Hooper's Creek	2.00	Valley Hill	4.30
Horse Shoe	2.00	West Hendersonville	2.50
		A Friend	10.00

In addition I received as listed:		operative Program	15.32
From Bear Wallow for work in Military Camps	6.50	From Mt. Zion for Co-operative Program	5.00
From Bear Wallow for Co-		From Mt. Page for work in Military Camps	2.25
TOTAL RECEIPTS			$192.60

Disbursements

W. C. Russ, for balance due on last year's Minutes	$ 35.00
West Asheville News, for 1941 Minutes	100.00
Rev. W. H. Davis, services as Clerk	25.00
M. A. Huggins, State Treasurer, for funds from Bear Wallow, Mt. Zion, and Mt. Page	29.07
Balance in Bank	3.53
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	$192.60

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. WALKER, Treasurer.

RESOLUTIONS

Be it resolved by the Carolina Baptist Association, meeting in the First Baptist Church, Hendersonville, N. C., August 5, 1942:

(1) That, in this time of great peril to our moral, social and religious life, we look with disapproval upon the sale of intoxicating liquors and beers in our state and nation.

(2) That, since the Government has found it necessary to ration sugar to insure sufficient production of alcohol in the manufacture of gun-powder, parts for airplanes and other war equipment, we as patriotic American citizens promise to abide by these regulations and to co-operate with our Government in every way possible; but that at the same time and in the interest of national economy and our war program, we petition the Government to withhold sugar used in the manufacture of liquor and beer. As citizens we are willing to forego the use of sugar, as well as tires, gasoline and other things to win the war and bring a righteous peace to the world, but we urge upon the President and Congress to withhold sugar from the manufacture of liquor and beer who are growing rich at the expense of the Government in this time of great need.

(3) That, since liquor and beer are having, as they have always had, a demoralizing effect upon the young men in the service of our country, we petition the Government to prohibit the sale of liquor and beer in military camp areas, the Navy, and other branches of the service. The health, morale, morals and the religious life of the young men in the service demand that the sale of liquor be prohibited.

(4) That these resolutions be given to the press and that copies be sent to our Senators and to our Representatives in Congress.

Respectfully submitted,

F. M. HUGGINS,

(1) Be it resolved, that we offer our grateful thanks and appreciation to the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville, and to its pastor and the

ladies, who so graciously served a delicious and abundant lunch to all present.

(2) We further resolve to express our sincere thanks to the visiting speakers and to all who participated in making this meeting a success.

(3) And, lastly, we resolve to extend our gratitude to our Moderator, Victor Rector, and the Associational Clerk, W. H. Davis, for their loyal efforts during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

C. M. HEYMANN, JR.

OBITUARIES

Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord

(Revelation 13:14)

BALFOUR—Joseph Newman, W. J. Hoy.

BAT CAVE—Mrs. Minerva Freeman, James P. Duvall.

BEAR WALLOW—Deacon G. S. Wall.

BEREA—W. L. Johnston.

BEULAH—George Bates, Mrs. George Bates, Miss Ellen Shepherd.

CEDAR SPRINGS—Leonard Ward, Cinthea McDowell.

DOUBLE SPRINGS—Mrs. Altha Revis.

EAST FLAT ROCK—Mrs. Octavia Brock.

ETOWAH—Mrs. Lucinda Owens, Deacon T. E. McKinney.

FLETCHER—John Wilkie.

FRENCH BROAD—David Fowler.

FRUITLAND—Mrs. Marjorie Parham, Miss Francis Henderson, J. M. Freeman.

HENDERSONVILLE, First—Mrs. W. E. Brackett, Mrs. W. H. Davis, Mrs. B. A. Egerton, F. U. Haymond, Rev. J. W. Kesterson, James Walker, Miss Connie Morrow, Mrs. James Waldrop.

HOOPERS CREEK—Major Barnwell.

LIBERTY—James Lyday.

LOCUST GROVE—P. P. Corn.

MIDDLE FORK—P. C. Searcy.

MOUNT MORIAH—Mrs. John H. Hill, Miss Rhoda Jones, B. P. Stepp.

MOUNTAIN HOME—H. K. Laughter.

MOUNTAIN PAGE—Mrs. Elizabeth Jordan, Thomas Hart, Mrs. J. B. Rhoads.

MUD CREEK—D. W. McCall, Melissa Hood.

PACOLET—John Panther.

REFUGE—Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. W. L. Fergerson, Mrs. Matilda Laughter, Mrs. Ella J. Case, Rev. C. D. Cole, C. W. Waterson.

SALUDA—Mrs. Rosie Pace.

TRYON, Second—John Styles, Ruphus Gosnell.

TUXEDO—Miss Lois Lane.

Submitted by N. B. Phillips.

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE 1. This Association shall be known as the Carolina Baptist Association and shall be composed of such representatives as the churches constituting this body may select and send as delegates to its meetings, together with all ordained ministers who are members of said churches, and each church shall report by letter to each annual session the number of its memebrship, additions, and losses from whatever causes, with statistics, contributions, finances, etc.

Each church shall be entitled to three delegates and one additional delegate for each fifty members in excess of one hundred, and the name of no delegate shall appear in the minutes except such as are in actual attendance during the session of the body.

ARTICLE 2. The organization of the body shall be preceded by the preaching of an introductory sermon and shall then be organized by the Moderator of the former session, calling the body to order, and the enrolling of delegates from the various churches, who shall compose the body, and proceed, by ballot, to the election of a Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, and Historian, who shall hold their offices until their successors shall be elected at the opening of the next annual meeting.

ARTICLE 3. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as may from time to time be deemed advisable.

ARTICLE 4. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ and the ordinances of His house as accepted by missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, and acceptance by a majority vote of the same.

ARTICLE 5. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion, resolution, or other action of the body, except to amend the Constitution, which shall only be done by a vote of two-thirds of the members for such amendment.

ARTICLE 6. The Association may at any meeting withdraw from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

ARTICLE 7. This Association regards each Baptist church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body having for its object the furtherance of the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity and the enlightment of mankind the world over, by the preaching of the Gospel and the furtherance of Christian education.

ARTICLE 8. Any church in good standing in this Association, may on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

ARTICLE 9. The Moderator shall appoint such committees as may be necessary for the transaction of the business and these shall report at such times as may be directed by the body.

ARTICLE 10. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the opening of each day and corrected if necessary, and approved, and the minutes of the entire session shall be read and approved previous to final adjournment.

ARTICLE 11. No member shall absent himself from any session of the body without leave of same.

ARTICLE 12. The Association shall, before its final adjournment, fix a time and place for the next annual meeting and election of one of the ministers of the body to preach the introductory sermon.

ARTICLE 13. The Association shall at each annual session appoint an Executive Committee consisting of one member from each church in the Association and one additional member for every two hundred members of each church after the first fifty members. All pastors shall be ex-officio members of this committee.

(a) Each church is requested to nominate to the Association the

members to serve on the Executive Committee from said church. In case this is not done before the annual meeting of the Association, then the Association shall in conference with the messengers of said church appoint the members of this committee for the church until such time as the church may elect its representatives on this committee.

(b) A Nominating Committee shall be appointed at the beginning of each annual session of the Association for the purpose of receiving nominations from the churches for the Executive Committee. This committee shall before the close of this session make its nominations to the Association.

(c) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee at its first meeting after the annual session of the Association to organize as follows: 1, Chairman; 2, Vice Chairman; 3, Secretary; 4, Treasurer; 5, Committees: a, Administrative; b, Needs of the Churches; c, General Denominational Work; d, and any other committees which may be needed.

(d) This Executive Committee shall hold quarterly meetings in conjunction with the Worker's Council of the Association. The meetings should be held in various sections of the Association.

(e) The Executive Committee shall divided the Association into districts and appoint a chairman for each district, whose duty it shall be to enlist the workers of the churches of this district in the work of the churches.

(f) This Executive Committee is empowered to transact business for the Association between sessions. It shall be known as the Association ad interim.

(2) Worker's Council.

(a) The constitutency of the Worker's Council shall be the officers of the Carolina Association, the members of the Executive Committee of this Association, and the official members of the Carolina Association and the officers of all organizations of the Association.

(b) The objectives of the Worker's Council shall be to elicit, combine and direct the energies and activities of the churches of the Carolina Association.

(c) Its meetings shall be held quarterly unless otherwise provided.

(d) The Program Committee shall consist of the Moderator of the Association, a member of the Executive Committee, and the President of each auxiliary organization of the Carolina Association.

ARTICLE 14. That this Association shall at the present session appoint a Board of Trustees consisting of fifteen members, five of whom shall hold their office for twelve months, five for two years, and five of them for three years. Terms of office of the first five members on said committee shall expire at the end of one year from this session, and their places shall be filled by appointment of this body, and each session of this body shall fill the vacancies occurring by expiring terms, or from death, resignation or otherwise, at its regular annual meeting.

That the said Board of Trustees shall constitute the Board of Education of the Carolina Association and shall be empowered to receive donations and hold property, both real and personal, for educational purposes, to procure the necessary charters for educational institutions and that any legal action necessary be taken for advancement and interests of education in the bounds of this Association.

Said Board shall also take control, possession and the general supervision of all school property belonging to the Association, shall establish and direct the management of schools and report their proceedings and recommendations to each annual sesssion of this body for ratification. Said body shall have no power to purchase property or contract debts, but by the authority of a two-thirds vote of the Associational annual meeting. The officers of said Board shall be President, Vice-President,

Secretary, Treasurer, and Executive Board, whose duties shall be those usually performed by such officers and such further duties as the Board may designate. The said Board may fix time and place for meeting and adjournment, provided, nevertheless, that the President and three other members of the Board may call a meeting at such times and places as the business of the same may require, and seven members present at any meeting shall be a quorum, for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE 15. This body shall be governed by the rules of Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

ARTICLE 16. This Constitution shall be printed in the minutes of the Association.

RULES OF ORDER

Article 1. The annual meetings of the Association shall open by singing and prayer at half past ten o'clock on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year. At this hour the Moderator, or in his absence, the Clerk, shall call the members to order, when the certificates will be presented, and the names of the members enrolled. This body will then be organized and attend upon the introductory discourse, at the close of which the Association will take recess or proceed to business.

Article 2. The order of business is to open the door: (1) For membership, (2) For correspondence, (3) For any business coming up regularly.

Article 3. The Association shall, on each day, open and close with prayer by the Moderator, or a brother, at his request. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all the meetings of this body.

Article 4. The Moderator shall preside at the meetings of the body, keep and decide questions of order, subject to appeal from members.

Article 5. Questions shall be decided by "aye" or "no", doubtful cases by the rising of the members to their feet until they are counted.

Article 6. The Moderator shall appoint all committees, except those ordered by ballot.

Article 7. In all cases by ballot, the Moderator may vote; in other cases he may not unless the body is equally divided, or unless his vote, given to the minority, will make the division equal, and in that case the question shall be lost.

Article 8. A member may, on motion, submit any subject to the consideration of the Association that relates to its designs or objects, and if seconded, it shall receive due consideration, except to be withdrawn by the mover, with the consent of the body.

Article 9. If two or more members shall rise to speak at the same time, the Moderator shall decide the priority of right.

Article 10. If a member shall violate any of these rules the Moderator shall call him to order.

Article 11. No member shall speak on the same subject oftener than twice, without leave of the Association, except to explain.

Article 12. A member, in making a motion, speaking, or in debate, shall rise and address the Moderator respectfully.

Article 13. When a motion is made and sceonded it shall be stated by the Moderator before debate.

Article 14. When the Moderator is putting the question, or addressing the body, no member shall walk out or across the house; nor, when a member is speaking, enter into private conversation, or pass between the speaker and the Moderator, but all are required to pay strict attention.

(Article 1 is in accord with a recent ruling of the Association.)

HISTORICAL TABLE

Carolina Baptist Association

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith	----------	----------	----------
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	----------	----------	----------	Text: Gen. 35:24
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Saluda	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Fruitland	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Beulah	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Connor	J. T. Freeman	Hoopers Creek	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Riverside	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Fruitland	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Mount Gilead	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	East H'ville	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	F. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthon	Salem	K. W. Cawthon
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mount Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	East Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargeant	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargeant	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargeant	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	East Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy C. Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Wall
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Roy C. Bennett	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Mrs. J. L. Redder	Fruitland	Broadus E. Jones
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Charles Vause	1st Ch., H'ville	N. A. Melton

Table I **CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, ETC., CAROLINA ASSOCIATION** July 31, 1942

CHURCHES	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Days of Meeting	Membership Reported Last Year	Gains By Baptisms	Gains By Letters	Gains By Statements	Losses By Letters	Losses By Death	Total Present Membership	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of The Lord's Supper
Balfour	Otto Parham, Balfour	1-2-3-4	343	6	17	1	10	2	355	2	2
Bat Cave	Charles B. Vause, Chimney Rock	1-3	133		2		3	4	128	1	3
Bear Wallow	E. A. Kilstrom, Hendersonville	2-3-4	69	2		2			72	1	0
Beulah	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1-3	277	1	1		3	4	272	3	0
Berea	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1-3	84					1	83	1	1
Cedar Springs	M. C. Cheatwood, Spartanburg, S. C.	1-3	149	2	2	2	2	2	151	1	1
Crab Creek	Gentry Mason, Wellford, S. C.	2-4	190	4	3			2	195	1	1
Cross Roads	A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.	2	99		2		1		100	1	1
Dana	M. L. Lewis, Hendersonville	1-2-3-4	104		2		3		79	1	1
East Flat Rock	N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock	1-2-3-4	496	5	1		8	1	227	1	4
Double Springs	L. B. Morrison, Tigerville, S. C.	1-3	98					1	97	1	4
Ebenezer	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville, R4		313	13				2	327	1	1
Etowah	C. C. Reese, Brevard	1-3	181				2		179	2	1
Fletcher	E. R. Bartlett, Asheville, Box 7042	1-2-3-4	204	22	7		13	2	219	1	4
French Broad	C. M. Heymann, Jr., Hendersonville	1-2-3-4	76	4	2	2	3	1	80		4
Fruitland	N. A. Melton, Hendersonville	2-4	251	22	3		15	3	258	1	1
Hendersonville, 1st	Broadus E. Wall, Hendersonville	1-2-3-4	1313	28	56	1	24	8	1365	1	4
Holly Springs	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock	1-3	65				3		62	1	1
Hooper's Creek	William C. Huntley, Asheville, R4	1-2-3-4	123	25	8	6	2	1	159	1	2
Horse Shoe	A. C. Armstrong, West Asheville	1-2-3-4	95	10	1	3		3	106		3
Jones Gap	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	2-4	112	2					114	1	
Liberty			24	6				1	29	1	
Locust Grove	Floyd Holbert, Tryon	1-3					2	1		1	1
Middle Fork	Fred Walls, Fairview	1-2-3	69	6			1		52		1
Mills River	Aruold E. Edney, Flat Rock	2-4	118				1	1	116	1	2
Mt. Gilead	E. R. Bartlett, Asheville, Box 7042	1-2-3-4	220		2		8		213	3	12
Mountain Home	Saul Rhodes, Hendersonville, R2	2-4	157				1	1	155	1	1
Mt. Moriah	S. F. Huntley, Hendersonville	1-3	191				1	3	187	1	1
Mountain Page	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville, R4	1-3	236				1	3	237	1	4
Mountain Valley	H. H. Mace, Hendersonville, R4	2-4	94	1	1		2		93	1	2
Mt. Zion	W. K. Sawyer, Campobello, S. C.	2		2					25	1	2
Mud Creek	Lawrence Erwin, Balfour	1-2-3-4	475	2			8	2	467		
Pacolet			165	6			6	1	164	1	3
Pleasant Grove	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville, R4	1-3	110		2		3	2	107	1	2
Refuge	W. W. Worley, Tuxedo	1-2-3-4	282	20	8	1	1	6	304	1	4
Saluda	Morgan A. Kizer, Saluda	1-2-3-4	107	1	4		4		108	1	4
Shaws Creek	Lawrence Erwin, Balfour	1-2-3-4	152	6	7		3		162	1	3
Tryon First	B. G. Henry, Tryon	1-2-3-4	170	5	16		9		182	1	4
Tryon Second	Paul Ballenger, Lynn	1-2-3-4	89	10	3	2	5	2	91	3	3
Tuxedo	W. W. Worley, Tuxedo	1-2-3-4	349	9	3		9	1	351	1	4
Valley Hill	Thos. E. Thompson, Hendersonville	1-2-3-4	254		13		2		265	1	3
West Hendersonville			89	1	5		4		91	2	4
TOTALS			8109	221	171	20	164	61	8037	47	102

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	Cradle Roll Under 3 Years	Beginners 3-5 Years	Primaries 6-8 Years	Juniors 9-12 Years	Intermediates 13-16 Years	Young People 17-24 Years	Adults 25 Years and Up	Extension Department	Officers & Teachers	Total Enrollment of Sunday School	Avg. Attendance of Sunday School	Baptisms From Sunday School	Enrollment Vacation Bible School	Avg. Att. Vacation Bible School
Balfour	W. E. Hammond, Balfour		20	36	35	40	95	62		21	309	200	6	145	130
Bat Cave	Mrs. W. H. Garvin, Bat Cave		2	3	5	4	4	15		7	35	27			
Bear Wallow	Jack Wall, Gerton			9	7	7		16			42	43			
Beulah	J. W. Cantrell, Hendersonville			12	24		36	30			102	60	1		
Berea	Raymond Ward, Hendersonville		6		10	3		6		2	27			32	30
Cedar Springs	Alvin Allen, Spartanburg, S. C.											53			
Crab Creek	Mrs. J. F. Griffin, Hendersonville		17		13		13	18			61	26			
Cross Roads	John Irvin Jones, Zirconia		10		7		12	6		6	41	30			
Dana	Mrs. Ray Marshall, Hendersonville	6	7	5	7	11	18	19		5	77	46			
East Flat Rock	M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	14	19	40	28	44	50	52	20	10	277	156	4	50	40
Double Springs	Dean Ward, Zirconia		14	16	14	7		25		8	78	50			
Ebenezer															
Etowah	Annie Mae Parker, Etowah		9	17	23	10	30	16		9	105	56			
Fletcher	N. B. Baldwin, Fletcher		22	12	24	20	40	20		21	159	120	20		
French Broad	Walter G. Cooper, Horse Shoe		8	12		8	12	20		12	72	60			
Fruitland	Howard Pryor, Hendersonville		2	11	18	23	25	37	10	12	126	72	22		
Hendersonville, 1st	W. B. Sinclair, Hendersonville	29	29	91	112	119	77	351	160	81	974	427	28	251	189
Holly Springs			5	5	8	3	4	7		7	32	30			
Hooper's Creek	Will Riddle, Fletcher		41		37	25	40	44		12	187	187			
Horse Shoe	Finley Pace, Hendersonville		11	14		16	26	23		5	90	42			
Jones Gap	Charlie O. Mace, Hendersonville		10			15	20	24		7	76	56			
Liberty	Sewell D. Rhodes, Edneyville, R1		11		6			13		5	30	20			
Locust Grove	Lee Corn, Hendersonville	5	9			15	25	12		8	66	45			
Middle Fork			11		17	10	11	14		7	63				
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe											50			
Mt. Gilead	Mrs. B. J. Hill, Arden		11	8	9	7	8	14		10	61	36			
Mountain Home	S. T. Justice, Edneyville		14	15	17	15	12	25		8	102	76			
Mt. Moriah	Clannie Laughter, Edneyville		15	10	24	12	26	35		5	127	65			
Mountain Page	F. M. Morgan, Saluda, R1		20	25	18	20	30	25		7	138	65			
Mountain Valley	Fayte Maybin, Zirconia		12		7	12	18	9		7	58	40			
Mt. Zion	I. K. Gilbert, Hendersonville		8				22			3	33	15			
Mud Creek	Arthur Green, Hendersonville		28	30	36	38	44	26		30	204	185			
Pacolet	Fred Ravan, Lynn		15	22	20	24	24	48		9	154	37	6	16	14
Pleasant Grove	James Banning, Hendersonville		5	7	9	7	12	5		7	44				
Refuge	C. N. Allen, Hendersonville	5	15	6	15	33	34	60		13	170	126			
Saluda	Dexter S. Jeter, Saluda		12	10	18	24		26		10	90	45	1		
Shaws Creek	Harvey F. Drake, Hendersonville	10	11	14	18	10	20	18		20	113	65	6		
Tryon First	J. T. Arledge, Tryon	15	13	24	35	25	8	51	15	16	189	110	5	135	109
Tryon Second	O. B. Metcalf, Tryon		47	6	27		28	30		9	147	90			
Tuxedo	D. G. Wilkie, Tuxedo	20	20	18	34	34	45	79	12	18	290	141	11	97	61
Valley Hill	L. L. Morris, Hendersonville	10	17	15	15	32	35	59		15	185	106			
West Hendersonville	Horace Jones, Hendersonville, Box 1041														
TOTALS		114	526	493	697	673	894	1340	217	442	5123	3058	110	726	573

Table III

BAPTIST TRAINING UNIONS

July 31, 1942

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND POST OFFICES	No. Adult Unions	No. Y. P. Unions	No. Intermediate Unions	No. Junior Unions	No. Story Hour Groups	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	No. Enrolled in Story Hour	Total Enrolled All Unions	Total No. Daily Bible Readers	Total Taking Study Course	Total Systematic Givers	No. General and Department Officers	No. Unions and Story Hours
Balfour	Miss Crettie Rhodes, Balfour	1	1	1	1	1	20	18	16	15	11	80	50	16	67	6	5
Bear Wallow	J. B. Wall, Gerton	1			1		24						14	12	15		2
Dana	Miss Sola May Hill, Flat Rock, R1	1	1	1	1	1	18	12	12	6	4	52	33	38	45	3	5
East Flat Rock	E. L. Porter, East Flat Rock	1	1	1	1	1	10	8	7	13	8	46	27	38	33	6	5
Fletcher	N. A. Garren, Fletcher	1	1	1		1	14	10	12		7	43	28	28	30	2	4
Fruitland	Staley Pressley, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1		9	14	15	6		44	15	16	25		4
Hendersonville, 1st	Miss Nancy Barton, Hendersonville	2	3	2	2	1	34	34	37	32	20	153	111	109	125	6	10
Mountain Home	Claude Justice, Hendersonville	1	1		1		20	30		15		65					
Mountain Page	Nina Hill, Saluda, R. F. D.	1	1	1			38	27	11			76	4	15		6	3
Mud Creek	Mrs. Bert Maxwell, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1		8	9	17	11		45	21	24		6	4
Refuge	Grady Walker, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1		12	21	26	11		70	23	35	27	6	4
Saluda		1		1	1		12		9	15		36	8		13	4	3
Shaws Creek	Miss Della Garren, Hendersonville	1	1			1	12	12			10	34	16	10	5	5	3
Tuxedo	Robert Erwin, Tuxedo	1	1	1	1	1	12	19	23	12	17	85	22	53	56	14	5
Valley Hill	Mrs. Richard Harding, Hendersonville	1	1	2	1	1	12	12	17	9	10	60	42	36	30	9	6
West Hendersonville			1					22				22	6	10			1
TOTALS		16	16	14	13	8	255	248	202	145	87	931	420	440	471	73	69

Table IV

W. M. U. ORGANIZATIONS AND GIFTS

July 31, 1942

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND POST OFFICES	No. of W. M. S.'s	No. of Y. W. A.'s	No. of G. A.'s	No. of R. A.'s	No. of Sunbeams	No. of W. M. U. Organizations	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A. Members	G. A. Members	R. A. Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Enrolled in W. M. U.	Total Taking Mission Study Course	Total Contributions, Local	Total Contributions, Missions
Balfour	Miss Florence Justice, Hendersonville, R5	1					1	20					20		$	$ 23.57
Bat Cave	Mrs. Thos. L. Mann, Bat Cave	1					1	7					7	3	29.75	60.88
Dana	Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Dana	1	1	2	2	1	7	15	6	10	11	5	47	13	88.30	157.87
East Flat Rock	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	1	1	2	1	1	6	18	8	16	10	18	70	16	2.00	216.61
Etowah	Mrs. J. E. Gonce, Etowah	1					1	12					12		9.92	54.92
Fletcher	Mrs. N. A. Garren, Fletcher	1					1	22					22		47.70	60.90
Fruitland	Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, Hendersonville	1					1	15					15	12	25.15	74.71
Hendersonville, 1st	Mrs. W. Amos Bennett, Hendersonville	1	2	3	2	1	9	142	35	31	27	34	269			2,700.72
Mt. Gilead	Mrs. Tom Baldwin, Arden	1					1	7				10	17	6	56.38	9.11
Mountain Home	Mrs. Zella Kerr, Edneyville	1														
Mt. Moriah	Mrs. T. S. Mullikins, Edneyville	1		1	1	1	4	13		10	5	8	36	22	41.50	35.48
Mountain Valley	Grace Maybin, Zirconia	1					1	12					12		14.00	
Refuge	Mrs. Ray Barger, Hendersonville, R. F. D.	1	1	1		1	4	16	9	14		14	53	20	134.00	177.09
Saluda	Mrs. R. L. Savage, Saluda	1	1		1		3	15	6		5		26	19		76.80
Tryon First	Mrs. B. G. Henry, Tryon	2		1	1	1	5	55		9	4	12	80	55	196.40	119.21
Tuxedo		1	1	1		1	4	14	15	12		9	50	21	45.53	49.08
TOTALS		17	7	11	8	8	49	383	79	102	62	110	716	170	$690.63	$3,816.95

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES	Does Church Own Building?	When Was It Built?	Built of What Material?	Auditorium Seats How Many?	How Many Rooms in the Building?	How Many Dept. Assembly Rooms?	How Many Class Rooms?	Amount of Insurance Carried	Indebtedness on Property	Value of Pastor's Home	Value of Church Buildings and Grounds
Balfour	E. L. Justus, Balfour	Yes	1908	Brk.V.	450	11	____	11	$ 7,500	$ _____	$ _____	$ 9,000
Bat Cave	W. H. Garvin, Bat Cave	Yes	1892	Wood	300	6	____	6	2,000	_____	_____	5,000
Bear Wallow	R. M. V. Merrell, Gerton	Yes	1920	Wood	250	3	____	____	_____	_____	_____	3,500
Beulah	F. L. Cantrell, Hendersonville	Yes	1910	Wood	250	2	____	6	_____	_____	_____	2,600
Berea	Raymond Ward, Hendersonville	Yes	1914	Wood	150	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	300
Cedar Springs	W. P. Bane, Zirconia	Yes	1900	Wood	____	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	500
Crab Creek	G. J. Patterson, Penrose	Yes	1858	Wood	300	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	1,200
Cross Roads	Miss Virgie Russell, Zirconia	Yes	1912	Wood	250	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	2,000
Dana	Mrs. W. T. Willis, Hendersonville	Yes	1937	Brick	300	8	2	8	6,000	200	3,000	8,500
East Flat Rock	John A. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	Yes	1911	Wood	400	3	3	9	3,000	_____	_____	10,000
Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia	Yes	1926	S & W	550	11	____	9	_____	_____	_____	10,000
Ebenezer	B. C. Marlow, Hendersonville	Yes	1940	Brick	600	5	____	5	5,000	_____	_____	10,000
Etowah	Annie Mae Parker, Etowah	Yes	1926	Brick	200	7	1	7	_____	_____	_____	2,000
Fletcher	Howard Crook, Fletcher	Yes	1926	Brick	350	10	____	10	3,000	_____	5,000	20,000
French Broad	Elinor W. Heymann, Hendersonville	Yes	1906	Brick	350	1	____	4	300	_____	_____	3,000
Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, Hendersonville	No	____	_____	____	____	____	____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hendersonville, 1st	W. H. Cale, Hendersonville	Yes	1844	Brick	700	48	7	48	24,000	_____	_____	77,000
Holly Springs	Sell Kilpatrick, Penrose	Yes	1860	Wood	200	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	1,000
Hooper's Creek	Vollie J. Suttles, Fletcher	Yes	____	Wood	400	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	5,500
Horse Shoe	Mrs. H. P. Houk, Horse Shoe	Yes	1906	Wood	250	2	____	2	_____	_____	_____	2,000
Jones Gap	A. F. Finlay, Hendersonville	Yes	1913	Wood	200	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	2,000
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville	Yes	1911	Wood	100	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	1,200
Locust Grove	Paul Clingerpeel, Hendersonville	Yes	____	Wood	150	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	600
Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow	Yes	1925	Wood	150	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	1,000
Mills River	G. C. Field, Horse Shoe	Yes	1902	Wood	200	3	1	2	_____	_____	_____	2,000
Mt. Gilead	Mrs. Masie Crawford, Horse Shoe	Yes	1913	Wood	250	____	____	____	1,000	_____	_____	1,000
Mountain Home	R. W. Jones, Edneyville	Yes	1872	Wood	400	7	____	7	_____	_____	_____	2,000
Mt. Moriah	Sidney C. Hill, Edneyville	Yes	1896	Wood	500	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	3,500
Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda, R1	Yes	1938	Stone	250	1	____	1	_____	_____	_____	3,500
Mountain Valley	Elmo Corn, Zirconia	Yes	1931	Wood	180	1	____	____	_____	_____	_____	1,500
Mt. Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville, R5	Yes	1900	Wood	100	1	____	2	_____	_____	_____	500
Mud Creek	Edith Bollinger, Hendersonville	Yes	1900	Wood	500	12	____	12	2,250	_____	_____	5,000
Pacolet	W. K. Ross, Lynn	Yes	1910	Wood	200	10	2	4	3,600	_____	_____	5,000
Pleasant Grove	Walter H. Gray, Hendersonville, R4	Yes	1912	Wood	300	3	2	2	_____	_____	_____	2,000
Refuge	Annie Marie Jackson, Flat Rock	Yes	1885	Wood	500	16	2	14	1,500	_____	_____	6,000
Saluda	E. B. Hall, Saluda	Yes	1882	Wood	200	4	1	4	2,000	_____	_____	2,000
Shaws Creek	Claude M. Drake, Hendersonville	Yes	1926	Brick	300	10	1	10	5,000	_____	_____	6,500
Tryon First	J. B. Hester, Tryon	Yes	1891	Wood	250	14	2	14	11,000	1,969	5,000	17,500
Tryon Second	Gertrude Howard, Tryon	No	____	_____	____	____	____	____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Tuxedo	S. W. Bayne, Tuxedo	Yes	1926	Wood	300	14	1	14	8,000	_____	_____	10,000
Valley Hill	Ruby Brown, Hendersonville	Yes	1908	W & B	360	15	2	13	2,000	_____	_____	2,875
West Hendersonville		Yes	1936	Wood	350	3	____	3	2,000	_____	_____	2,500
TOTALS		____	____	_____	11,940	242	27	227	$60,425	$ 2,169	$13,000	$251,275

Table VI **GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK, CAROLINA ASSOCIATION** July 31, 1942

CHURCHES	CHURCH TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Amount Paid Pastor	Other Salaries, Including Assistant Pastor, Etc.	Pastoral Supply and Ministerial Help	Building, Additions and Repairs	Paid on Church Debt and Interest	Incidental Expenses	Literature for Sunday School, B.T.U. & W.M.U.	Help for Local Poor	Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	Total for All Local Church Work
Balfour	W. E. Hammond, Balfour	1,346.84		215.00	388.39		209.49	169.41			216.66	2,545.79
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	280.00		111.14			25.00	21.79		2.00	34.31	474.69
Bear Wallow	Ruth Morrell, Gerton	192.06	10.95		3.00		31.50	34.84		1.50		273.85
Beulah		185.51			26.83		44.20	30.00				294.92
Berea		89.79			10.00		12.00	10.00	20.00			146.79
Cedar Springs	Eliza Morgan, Zirconia, R1	162.00			75.82		5.13	29.09				272.04
Crab Creek	Seldon Osteen, Hendersonville	160.00			175.00		29.00	17.28		2.00		383.28
Cross Roads	Mrs. Mintie Lindsay, Zirconia	76.32		17.65			12.50	9.85		1.25		117.65
Dana	George J. Hill, Hendersonville	927.00		59.00	173.97	900.00	137.59	53.78	85.30	5.00	44.95	2,386.59
East Flat Rock	Hugh D. Morrison, Hendersonville	1,166.86	5.00	126.00	967.61		135.71	159.18	28.00	5.00	17.00	2,610.36
Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia	149.45					10.00	14.00				173.45
Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Hendersonville	163.63	40.00		250.00		47.00	37.00				537.63
Etowah	G. C. Morgan, Etowah	247.43	8.00	8.80	3.00		24.00	36.70	42.19	2.00	9.92	374.04
Fletcher	Mrs. N. A. Garren, Fletcher	654.00		79.55	639.30		145.65	66.77	25.00	3.00	131.04	1,744.31
French Broad	Mrs. R. M. Pinson, Hendersonville	180.00					126.07	27.29		1.50		324.86
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pou, Hendersonville	300.00		72.65			61.97	92.90		3.00		530.52
Hendersonville, 1st	B. B. Massagee, Hendersonville	3,935.00	1,266.10	125.00	543.79		3,590.52	640.10	386.60	30.00	5,452.63	15,969.74
Holly Springs	Sell Kilpatrick, Penrose	90.00					5.00	12.00		1.00		108.00
Hooper's Creek	Brownlow Garren, Fletcher	630.39			150.00		75.00		161.88		66.00	1,083.27
Horse Shoe	J. C. Heffner, Hendersonville, R4	284.00		105.00	12.50		82.13	28.92		2.50	23.15	538.20
Jones Gap	Mrs. M. S. McCarson, H'ville	96.00					12.00	26.48				134.48
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Jones, Edneyville	57.00			100.00			8.00		1.00		166.00
Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hendersonville	30.00	15.00		50.00		4.00	20.00			7.00	126.00
Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow	58.94		41.00	14.90		25.82	11.54				152.20
Mills River	Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe	284.36					75.62	39.73		3.00	53.80	456.51
Mt. Gilead	S. L. Crawford, Horse Shoe	348.94		115.05	100.26		71.77	8.47		3.00	103.00	750.49
Mountain Home		281.01		27.00	2.50		27.00	30.00	10.00	1.60		389.11
Mt. Moriah	Sidney C. Hill, Edneyville	253.87			104.58		36.33	31.50			20.03	446.31
Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda	161.06				1.98	46.00	7.84				217.48
Mountain Valley	Grant Maybin, Zirconia	150.00		18.10	80.00		14.00	22.00	13.00			297.00
Mt. Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville, R2	100.00		25.00				10.00		1.00	8.70	144.70
Mud Creek	Bert Maxwell, Hendersonville	483.74		60.62	183.75		219.17	121.55	23.26	7.00	77.92	1,177.01
Pacolet	Miss Jennie Ballard, Lynn	527.50		25.00			97.87	61.02	4.70			716.09
Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah	148.00			115.00		16.60	30.00	20.00			279.60
Refuge	Mrs. B. E. Hyder, Dana	773.79			41.40		166.08	121.73	489.09	5.00	37.21	1,634.30
Saluda	R. L. Savage, Saluda	717.00		50.00			79.03	50.82	18.08	5.00	41.98	960.92
Shaws Creek	Harvey F. Drake, Hendersonville	814.84			1,160.79		224.46	180.15	14.08	3.00	9.00	1,706.35
Tryon First	B. L. Ballenger, Tryon	1,602.00			101.00	375.00	639.67	160.62	5.30	5.00	111.65	3,000.24
Tryon Second	W. F. Cantrell, Tryon	300.00		224.13	394.90		86.00	78.46	256.68	3.00		1,043.17
Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	938.63		16.22		2,306.57	235.34	210.57	6.00			3,713.33
Valley Hill	L. L. Morris, Hendersonville	719.38			180.00		116.43	156.94		4.50	62.01	1,219.26
West Hendersonville	Mrs. Horace Jones, Hendersonville	279.68		48.43	50.00		134.35	69.60	5.29			586.91
TOTALS		20,346.02	1,345.05	1,570.94	6,098.29	3,583.55	7,137.00	4,036.92	1,611.40	101.85	6,527.96	55,490.44

Table VII **GIFTS FOR MISSIONS & BENEVOLENCES, CAROLINA ASSOCIATION** July 31, 1942

CHURCHES	CHURCH TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Cooperative Program	State Missions	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Orphanages	Hospitals	Hundred Thousand Club	Other Special Causes	Total Gifts For Missions and Benevolences	Grand Total of All Gifts for Local Church Work, Missions and Benevolences
Balfour	W. E. Hammond, Balfour	$	$135.94	$	$	$ 111.94	$ 17.20	$	$	$ 265.08	$ 2,810.87
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	63.67	7.00	7.43		83.99	13.10	12.00	58.00	255.19	729.78
Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrell, Gerton	15.55	6.50			18.38		6.66		48.04	320.89
Beulah		33.45				37.18	18.25			88.88	383.83
Berea						10.00			15.00	25.00	173.79
Cedar Springs	Eliza Morgan, Zirconia, R1	10.00		3.50	3.50	8.50	6.93		1.10	33.53	305.57
Cross Roads	Mrs. Mintie Lindsay, Zirconia					12.00	2.25			14.25	131.90
Dana	George J. Hill, Hendersonvillle	124.80	5.00	22.33	22.02	41.05	10.53	42.20	20.10	289.03	2,675.62
East Flat Rock	Hugh D. Morrison, Hendersonville	73.46	25.00	241.61	28.69	457.84	48.00	12.00	3.25	901.85	3,512.21
Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia		9.00			10.00				19.00	192.45
Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Hendersonville					59.07	21.41			80.48	618.11
Etowah	G. C. Morgan, Etowah	47.66	5.00			104.07	10.00			167.73	541.77
Fletcher	Mrs. N. A. Garren, Fletcher	54.76				68.31	4.73	12.00		139.80	1,884.11
French Broad	Mrs. R. M. Pinson, Hendersonville, R5	25.00				25.08	18.23		161.85	230.16	545.02
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pou, Hendersonville	47.70	33.85	15.66	57.75	74.40	22.25	16.00	15.15	294.76	825.28
Hendersonville, 1st	B. B. Massagee, Hendersonville	3.508.22	7.50	5.00	110.96	582.63	25.26	89.40	151.35	4,507.52	20,477.26
Hooper's Creek	Brownlow Garren, Fletcher			16.88		25.00	18.35			60.23	1,143.50
Horse Shoe	J. C. Heffner, Hendersonville					32.66	5.00			37.56	575.76
Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow					10.00	26.75			36.75	188.95
Mills River	Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe	81.69	12.88	6.30	12.16	99.42	12.16		19.00	243.61	700.12
Mt. Gilead	S. L. Crawford, Horse Shoe	1.00				9.81	2.45		2.45	15.71	831.69
Mountain Home						14.09				14.09	403.20
Mt. Moriah	Sidney C. Hill, Edneyville	5.26				75.00	3.45	13.50		96.71	543.02
Mountain Valley	Grant Maybin, Zirconia					19.62				19.62	316.62
Mt. Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville, R2	14.00				21.45				35.45	180.15
Mud Creek	Bert Maxwell, Hendersonville	107.67								107.67	1,284.62
Pacolet	Miss Jennie Ballard, Lynn			14.50		8.00	10.00			32.50	748.59
Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah					31.15	8.85			40.00	319.50
Refuge	Mrs. B. E. Hyder, Dana	67.00	177.09			65.50	12.40		8.55	351.54	1,985.84
Saluda	R. L. Savage, Saluda	173.75	13.73	9.02	77.50	68.18	5.23	13.60		357.21	1,318.13
Shaws Creek	Harvey F. Drake, Hendersonville	70.52			13.05	21.55				105.12	1,811.47
Tryon First	B. L. Ballenger, Tryon	295.70	15.15	17.48	18.80	72.99		48.00	44.10	513.22	3,513.46
Tryon Second	W. T. Cantrell, Tryon					48.00				48.00	1,091.17
Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	51.00	38.60	9.00	34.08	26.49	7.80		18.10	197.10	4,111.92
Valley Hill	L. L. Morris, Hendersonville		25.00	25.00	25.00	53.34	31.30		53.00	212.64	1,531.90
West Hendersonville	Mrs. Horace Jones, Hendersonville	47.35				47.35	6.50			101.20	688.11
Amount contributed to	local work by non-missionary churches										1,146.24
TOTALS		$4,920.21	$517.24	$447.41	$402.51	$1,842.06	$366.40	$265.36	$571.00	$9,984.24	$60,571.82

NOTE 1—The following churches reported no gifts at all for missions and benevolences: Crab Creek, Holly Springs, Jones Gap, Liberty, Locust Grove, Mt. Page. The names and addresses of the Treasurers of these churches will be found in Table VI. The amount contributed by these churches is included in Grand Total above.

NOTE 2—The following gifts from the following churches have been properly credited in the totals above, although so few churches contributed to these that special columns were not run for them: Given to Schools and Colleges: Dana $1.00, Hendersonville First $26.00, Refuge $21.00, Tryon First $1.00, Tuxedo $15.03; Given to Seminaries: Saluda $1.20; Given to Aged Minister's Relief: Fruitland $12.00.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

OF THE

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

HELD AT

Refuge Baptist Church

June 10, 1942

Next Meeting: First Church, Hendersonville - Time: June

Officers of the Woman's Missionary Union

Auxiliary to the Carolina Association

Superintendent ---------- Mrs. O. J. Smith, Hendersonville
Associate Superintendent ---------- Mrs. Mary C. Brinson, Hendersonville
Secretary-Treasurer ---------- Mrs. B. E. Wall, Hendersonville
Asst. Secretary and Reporter ---------- Miss Eugenia Morrison, Hendersonville
Personal Service Chairman ---------- Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Dana
Stewardship Chairman ---------- Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Hendersonville
Mission Study Chairman ---------- Mrs. A. W. Drake, Hendersonville
Margaret Fund Chairman ---------- Mrs. W. W. Worley, Tuxedo
Young People's Leader ---------- Mrs. B. G. Henry, Tryon
Y. W. A. Counselor ---------- Miss Nancy Barton, Hendersonville
G. A. Counselor ---------- Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield, Hendersonville
R. A. Counselor ---------- Mrs. B. G. Henry, Tryon
Sunbeam Counselor ---------- Mrs. Junius Huggins, Hendersonville

District Leaders

Number 1 ---------- Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Dana
Number 2 ---------- Mrs. Howard Garren, Fletcher
Number 3 ---------- Mrs. H. L. F. Drake, Hendersonville
Number 4 ---------- Mrs. W. E. Crawford, Tuxedo
Number 5 ---------- Mrs. Fred Arledge, Saluda
Number 6 ---------- Mrs. C. R. Staggs, Balfour

The Annual Meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union, auxiliary to the Carolina Baptist Association, opened at 10:00 o'clock Wednesday, June 10, 1942, at Refuge Baptist Church, Mrs. E. M. Bostick, presiding.

Theme: "O, Send Out Thy Light and Truth."

Opening Hymn: "The Light of the World is Jesus."

Devotion: "O, Send Out Thy Light," by Rev. W. W. Worley.

A motion was made and carried that the program, in hand, be adopted as the program of the day.

Greetings were extended by Mrs. D. M. Pace of Refuge Baptist Church. Response by Mrs. F. M. Huggins.

Greetings from Ridges Association in South Carolina were extended to the Carolina Association by means of a letter. A motion was made

that a message be wired this organization, whose date of meeting was the same as ours.

Recognition of Visitors: Mrs. Gordon Middleton, Raleigh; Mrs. W. E. Briggs, State Secretary, Raleigh; Mrs. J. R. Morgan, Divisional Superintendent, Waynesville; Mrs. D. M. Lawton, Ridgecrest.

Recognition of Pastors: Rev. N. A. Melton, Fruitland; Rev. W. W. Worley, Tuxedo.

Recognition of Divisional Chairmen: Mrs. J. R. Morgan, Superintendent of Division; Mrs. A. W. Drake, Mission Study Chairman; Mrs. L. E. Jaeckel, Stewardship Chairman.

The following committees were appointed: Resolution Committee, and Committee on Time and Place.

Roll Call of Churches showed 11 churches represented; the number present, 74.

Under old business Mrs. Powell, Chairman of the Scholarship Fund, reported that she had written each society asking them for $10.00. She had nine replies. Mrs. Powell asked to be excused from serving on the committee another year. A motion was made and carried that the matter be left in the hands of the Executive Committee.

Mrs. D. M. Lawton, a returned missionary from China, brought a missionary message of great force and power. She inspired the ladies to give more, to pray more, and to work more.

The Superintendent, Mrs. E. M. Bostick, gave a brief resume of the Personal Service in the Association, before she introduced Mrs. Gordon Middleton, State Personal Service Chairman. Mrs. Middleton led in an open discussion of Personal Service. Questions were asked and answered by Mrs. Middleton. Then she made an inspirational talk on "Serving."

The Superintendent announced that the display of the linen for the hospital would be in the back of the room.

Prayer by Rev. W. W. Worley.

Lunch.

Opening hymn: "The Light of the World is Jesus." Devotion: "O, Send Out Thy Truth," Mrs. D. M. Briggs.

Margaret Fund Chairman, Mrs. W. W. Worley, recognized gifts from a number of societies. She stated North Carolina is second in having the largest number of Margaret Fund students in schools in the states.

Training School Chairman was absent.

Personal Service Chairman was absent but sent her report, which was read by the Secretary.

Mission Study Chairman, Mrs. A. W. Drake, reported 416 people in classes. (See table for further information.)

Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. F. M. Huggins, in presenting her report, reminded the ladies of the wonderful privilege we have. Her report showed a deficit in the Hundred Thousand Club.

Mrs. B. G. Henry, Young People's Leader, reported 7 Sunbeam Bands in the Association. She presented a mother, a counselor, and a Sunbeam in a little program.

11 G. A.'s were reported with 2 memberships in the Hundred Thousand Club. 9 G. R.'s were reported with 3 memberships in the Hundred Thousand Club. 7 Y. W. A.'s were reported with 3 memberships in the Hundred Thousand Club.

Mrs. B. G. Henry, Young People's Director, introduced the Y. W. A. Leader for the Association, Miss Nancy Barton. She spoke encouragingly of the work.

Special music by Refuge Baptist Church.

The Superintendent gave a report of her six months' work, which follows:

Superintendent's Report

In viewing the work of the Missionary Organizations of the Carolina Association during the past year, we have cause for gratitude for the way in which the Lord has blessed our efforts. Someone has said that every new epoch in history began with an idea in the mind of some leader. Perhaps, the greatest progress which can be seen by those of us who have followed the work is not the gains which have been made in numbers of organizations or increased gifts and activities, but in the thinking of our women. There is a greater realization that if we are to give our best to the work of the Kingdom abroad we must first make the missionary a vital, living force in our own lives and in the life of every church in this association. When this really grips us then we will begin to "enlarge the place of our tent and stretch the curtain of our habitation."

We have made some gains during the year. We have added two new Women's Societies to our list and reorganized two. West Hendersonville and Mountain Home have new societies, and Ebenezer and Balfour have reorganized. There are twenty Woman's Missionary Societies in the Association and these twenty societies have held forty-seven Mission Study classes, thirty-six observances of prayer for missions, and while only eight reported organized community missions, there is some form of personal service being done in most of the societies.

As touching the Young People's York, we have thirty-four organizations. A Sunbeam society and a Royal Ambassador band have been organized at Tuxedo, and a Royal Ambassador group in Saluda. These thirty-four organizations have held nineteen Mission Study classes and forty-five observances of prayer for missions. Three Women's Societies and eight Young People's organizations have reached the A-1 class on the Standard of Excellence.

While our Hundred Thousand Club memberships have increased from 36 to 41 we fell far below the $900.00 which we were apportioned last year. We raised only $425.00. We must press this matter before every society in our group and those who have been giving must double or trebble their gifts and those who have not been giving at all will certainly get under the burden with us if we are to reach our goal of $985.00 this year. I am happy to report that we increased our gifts by fifty per cent the first quarter of this year over the first quarter of last year. Our total gifts to Kingdom work amounted to $3,694.01, which is an increase of more than thirteen per cent.

These are some of the things, by the grace of the Lord, that we have done, but it is only a beginning. The task before is a challenging one. There are thirty-two churches in the Association with no missionary organizations at all; forty-four with no Y. W. A.; forty-one with no G. A.; forty-five having no R. A., and forty-three having no Sunbeam. This means that a little less than two-thirds of our people have no missionary training and a vast host of young people are passing the years with a partial understanding of Christ's mission to the world. Such a record should stir us to thought and arouse us to the urgency of the task.

Respectfully submitted,
(MRS.) NELL L. BOSTICK, Supt.

The Treasurer for 1941-1942 reported as follows: Receipts: Balance $7.38, Fletcher $1.00, Dana $1.00, Tryon $4.00, Tuxedo $1.00, Saluda $3.00, Total Receipts $17.38. Disbursements: Dr. Feilder $1.30, Sec'y. expenses for postage $1.40, Supt. expenses for postage $2.00, Mrs. D. M. Lawton $2.00, Mrs. Bostick for State Convention $5.50, Burney Fund for Saluda W. M. S. $1.00, Total Disbursements $13.00. Balance on hand June 10, 1942, $4.18.

Mrs. D. M. Briggs had an open conference. Sheets of questions were passed out; answers were supplied by Mrs. Briggs.

Report of Committees: Obituary, Mrs. O. J. Smith; Literature, no report; Nominating Committee, Mrs. Bonsteel. The officers appearing elsewhere in the minutes were elected, Mrs. Morgan presiding. (The Superintendent's place was not filled by the Nominating Committee, but by the Exceutive Committee in July.)

Report of Resolution Committee: Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield, Chairman, expressed appreciation to the hostess church for their entertainment, and to the visitors for their messages of encouragement and inspiration.

Report of Time-Place Committee: Mrs. E. L. Marshall stated the Committee accepted the invitation from the First Church, Hendersonville. Time: June.

The following Committees were appointed to serve for 1942-1943:

Nominating: Mrs. M. L. Walker, Mrs. H. M. Russ, Mrs. T. S. Mulliken, Mrs. Thomas Mann, Mrs. C. R. Staggs, Mrs. Richard Thompson.

Literature: Miss Nancy Barton, Mrs. Marie Crawford, Mrs. A. H. Prestwood.

Obituary: Mrs. W. A. Bennett, Mrs. Roy Barger, Mrs. Abner Garren.

The meeting was closed with prayer by Rev. N. A. Melton. Adjournment.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. BROADUS E. WALL, Secretary.

MRS. E. M. BOSTICK, Superintendent.

W. M. S. REPORT, CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	Number of Societies	Number of Members	Number of Mission Study Classes	Number of Tithers	Subscriptions to Royal Service	Number Memberships to H. T. Club	Offering to Cooperative Program	Special Offering to Missions	Special Offering to Orphanage & Hospital	Gifts to Hundred Thousand Club
Bat Cave	Mrs. T. L. Mann, Bat Cave	1	5	1	1	5	1	$ 12.88	$ 9.00	$ 26.00	$ 10.00
Dana	Mrs. E. T. Marshall, Dana	1	15	3	9	4	1	24.15	39.15	3.00	4.00
East Flat Rock	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	1	18	3	12	6	1	32.30	106.78	4.50	7.80
Ebenezer	Mrs. Dora Orr	1	10	----	1	3	----	--------	3.00	81.41	2.00
Etowah	Mrs. J. E. Gonce, Etowah	1	11	----	2	3	----	12.00	9.72	50.54	-----
Fletcher	Mrs. Abner Garren, Fletcher	1	22	----	15	4	1	14.70	.50	-----	12.00
Fruitland	Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, Hendersonville	1	15	2	10	6	2	25.45	24.26	9.48	13.00
Hendersonville, 1st	Mrs. W. A. Bennett, Hendersonville	1	142	2	40	21	23	2,207.45	252.20	-----	276.57
Mt. Gilead	Mrs. T. W. Hawes, Arden	1	6	----	5	2	----	5.75	-----	1.61	-----
Mt. Moriah	Mrs. T. S. Mulliken	1	12	2	4	3	1	3.00	7.55	1.00	12.00
Refuge	Mrs. Roy Barger	1	15	2	6	4	1	7.50	59.00	39.00	6.00
Saluda	Mrs. R. L. Savage	1	15	2	2	11	1	34.15	10.10	2.00	12.60
Tryon, First	Mrs. B. G. Henry	1	55	3	----	20	4	230.15	51.43	-----	48.00
Tuxedo	Mrs. W. W. Worley	1	14	3	3	5	2	150.00	29.68	-----	-----

REPORT OF YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

CHURCHES	COUNSELORS	No. Organizations	Number of Members	Number of Tithers	Number Special Offerings	Number World Comrades	Number of Windows	Special Offering to Missions	Special Offering to Co-op Program	Gifts to Hundred Thousand Club
Y. W. A.										
Dana	Mrs. R. T. Pace	1	9	5	3		3	$ 2.90	$ 4.74	$
East Flat Rock	Mrs. E. L. Porter	1	8		4		5	14.80		
Hendersonville, 1st	Miss Nancy Barton, Miss Edith Roper	2	36	11			6		201.60	18.00
Refuge	Mrs. E. L. Pace	1	9	5	4		1	35.00	7.50	6.00
Saluda	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	1	5				1		9.47	
Tuxedo	Mrs. W. E. Crawford	1	16	4	1		2			
Junior G. A.										
Dana	Mrs. E. L. Marshall	1	3	3	4	1		.60	1.19	12.00
East Flat Rock	Miss Reba Fields	1	14	4	3	2		4.84	8.07	12.00
Hendersonville, 1st	Mrs. M. L. Walker	1	16		3				23.08	
Mount Moriah	Mrs. Willard Turner	1	11	1	3	1		1.90	1.90	.50
Tryon	Mrs. W. R. Hoots	1	9	2	4	1		1.70	5.20	
Tuxedo	Miss Mary Sue Waters	1	12		1	2				
Intermediate G. A.										
Dana	Mrs. Willie Henderson	1	5	3	3	1		2.70	6.81	
East Flat Rock	Miss Edith Hart	1	5	3	4	2		2.80	1.14	
Hendersonville, 1st	Mrs. P. A. Fulmer	1	15			5			61.73	
Refuge	Mrs. Willis Allen	1	14	3		1		2.15		
Sunbeams										
Dana	Mrs. M. L. Pace	1	6	1	3	1		4.40	4.81	
East Flat Rock	Mrs. O. M. Magness	1	15	5	4	1		2.45	2.10	
Hendersonville, 1st	Mrs. L. C. Peek	1	34			3			60.35	
Refuge	Miss Marie Case	1	14	2		1				
Tryon	Mrs. W. E. Spangle	1	8		4	1		1.23	1.35	
Tuxedo	Miss Emma K. Waters	1	10		1	1		1.05		
Junior R. A.										
Dana	Mrs. George Hill	1	5	3	4			1.18	1.95	12.00
Hendersonville, 1st	Mr. P. A. Fulmer	1	15		1	5			36.44	6.00
Mount Moriah	Mrs. T. S. Mulliken	1	5	4	3	1		2.00	1.40	.50
Saluda	Mrs. R. L. Savage	1	6			3				
Tryon	Mrs. B. G. Henry	1	4	1	4	1		1.20	5.20	
Intermediate R. A.										
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda	1	9	5	4	1		1.21	1.77	11.00
East Flat Rock	Mr. M. K. Sinclair	1	7	3	4	2		2.26	1.16	
Hendersonville, 1st	Mr. P. A. Fulmer	1	12			2			13.65	2.00

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

OFFICERS

D. G. WILKIE, Moderator ..... Tuxedo, N. C.
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M. K. SINCLAIR, Treasurer ..... Flat Rock, N. C.
NOAH HOLLOWELL, Auditor and Historian ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
A. I. JUSTICE, Asst. Historian and Librarian ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
M. L. WALKER, Recorder Representative ..... Hendersonville, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

D. G. Wilkie, N. B. Phillips, A. V. Reese, O. M. Seigler,
M. L. Walker, E. M. Walker, Jack Bagwell

STANDING COMMITTEES

State Missions ..... N. A. Melton
Home Missions ..... T. E. Thompson
Foreign Missions ..... J. C. Owen
Ministers' Relief and Retirement ..... O. M. Seigler
Orphanage ..... M. L. Walker
B. T. U. ..... O. J. Smith
W. M. U. ..... Mrs. O. J. Smith
Sunday Schools ..... Roy Huggins
Christian Education ..... E. M. Walker
Temperance and Public Morals ..... J. E. Shipman
Periodicals ..... Annabel Raines
Hospitals ..... Mrs. L. E. Jaeckel
Promotion ..... B. G. Henry
Church Music ..... Roy C. Bennett
Obituaries ..... J. N. Shuford

GROUPS OF CHURCHES

For the convenience of the Associational workers, the Association is divided into Groups as follows:

GROUP 1: Mount Moriah, Mountain Home, Bat Cave, Middle Fork, Broad River, Laurel Springs, Bear Wallow, Barnwell, Liberty, Fruitland, Dana, and Locust Grove.

GROUP 2: Etowah, Mills River, Mount Gilead, French Broad, Fletcher, Mount Zion, Horse Shoe, and Hoopers Creek.

GROUP 3: Crab Creek, Holly Springs, Beulah, Jones Gap, Berea, Pleasant Grove, Pleasant Hill, Mount Olive, and Mud Creek.

GROUP 4: Oak Grove, Zion Hill, Cross Roads, Tuxedo, Green River, Cedar Springs, Double Springs, and Mountain Valley.

GROUP 5: Tryon First, Tryon Second, Pacolet, Warrior Mountain, Friendship, Macedonia, Saluda, and Mountain Page.

GROUP 6: Hendersonville First, East Flat Rock, Valley Hill, Balfour, Shaws Creek, West Hendersonville, Refuge, Ebenezer, and Calvary Baptist.

MINISTERS' CONFERENCE

The Baptist Ministers' Conference of the Carolina Association meets at the First Baptist Church, Hendersonville, 10:00 A.M., each Monday. O. M. Seigler, President; Thomas E. Thompson, Secretary.

ROLL OF MESSENGERS

BALFOUR—B. H. Raines, F. M. McCarson, W. N. Shultz, W. J. Mills, Mrs. Harvey Erwin, Misses Bright Rhodes and Edna Corn.

BAT CAVE—T. L. Mann, Mrs. Carrie Cannon, Mrs. D. T. Freeman.

BEAR WALLOW—J. O. Wall, Foy Wall, Mrs. Foy Wall, R. M. V. Merrell.

BEREA—Rev. J. E. Blythe.

BEULAH—P. L. Cantrell, J. L. Huggins, J. W. Cantrell, T. A. Drake, M. K. Dalton, J. P. Huggins.

BROAD RIVER—L. B. Ledbetter, Arman, Parker, Robert Owenby.

CEDAR SPRINGS—W. P. Bane, C. F. Ward, Allie Smith, Myrtle Beddingfield.

CROSS ROADS—Mrs. Mintie Lindsay, Gladys Lindsay, Sue Jones, Alice Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Maybin, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Williams, Joy Burrell, Robert Coggins.

DANA—Mrs. M. L. Pace, George J. Hill, W. E. Lowe, W. K. Hyder, W. T. Willis.

DOUBLE SPRINGS—J. L. Hardaway, L. A. Anderson, L. M. Ward, W. F. Shipman, Dorothy Hudson.

EAST FLAT ROCK—Mrs. N. B. Phillips, J. M. Deal, J. D. Thompson, Mrs. Roy Bennison, M. K. Sinclair, Fred Stepp, Mrs. W. L. Petty, Nora Jones, Mrs. Nora Nanney, Nettie Jones.

EBENEZER—Virgil D. Jones, Mrs. Grace Hyder, Mrs. Dora Orr, Mrs. Mildred Orr, Mae Orr, Blanche Searcy, Homer Whitesides.

ETOWAH—G. O. Morgan, Mrs. Annie Mae Parker, Mrs. C. W. Hensley, Mrs. Julian Blythe, Mrs. W. A. Morgan, C. W. Sumner.

FLETCHER—Howard Garren, Frances Galyean, Mrs. Tom Baldwin, Mrs. W. B. Moore, Sid Moore, Claude Cunningham, Dorothy Crook, Mrs. James Cunningham.

FRENCH BROAD—Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hooper, Walter Hooper, Jr.

FRUITLAND—Howard Pryor, Staley Pressley, Joe Goforth, Junius Huggins, Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, Mrs. Clara Pace, Mrs. H. L. F. Drake, J. M. Garren, Mrs. A. B. Bonsteel, Mrs. Joe Goforth.

HENDERSONVILLE FIRST—J. Foy Justice, Nancy Barton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cale, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Smith, G. W. Justice, Noah Hollowell, Mrs. W. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Walker, Mrs. Albert Drake, J. E. Shipman, Roy Huggins, Roy Martin, J. S. Sargent, Mrs. R. P. Freeman.

HOOPERS' CREEK—W. Youngblood, G. C. Wilkie, Homer Taylor, Woodrow Wilkie, Mrs. Alice Garren, Mrs. Allie Suttles, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Suttles.

HORSE SHOE—Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Davenport, Norman Willis, Mrs. Harry Southers, Mrs. Finley Pace.

LIBERTY—Ralph Nix.

LOCUST GROVE—Lee Corn.

MIDDLE FORK—B. E. Huntley, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Searcy, Mrs. M. J. Huntley, Mrs. Luther Hill.

MILLS RIVER—Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Bryson, G. C. Field, Reba Field, Mrs. Minnie Gillespie, Mrs. Myrtle Gillespie.

MOUNT GILEAD—Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lanning, Nelson Suttles, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crawford, Mrs. C. M. Hughes, Mrs. Margie Ballard, Mrs. Bertha Lyda, Sue Lyda, Ida Bryson, Dorothy Lance, Pauline Suttles.

MOUNTAIN HOME—Lloyd Williams, M. A. Martin, Claude Justice, Ralph Nix, Bertha Gilbert, Faye Martin, R. W. Jones.

MOUNT MORIAH—W. F. Hill, Luther Ledbetter, Mrs. Luther Ledbetter.

MOUNTAIN PAGE—Ted C. Ward, Edward Hill, H. P. Pace, Thomas McClure, Edward McClure.

MOUNT ZION—I. K. Gilbert, J. E. Cox.

MUD CREEK—J. B. Williams, R. S. Steadman, Spurgeon Pace, Smiley McCall, Mrs. Maggie Perry, Mamie Orr, Lula Kent, Bobbie Sherman.

PACOLET—Charlie Foster, Mrs. C. Constance, Mrs. Fred Revan, Mrs. Lewis Blackwell, Mrs. Alta Lawrence, Krider Ross.

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SALUDA—J. C. Owen, Dexter G. Jeter, Wm. G. Egerton, J. N. Anglin, Mrs. J. C. Owen.

SHAWS CREEK—Mrs. Harvey F. Drake, Mrs. Ed Merrell, Mrs. E. D. Perkins, Gladys Bruce, W. A. Drake, Claude M. Drake.

TRYON FIRST—Mrs. B. G. Henry, Mrs. E. L. Bishop.

TRYON SECOND—W. T. Cantrell, Stuard Bradshaw, Lee Thompson, L. R. Kuykendall, C. T. Whitmire, Herman Burris.

TUXEDO—W. E. Crawford, S. W. Bayne, Mrs. W. E. Crawford, Mrs. W. W. Worley, Mrs. Harvey Lindsey.

VALLEY HILL—Mr. and Mrs. Kilstrom, Mrs. Neville, Mrs. Shenton, Miss Karling.

WEST HENDERSONVILLE—Mrs. Horace Jones, Mrs. J. W. Brown, Frank Kelly.

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PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION

The Sixty-Seventh Annual Session of the Carolina Baptist Association met with the Fletcher Baptist Church on August 3, 1943, at 10 A. M.

Otis Huggins led the congregation in singing "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," after which Rev. J. C. Owen conducted the devotional, using the eighth chapter of John as his Scripture and "Freedom in Christ" as his theme. The Rev. W. H. Davis led in prayer

Messengers from the various churches stood as the Roll of Churches was called.

The organization was completed by the election of the following officers: D. G. Wilkie, Moderator; N. B. Phillips, Vice-Moderator; A. V. Reese, Clerk; M. K. Sinclair, Treasurer; Noah Hollowell, Auditor and Historian; A. I. Justice, Assistant Historian and Librarian; M. L. Walker, Recorder Representative.

The program was adopted as read with a few minor changes to suit the convenience of the speakers.

The following new pastors were welcomed into our Association: O. M. Seigler, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Hendersonville; E. M. Walker, pastor of Tuxedo Baptist Church; W. H. Whitlock, Mountain Home; J. N. Shuford, Dana; Jack Bagwell, Refuge; J. W. McGuire, Valley Hill; J. L. Hardaway, Double Springs; and J. C. Owen, Saluda.

After the song, "I Am Thine, O Lord," the following visitors were recognized: W. W. Worley of the U. S. Army; M. L. Lewis of Marion; and J. C. Pipes, State Missionary.

The Moderator appointed the special committees as follows:

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER: Victor Rector, S. F. Huntley, and A. J. Nielsen.

RESOLUTIONS: J. C. Owen, Mrs. A. W. Drake, J. B. Guice, and R. S. Steadman.

RECEPTION OF NEW CHURCHES: O. M. Seigler, N. B. Baldwin, and N. B. Phillips.

NOMINATIONS: Otto Parham, Junius Huggins, and Lawrence Erwin.

REVISION OF CONSTITUTION: O. M. Seigler, A. V. Reese, and N. B. Phillips.

The report on the work of the Woman's Missionary Union, read by Mrs. O. J. Smith, was adopted. This report was followed by an address by Rev. O. M. Seigler on Missions.

The Introductory Sermon was delivered by Rev. W. W. Worley. Coming from a soldier himself, the theme and message on a "Soldier for Christ" seemed very effective. Adjourned for lunch.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

After the song and a devotional conducted by Rev. J. N. Shuford on Ephesians 6, the Pastors' Hour was held with M. L. Walker in charge. All pastors were given an opportunity to report any highlights in the year's work. The pastors seemed optimistic about every phase of the work.

A resolution from the Baptist Ministers' Conference in regard to the advantages of an indefinite call instead of an annual election, was read and adopted.

Mrs. J. C. Owen called attention to the starving millions of China, and a collection of more than $50.00 for that object was taken.

A vote of thanks was given the people of Fletcher for their hospitality and their provision for the entertainment of the Association. Adjourned at 3:30 P. M. to convene again at East Flat Rock at 8:00 P. M.

TUESDAY NIGHT SESSION

The Tuesday evening session was held in East Flat Rock Baptist Church. After the devotional by Rev. Jack Bagwell, the new pastor of Refuge Church, the program in charge of O. J. Smith, Associational B. T. U. Director, and Roy Huggins, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, was carried out. Their reports on the Sunday School and Baptist Training Union work were read and adopted. During the evening special music was rendered by a trio from the First Baptist Church of Hendersonvillle.

After an address on "Jesus" by Rev. E. M. Walker, the new pastor of Tuxedo Church, the meeting adjourned.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION

Wednesday morning the Association convened in the East Flat Rock Church, with D. G. Wilkie as Moderator, and Rev. A. V. Reese, Clerk. After songs and the devotional by the Rev. Thos. E. Thompson on Psalm 23, visitors, including M. A. Huggins, Secretary of the Baptist State Board; L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the "Biblical Recorder"; J. A. McMillan, Editor of "Charity and Children"; and J. C. Pipes, State Missionary, were recognized.

Reports were read as follows: State Missions, by J. C. Pipes; Home Missions, Victor Rector; Foreign Missions, Mrs. A. W. Drake; and Ministerial Relief, N. B. Phillips.

A resolution presented by J. C. Owen on a simultaneous evangelistic campaign was unanimously adopted. This will mean an Associational campaign under the State Board Plan during the year 1943.

The editor of the "Biblical Recorder" made a very encouraging report on the increase of subscriptions to our state paper.

M. A. Huggins spoke on "Big Things Happening in North Carolina"; O. M. Seigler gave an address on "Promotion." After a sermon on "Prayer" by Rev. Otto Parham, the session was adjourned for lunch.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The meeting opened with a devotional by Rev. Lawrence Erwin, followed by a vocal solo by L. E. Jaeckel.

The report of the Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher was adopted. The Committee on Reception of Churches reported no new churches.

J. A. McMillan, editor of "Charity and Children," spoke in connection with the report on the Orphanage, which was given by W. H. Davis. The report on Hospitals, prepared by C. F. Jervis but read by J. S. Sargent, was accepted.

A motion was made by J. E. Shipman and carried, to raise the salary of the Clerk to $100.00 per year and to empower the Executive Committee to work out some plan whereby this fund might be secured.

The report on Temperance and Public Morals by J. Foy Justice, was accepted and may be read elsewhere in the minutes. Rev. O. M. Seigler spoke briefly on the subject.

On motion of J. C. Owen, the Association voted to request the State Board to put on a full-time Missionary in this Association, the salary to be paid jointly by the Association and State Board.

After the report on Obituaries by W. H. Cale and the Resolutions of Thanks to the East Flat Rock and Fletcher Churches for their royal entertainment, the sixty-seventh session, which is said to be one of the best in the history of the Carolina Association, closed with a prayer by W. H. Cale.

The Association adjourned to meet one year hence with the Hoopers Creek and Refuge Baptist Churches.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

STATE MISSIONS

For more than a hundred years North Carolina has sought to win the lost people to Christ within their borders. For more than a quarter of a century the State Mission Board has been emphasizing the training and development of those who have joined the churches. No one can begin to estimate the good accomplished by State Missions in the years gone by. State Missions is the hub of all our mission work everywhere. Today the State Mission Board is seeking to advance the cause of Christ through the following channels of activity:

1. Pastoral Assistance: Most of the strong churches were once weak, and many of them received assistance from State Missions. This phase of work still holds a large place in our efforts.

2. Teaching and Training: Through the development of good Sunday Schools and B. T. U.'s we seek to conserve the work of evangelism.

3. Indians: We have one missionary and his wife working among the Indians of Roberson County.

4. We are aiding in the support of two Negro brethren. They are doing a notable work, one as General Secretary, and the other as Sunday School Secretary of the Negro Baptist Convention.

5. Work Among College Students: State Missions provide a few whole or part-time student secretaries in our educational centers.

6. Hospitals and Sanitoriums: We seek to minister to the sick in body and soul at the following institutions: Oteen Western State Sanitorium, at Black Mountain; State Sanitorium; and Samaracand, near Aberdeen.

7. General Missionaries: M. O. Alexander, J. C. Pipes, and D. M. Branch are continuously going over the state, planting the deeper meaning of Stewardship among the churches. At present they are also devoting part of their time to organizing and leading in associational-wide simultaneous evangelistic efforts.

8. Ministry in Camp Areas: Today because of World War No. 2, there has been laid upon the hands and hearts of North Carolina Baptists hundreds of thousands of soldiers in training and of civilians who have been temporarily called from their homes to serve in Government work in the eastern part of our State. To these our great Convention is trying to provide a ministry through our State Mission Board.

General Secretary M. A. Huggins is recognized as a Christian statesman who under God is seeking to lead North Carolina Baptists in building a great Christian state. With a strong home base, he hopes to make it possible for us to carry on for God in a greater way to the ends of the earth.

Respectfully submitted,

E. R. BARTLET.,

HOME MISSIONS

The romance of Home Missions is the romance that clusters around the toil and struggle and sacrifice of devoted, consecrated, heroic men and women who have labored for a nation's spiritual regeneration. It is the romance of mingled faith in God and patriotic devotion to one's country. This is the highest patriotism, for deep in the hearts of men

the principles are laid through faith in Christ that make for the progress and prosperity of the nation.

Occasion for unusual rejoicing among Southern Baptists is the fact that for the first time since 1920 the Home Mission Board is out of debt, the final note of the Board's indebtedness having been paid on May 12, 1943. The payment of this note of $55,000 terminated a struggle against debt for fifteen years during which time the Home Mission Board paid a total of $2,425,531.91 on debts. One-fourth of this amount was paid by the Hundred Thousand Club and the remainder from the Co-operative Program and denominational receipts.

The Board's report shows a total of 435 workers on all fields. During the year thirteen new missionaries were added, forty-three stations opened and six churches constituted. Missionaries distributed 14,445 Bibles and Testaments and 672,093 tracts. They preached 37,657 sermons and led 15,928 to profess faith in Christ. The Board has also enlarged its work and added new departments. Among these was City Missions Department, of which Dr. Solomon F. Dowis is Superintendent.

The Board is also planning to create a department for the revitalization of the country church. A program is being worked out, which when carried into effect throughout the land, will re-establish the Country Church as a potent factor in denominational life.

Total offerings for the year, from the Co-operative Program, the the Annie Armstrong offering, the Hundred Thousand Club, and general designations amounted to $767,371.41. The Bottoms Trust Fund yielded an income of $33,663.05.

After twenty-six years of service with the Home Mission Board, sixteen of which he had given as Field Secretary in charge of Mission Work in the homeland, Dr. J. W. Beagle was granted retirement upon his request January 1, 1943. In the final report presented by Dr. Beagle, he revealed that there were 271 workers in his department who reported 4,089 confessions and 2,014 baptisms for the year 1942.

Progress is revealed by the Board in the city mission program, its camp work, its educational and promotional activities, cooperating with the Negroes, and Jewish evangelization.

"Southern Baptist Home Missions," the Board's monthly magazine, has reached a circulation of over 87,000 a month. Dr. M. N. McCall, Superintendent of the work in Cuba, states that work in the island has continued with encouraging results. Dr. Paul C. Bell, Superintendent in Panama, records gospel victories on that challenging field. Dr. Alfred Carpenter, Superintendent of camp work, reports that there are 735 chaplains of Southern Baptist churches in the armed forces. More chaplains are needed and the age limit has been raised to 55 years for those who can otherwise qualify.

Respectfully submitted,

F. M. HUGGINS.

FOREIGN MISSIONS

During the past 98 years Southern Baptists through the Foreign Mission Board have carried on missions in foreign lands. With Dr. Charles Maddry as Executive Secretary, Southern Baptists support 450 missionaries in 19 foreign countries. With the cooperation of many hundreds of native pastors and workers, this work is carried on through the agencies

of Evangelism, Education, Medicine, and the publication of the printed page.

There is quite a widespread feeling that, under present conditions, we cannot afford to be missionary now. While the work of some of our missionaries has been halted by the war, the Word of God is not bound.

When total war came to several of our missions, it became expedient that the missionaries in these lands return home or enter new fields in order to insure their personal safety.

Let us look at the fields where the doors have been entirely or partially closed to our missionaries.

Japan. From Japan it was necessary to call out all of the missionaries. However, God is moving through the Japanese Christians in a marvelous way.

China. We pay tribute to the heroic loyalty of our missionaries who have chosen to remain or have been interned in China. Seventeen of our missionaries are still living and working in Free China. Seven others are carrying on in territory close to the Japanese lines. We are deeply anxious and pray our Lord for the safety of the 38 missionaries that have recently been interned by the Japanese in occupied China. The 40 missionaries who were repatriated on the S. S. Gripsholm last Fall bring the message from those left behind: "Tell Southern Baptists we are carrying on."

Europe. The five countries in Europe where we have work, Hungary, Italy, Rumania, Yugoslavia, and Spain, have suffered greatly since the war. All of the missionaries in these lands except one have been speeded to safety. Mrs. J. N. Bengston is still working faithfully in Spain along with the help of native workers.

Near East. In the Near East or Palestine, all seven of our missionaries have been recalled. Still the work continues under the leadership of good Baptist friends who have remained.

Now let us look at the many fields where we find wide open doors eager and anxious for the Word of Life:

Africa. Despite the nearness of war to Nigeria, Africa, the 28 missionaries report a very encouraging year with many souls added to the Kingdom.

Latin America. The countries in South America offer one of our greatest present missionary opportunities. Southern Baptists have work in seven Latin American countries: Mexico, Brazil, Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay, Chile, and Colombia, our newest mission field in South America. The Southern Baptist Board is continually sending out new missionaries to these lands down south.

Hawaii. We now have 16 missionaries on these islands. This work is one of our newest, being the product of the war. Many of these missionaries came from work they left in Japan.

One of the happiest notes in the history of the Foreign Mission Board was the lifting of the enormous debt that has hindered the progress of the work in foreign lands. The last dollar of indebtedness was paid on March 12 of the current year. The income of the Foreign Mission Board for all purposes in 1942 was $2,117,672.26.

Some day in the near future the doors will swing open wide once more to the entrance of Southern Baptist missionaries to these countries where at present the doors are closed, and many new fields will present new glorious opportunities. Let us not wait till this war is over to

begin to think of Foreign Missions. Now is our time. Foreign Missions is one of the Southern Baptists priorities.

Today is ours for prayers, ours for training workers who shall be ready, ours to store up funds so that we shall be abundantly able to advance when come those days of opportunity that await us.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. ALBERT W. DRAKE.

MINISTERS' RETIREMENT PLAN

"Even so hath the Lord ordained that they which preach the gospel shall live of the gospel." (I Cor. 9:14). "If a man makes no provision for his own relations and especially for his own household he has disowned the faith and is behaving worse than an unbeliever." (I Tim. 5:8).

These scriptures set forth the duty and obligation of both churches and pastors to support the Ministers' Retirement Plan, whose purpose is to care for all participating pastors when they become so totally and permanently disabled that they cannot carry the burden of an active pastorate and that dependency and helpfulness may be prevented among our aged prophets of God.

Under this plan of relief both pastors and churches are asked to contribute one-fourth of the actual cash salary paid each year until the pastor reaches the retirement age of sixty-five or until he ceases his active ministry. At the time of retirement the pastor receives annually from twenty-five to fifty per cent of his average annual salary while participating in the plan and if he dies before reaching disability or retirement his widow or children receive his accumulated credits.

This plan was inaugurated by the Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, January 1, 1940, to replace the voluntary Ministers' Relief and Annuity offerings which were not sufficient to provide food, clothing, and shelter for thousands of ministers who have grown old in the service of Christ.

All churches and pastors not participating should make diligent inquiry and give their earnest consideration to this scriptural method of giving proper support during the dependent years to our Lord's Chosen Shepherds.

"Blessed is the Church which not only insists that its Under Shepherd shall be reasonably supported during the active years of life, but also sees to it that this same Under Shepherd shall not be cast off in the time of old age, nor forsaken when his strength fails."

"Blessed is the minister who, though he hopes to keep well and strong, is nevertheless thoughtful enough to prepare against that day when devastating disease or crippling accident may lay him low, and leave him helpless on the highway of life."

Respectfully submitted,

N. B. PHILLIPS.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Out of 53 churches, we have 53 Sunday Schools. None report as being Standard, but we have a goal set for five Standard Sunday Schools this next year.

We have one Mission Sunday School in our field, and we have set a goal to organize one more and one Negro Sunday School. More churches have enlisted for Vacation Bible Schools, and the enrollment in the schools so far is an increase over last year. We hope to have a 25 per cent increase, at least, this coming year.

We have kept contact with the churches through correspondence, having written 222 letters, more or less, visitation when possible, census taking, teaching, and associational meetings. We have had two Associational meetings, and two business meetings of the officers. We have set a goal to reach 200 awards from Sunday School Training Schools this year.

From our reports and contacts of the churches, we find some are remodeling and improving the church buildings, and the Sunday School work, as a whole, indicates that "every man is in his place round about the camp, and the people have a mind to work."

Respectfully submitted,

ROY HUGGINS.

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

The work in the Baptist Training Union of our Association has showed considerable progress despite the loss of many of our members and leaders who have gone away to join the armed forces of our country. There has been a large number of new Unions organized in the various churches as a result of our Associational Training Union revival which was held June 19 through June 29. During this meeting there was a large number of new leaders trained in all departmental work of the Training Union. I feel there has been great and lasting good done in the Association as a result of this Training Union revival. We greatly appreciate and thank the State Department for furnishing these well-equipped workers.

During the year three associational and four executive and program-planning meetings were held.

Special meeting held: the Regional Conference was held at the West Asheville Baptist Church. Miss Nancy Walker represented this Association in the Sword Drill. She represented the region at Ridgecrest. The 1944 Regional Convention will be held at the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville. Nancy Barton was elected Vice-President, and Edith Roper was elected Secretary-Treasurer.

Training Unions conducted: One Associational Training Union revival with eleven churches participating, with an average attendance of 391. There were 259 requests for awards in this school.

A total of 430 awards has been issued to the Carolina Association since last August.

Number of new Unions, 16. Number of churches having at least one Training Union, 32. Number of churches having Baptist Training Unions, 24. Number of Unions in Association, 108.

Respectfully submitted,

O. J. SMITH.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOLS

As for the Sunday School, we are more and more including in its ministry a school which offers boys and girls something worthwhile to do during the summer months. The Vacation Bible School is a school held during vacation time with the Bible as the text-book. It can be held for a week, ten days, two or three weeks, or a month, such as the local church desires. The schools average from two to three hours each day, with children from four through sixteen years of age attending. Each church determines how much it shall spend according to the materials used. The average cost over the Southern Baptist Convention is three cents a day per child. Excellent books for teachers can be secured from the Baptist Book Store.

The Vacation Bible School when held in a local church greatly enlarges the influence of the church. Such schools have proved to be an evangelizing agency. Boys and girls who have the wholesome atmosphere of the school learn to know and love the pastor personally and are freer to talk about their soul's salvation. Church workers are not only discovered through the medium of the Bible School, but they are trained in the use of the Bible and in understanding child life. The church receives a greater vision of missionary service within its own territory.

The Sunday School itself gains thereby. Testimony is general that the pupils who go to the Vacation Bible School do better work thereafter in the Sunday School and the teachers do better teaching.

Sunday Schools reporting so far in 1943 are Hendersonville First, Balfour, East Flat Rock, and Mud Creek, with an average attendance of approximately 500.

Every pastor and church who has a Vacation Bible School will be repaid for their efforts by enriched lives of their children and workers and with the happy realization that they have obeyed the commission of Jesus Christ to "Go teach."

Respectfully submitted,

NANCY BARTON.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

The Missionary Baptist churches have always promoted Missions, having a desire to evangelize all mankind. Out of this desire has come the Woman's Missionary Union. It has been founded well on the missionary message of the Bible. It is true we have failed in a great many ways, but always the work has been carried on.

Since the war it has been harder to carry on because so many of our people are away either in the armed forces or the defense plants. Many who are still here are taking the places of those who are away. This has increased the problem of finding leaders.

In this way we have had an opportunity to witneses to the uttermost parts of the earth. The smallest church in our Association has, I am sure, boys and men in various places where the gospel has never been heard. The type of church life we gave them has determined the type of witnesses they are.

The Carolina Association has fifty-two churches that minister to the people of this section. Eighteen of these have some form of organized W. M. U. work. Only eight are giving training to the young people.

Every phase of Southern Baptist Convention work is sponsored by the organizations. During the past year most of these churches have given linen showers and special offerings to the Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem. At present the Association is filling 100 dozen jars for the Orphanage at Thomasville.

We have observed the seasons of prayer for State, Home, and Foreign Missions, and the Heck Memorial. In 1942 the societies gave $2,521.01 to the Cooperative Program. A spirit of cooperation exists among these organizations that cannot be found anywhere else. Each society is interested in Community Missions and Mission Study. It would be a wonderful thing if our Association could have each year an institute for definite Mission Study for all the pastors and church leaders.

We recommend to the pastor of each church that he urge his members to organize a missionary society and work faithfully to promote the study of missions, giving to missions, and the practicing missions in our every day life.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. O. J. SMITH.

ORPHANAGE

The Baptist Orphanage of North Carolina was established in 1885. Its purpose was to care for and train helpless orphan children.

The Orphanage at present is composed of four divisions, viz: the Mills Home, the Kennedy Home, and Charity and Children. In these four divisions there in all about 700 children. In the Mills Home there are 425; in the Kennedy Home there are 135. The others in the Orphanage are cared for by the workers in social service. Charity and Children is the literary work-shop of the Orphanage. It has the printing press and publishes the paper called "Charity and Children," one of the best religious papers in the world. It has in it the very cream of the religious press.

The Baptist Orphanage does for us two things, viz: It inspires Christian people to greater liberality in giving along all lines; second, it inspires greater spirituality in the heart of the individual giver. No one can claim to be a Christian who can turn a deaf ear to the cries of the helpless. Jesus said, "Inasmuch as ye did it not to one of the least of these, ye did it not unto me." Matthew 25:45.

In the Word at another place we read, "But whoso hath this world's goods and seeth his brother have need, and shutteth up his bowels of compassion from him, how dwelleth the love of God in him." I John 3:17.

This Word seems to indicate clearly that the love of God is not there. There are three things that we can do for the Orphanage, viz: 1. We can take "Charity and Children," our Orphanage paper. It is $1.00 a year for a single subscription. It can be had in clubs of ten or more copies to one address for 60 cents a year and the church may pay for it monthly. It is well worth the money and we most heartily commend it to your consideration. The second thing we can do is for every church to take a special offering each month for the Orphanage. The third thing is, we can get together as much produce as possible to be shipped to the Orphanage. Those who study the interests of the Orphanage are dwelling in God's house and are still praising Him.

Respectfully submitted,

W. H. DAVIS.

HOSPITAL

Our Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem has completed a full year with its enlarged facilities. Instead of caring for 4,000 patients as formerly, we have cared for 12,000 during the year 1942. It is again becoming increasingly difficult to provide for the growing number of sick who come for treatment—an average of 33 each day.

Of the 12,000 patients who were treated last year, 4,000 were service patients; that is, they were unable to pay hospital bills. These are the sick for whom our Mother's Day Offering is made. It is also interesting to note that 4,000 of these 12,000 patients were mothers who had, here and there over our state, 12,000 children waiting anxiously for their return. We had also about 175 ministers, returned missionaries, ministerial students, and children from our Orphanage, for whom no charge was made.

The Hospital Training School for Nurses has 116 students in training, 51 staff and graduate nurses, with an addition of 22 nurses and Red Cross aids, making a total nursing staff of 189.

It is one of the functions of our Baptist Hospital to educate as many nurses as possible with the Christian ideal of service. These are always selected so as to represent as nearly as possible every section of the state.

Although many members of our medical staff are constantly going into the service of our country, we still have a staff of about 75 doctors, almost all of whom are specialists in the several fields of medicine and surgery.

Our Hospital and medical school combined represent to our denomination a total money value of $2,000,000.

It is with just pride, we trust, that the American Medical Association has given the Baptist Hospital the highest rating of any hospital in the entire South, with a single exception.

Just recently there have come to the churches of our Association, to the various W. M. U.'s, and other church agencies, the sincere thanks of our Hospital for the best Mother's Day Offering ever made by our Association, and also for the generous contributions of hospital linens.

It has always been our aim that our Hospital shall be an institution through which the half million Baptists of our state may render a definite Christian service to sick and suffering humanity who could not, in most instances, have hospital treatment otherwise. May it continue to be the purpose of our hospital and of our denomination that we shall remain true to this aim. And may we, like Jesus, continue to "go about doing good" and showing the compassionate heart.

Respectfully submitted,

C. F. JERVIS.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Christian Education does three things for every human being: It helps him to make a living; helps him to live a life, and it helps to prepare him for complete living in the world to be. But many are being deprived of the blessings of a Christian education. Figures from the U. S. Bureau of Education give these startling facts: Out of every 100 children who enter first grade, 84 reach fifth grade, 56 enter high school, 32 graduate from high school, 12 enter college, and 4 graduate from college.

Where there is no vision, the people perish. The church should create such a wholesome public sentiment in favor of Christian education that it would be decidedly unpopular for any parent to refuse to give any child the best chance possible for character development.

It is argued that our Christian schools are too costly. I know of no business that gives better returns on the amount invested. Statistics show that the increased earning power of the high school graduate, in the run of a life time, amounts to $40,000. That is $10,000 a year for each year in high school, or about $50 a day for every day spent in high school. Education is not the thing we pay so dearly for; it is ignorance. Consecrated minds and dollars were never in greater demand than they will be as we move in to rebuild this war-torn world. Doors will be wide open in China, Latin America, Africa, and the islands of the sea. Only those who are prepared can enter.

It may be time for our church schools to begin to plan for the study of the Chinese and the Russian languages. It looks now as if these two great countries are destined soon to become world powers. And a knowledge of their languages would enable us to do successful business with them. God can speak to these people better in their own language than in any other.

The world is making rapid changes. God is moving in mysterious ways his wonders to perform. Our Christian schools never had a greater opportunity than now for outstanding service.

Respectfully submitted,

VICTOR RECTOR.

PERIODICALS

The periodicals which the writer of this report wishes to commend are Biblical Recorder, Charity and Children, The Commission, and Home Missions.

The Biblical Recorder is the journal of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and has been for more than one hundred years of great assistance to the Baptist people in carrying forward the work of the Kingdom. Surely at no period of our history has the paper been of more importance to our work or better adapted to its mission than at the present. To be a well-informed and an efficient Baptist in North Carolina one needs to be a regular reader of The Recorder.

Our orphanage paper, Charity and Children, is very popular and justly so. Not only does it keep us in touch with the heart-throb of our children at Thomasville and Kinston, but also tells us of the business enterprise in feeding, clothing and educating them. The editorials and selected articles are of high order. We recommend the plan of distributing this excellent paper by means of Sunday School clubs as well as by private subscriptions.

The Commission, "A Baptist World Journal," is published by our Foreign Mission Board. Two reasons for enlarged circulation are quoted from the current issue of The Commission. "It will endeavor to give the Christian interpretation of national and international developments with a missionary significance"; and secondly, "The Commission will call our people everywhere, at home and abroad, to intercession at the throne of grace, praying without ceasing for our missionaries, for the lost to whom they minister, and for laborers to be thrust into the harvest."

Southern Baptist Home Missions is published monthly by the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, and seeks to bring before us the missionary opportunities of our Southland, together with Cuba and Mexico. The increased complexity of race relationships, the rapid development of our natural resources, and the marvelous progress of industry in the South make this a most important and fruitful field for missionary endeavor. We need to read and study about Home Missions in order to keep informed about religious progress in the Southland.

We heartily commend the magazines and papers published by the Woman's Missionary Union and the Baptist Sunday School Board and the Baptist Brotherhood.

As Paul urged Timothy to do, we should "give attenance to reading." The best way to overcome the evil of bad literature is to get people to read good literature.

Respectfully submitted,

N. A. MELTON.

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

A conflict of arms has ever been attended by demoralization. The present world wide struggle will prove no exception to this universal rule, invariable through the ages.

The evidence of immorality among the youth of the nation as recently disclosed by Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Chief of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, is appalling. The so-called "emancipation of woman" which, in many respects has wrought for her happiness and welfare, has too often been detrimental to the home, which is the foundation of our social order. Witness the increase of the divorce rate over the past decade in the light of the recent decision of the Supreme Court of the United States under the "full faith and credit" clause which requires each state to recognize the divorce decrees of all others. The reforms promised by the repeal of the 18th Amendment have not been accomplished. Alcohol with all its degenerative forces again threatens the vitality of the nation.

The picture painted is not bright, nor is the writer an alarmist, but the facts cannot be ignored if effective measures of correction are to be applied. What shall it profit if the enemies of democracy abroad are defeated and the standards of morality and decency at home are lowered to the point where democracy cannot function? No government, by operation of law, can enforce higher standards of conduct than are approved by the majority. While we again confront the issue of making the world safe for democracy, let us understand that sweeping reforms are imminent and in order if democracy is to be made safe for the world. Christianity is the logical force to lead the way. Will it through the organized churches, meet the challenge?

Long before the world was plunged into its present cataclysm, leaders of thought in politics, many of whom made no pretense at being followers of any sect or creed, gave solemn warning that the hope of the world lay in a return to religion. Theirs was a voice crying in the wilderness. Reforms of the nature proposed can come only by Divine intervention in a world of men whose intellectual and material accomplishments are paralleled by spiritual stagnation. Men cannot be lifted up to God but God through prayer can be brought down to men.

Here then is the challenge and the opportunity. Does the church

membership of the world as a whole believe in a living Christ as a vital force? Then let there be no timid and apologetic approach to the issues. The church is the only organized source of spiritual leadership which a bruised and bleeding world so greatly needs. Let Christians keep steadily in view the vast fact that the prime mission of the church is to provide such leadership and with confidence in their source of power, the Divine Physician, go forward boldly to bind the wounds of broken humanity.

Respectfully submitted,

J. FOY JUSTICE.

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

Without a well established precedent your Historian's report would probably be more timely and appropriate to deal with history NOW in the making than with history as it pertained to the establishment of the churches of this Association.

Our church history is very much in the making, and possibly in the remaking today. Although we don't hear the roar of cannon and feel the quiver of the earth from bombs, these things of warfare do affect our worshipful activities and will in a large measure chart the course of our church history.

The honor rolls or service flags in our churches don't speak out audibly but they bear a silent message as to history that is in the process of being made therein. They signify more than merely so many empty pews that it was the custom of our young men to occupy at nearly every service. They silently speak of the loss of leadership in many of our church activities.

While most of us can appraise the situation and know what it means in the loss of church work and financial support, not one of us is prophet enough to know what effect it will have on our churches permanently. How will the church react to the return of the men in service? What will be their church relations? When the young men return, it is not reasonable to assume that they will be the same boys they were when they left us. They are undergoing great changes mentally, physically, and spiritually. How will these changes affect the church? It might be more timely to ask: How will the church be prepared to receive them and appropriate the best they bring back to us and discard that which may be unwholesome for the church, or even detect and dissipate that which may not be good for our community life?

What will these young men and women who are away in war and war industries and other occupations that have drained our churches heavily of its personnel, expect to find in the way of changes, some perhaps needed, in their home churches? They are, in their new fields of endeavor, accustomed to dealing with big things in big ways. Aside from the sentimentality of it, will they be impressed with the quiet, unassuming and perhaps seemingly unprogressive mood of their home church? Will they find what they judge to be more of formality than reality in our worship? Will they find churches of spiritual power? Will they find sanctuaries of love and mercy, able to reach out and function and thaw out spiritual lives that have become cold and clammy in facing the sterner realities of life?

Yes, church history is very much in the making today. No one feels this more keenly than the pastors and their leaders. What shall we do? How shall we consolidate our gains in a time like this when people are

thinking more soberly and seriously about spiritual things? How shall we retrieve our losses? How shall we best prepare to cope with rapid changes that may be in store for us when the young men and women return? Will we, as churches, be occupying places of leadership in moulding and directing community thought? Will we have our working forces well trained to receive them, to absorb them, to use them to every possible advantage and offer them adequate facilities in the way of improved or modernized places of worship as rapidly as building conditions will permit? This is largely indicated by some of our churches, which are accumulating building funds.

Much is being said and written today about post-war planning for business enterprises. The church should also be making plans. Perhaps this body should have a special committee to give this serious study.

In whatever way we think best, let's be on the alert that the Lord's cause may not suffer any blackout, however small.

Respectfully submitted,

NOAH HOLLOWELL.

TREASURER'S REPORT

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

August, 1943

Receipts

Balance on hand at last report	$ 3.53
Received on Minute Fund:	
Balfour	6.00
Berea	1.00
Bat Cave	2.00
Bear Wallow	1.50
Beulah	2.00
Cedar Springs	3.00
Crab Creek	2.00
Cross Roads	1.25
Dana	5.00
East Flat Rock	10.00
Ebenezer	3.17
Etowah	2.00
Fletcher	3.00
French Broad	1.50
Fruitland	3.00
Hendersonville First	12.50
Holly Springs	1.00
Hoopers Creek	4.00
Horse Shoe	2.50
Jones Gap	1.54
Locust Grove	2.50
Liberty	1.00
Middle Fork	1.25
Mills River	3.00
Mount Gilead	3.00
Mount Moriah	2.00
Mount Zion	1.00
Mountain Home	1.60
Mountain Page	2.00
Mud Creek	7.00
Pleasant Grove	2.00
Refuge	5.00
Saluda	5.00
Shaws Creek	4.00
Tryon First	5.00
Tryon Second	3.00
Tuxedo	6.00
Valley Hill	6.00
West Hendersonville	2.00
Trustees, Fruitland Institute	50.00
Miscellaneous	5.95
In addition I received as listed for Cooperative Program:	
French Broad	25.00
Mount Zion	14.00
TOTAL RECEIPTS	$228.79

Disbursements

M. A. Huggins, for French Broad and Mt. Zion Cooperative Program	$ 39.00
Flanagan Printing Company for Minutes	160.00
A. V. Reese for Services as Clerk	12.50
C. B. Vause for Services as Clerk	12.50
Balance on Hand	4.79
TOTAL DISBURSEMEENTS AND BALANCE	$228.79

Respectfully submitted,

M. K. SINCLAIR, Treasurer.

RESOLUTIONS

We, your Committee on Resolutions, respectfully present the following report:

RESOLVED, First: That we express our sincere thanks to the Church at Fletcher and the Church at East Flat Rock for their generous hospitality extended to us.

RESOLVED, Second: That we express our sincere thanks to the officers and committees and all the speakers, both local and visiting, for their contribution to the enjoyment and success of this meeting of our Association.

RESOLVED, Third: That we instruct our Executive Committee and the ministers to work out the details and put on a simultaneous soul-winning campaign among our churches next year with the cooperation and leadership of the workers of our State Mission Board.

RESOLVED, Fourth: That a committee of three be elected by the Association to revise our Constitution and By-Laws so as to bring them into line with our practices; this committee to report at the meeting of the Association one year hence.

RESOLVED, Fifth: That we, as an Association, favor cooperation with the State Board in putting a full-time missionary into the work of the Lord in the Association, and that we instruct our Executive Committee to work out the details and put the sentiment of this motion into effect at the earliest possible date.

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. OWEN.

J. B. GUICE.

The Baptist Ministers' Association of the Carolina Association, meeting in Hendersonville on June 14, 1943, and with the deepest desire for the best interest of our churches and the progress of the Kingdom of our Lord in our midst, after full and free discussion, declare ourselves as follows:

FIRST: We are deeply convinced that the annual call of pastors by the churches is not a good practice and should be given up. This custom is unfair both to the church and the pastor. No pastor can plan his work to advantage under this system. It tends to create uncertainty in the mind both of the pastor and the church. It tends to encourage

a censorious spirit in the church, especially on the part of members whose conduct has been called in question by the preaching of the Word of God; and tends to develop the policy and tactics of the politician in getting rid of the preacher, however honest he may be, if his preaching has touched a sore spot in the life of the member. We have known instances where such members, though, admitting the wrong denounced by the preacher, to cease attendance at the church, and even go out among the non-cooperating members and work up a sufficient vote to oust the preacher.

SECOND: We believe that the time-honored custom of settling all matters of business by a majority vote of the members present at any regular meeting of the church should be adhered to by all our churches.

THIRD: We believe that, under all ordinary circumstances the churches should furnish a salary sufficient to give a reasonable support to the pastor and those dependent on him so that he may devote his entire time to the God-assigned duties of his calling. If all our members would take the Bible plan of paying the tithe of their income this would be done to the advantage of both pastor and church, in every instance.

All these we recommend to the Carolina Association as matters of policy believing that their adoption will greatly promote the cause of Christ and build up all the churches in our beloved Association.

Committee: N. B. Phillips, J. C. Owen, Noah Hollowell, Carl Blythe, Thos. E. Thompson.

OBITUARIES

Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord.

(Revelation 13:14)

BALFOUR—Dock L. Bentley, Vance Pressley.

BEULAH—Blaine Mace, C. C. Huggins.

CEDAR SPRINGS—Columbus Mullinax, Mrs. Bessie Capps.

EAST FLAT ROCK—T. B. Hart.

EBENEZER—Mrs. S. F. Huntley, Mrs. Ann H. Shipman, J. P. Green, J. E. Sherman.

ETOWAH—Willard Dalton.

FLETCHER—Hawkin Hudgins, Mrs. Rebecca E. Baldwin, Mrs. Susan Walker, Mrs. Florence Garren.

FRUITLAND—Lonnie Jackson.

HENDERSONVILLE FIRST—A. P. Davis, D. W. Jones, B. J. Sitton, M. N. Orr, Mrs. E. L. Osteen, Mrs. W. L. Gibbs, Mrs. M. J. Hughes, Mrs. Rachel Ledbetter, Mrs. J. B. Truly, Mrs. H. F. Branstetter.

LOCUST GROVE—Grover Corn.

MOUNT GILEAD—Mrs. Eva Taylor, Mrs. Charlie Briggs.

MOUNTAIN HOME—Fred Jackson, Thomas Justice, Mrs. Laura Justice.

MOUNT MORIAH—Rhoda Jones.

MOUNTAIN PAGE—Mrs. Armintie Coggins, W. M. Metcalf, Mrs. J. B. Middleton, Mrs. Mamie Gosnell, Mrs. M. A. Peace.

MUD CREEK—J. L. Peace (Deacon), Mrs. Amanda Hamilton, Mrs. Estelle Campfield.

PACOLET—Will Covil.

PLEASANT GROVE—Mrs. Ella Thomas Orr.

REFUGE—U. G. Pace.

SALUDA—Mrs. W. L. Thompson, J. L. Hart.

SHAWS CREEK—George Allen (Deacon) .

TUXEDO—Eva Beddingfield, Tazzie Jones, R. F. Pace, J. R. Thompson.

(Submitted by W. H. Cale and Jack Bagwell)

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE 1. This Association shall be known as the Carolina Baptist Association and shall be composed of such representatives as the churches constituting this body may select and send as delegates to its meetings, together with all ordained ministers who are members of said churches, and each church shall report by letter to each annual session the number of its memberships, additions, and losses from whatever causes, with statistics, contributions, finances, etc.

Each church shall be entitled to three delegates and one additional delegate for each fifty members in excess of one hundred, and the name of no delegate shall appear in the minutes except such as are in actual attendance during the session of the body.

ARTICLE 2. The organization of the body shall be preceded by the preaching of an introductory sermon and shall then be organized by the Moderator of the former session, calling the body to order, and the enrolling of delegates from the various churches, who shall compose the body, and proceed, by ballot, to the election of a Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, and Historian, who shall hold their offices until their successors shall be elected at the opening of the next annual meeting.

ARTICLE 3. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as may from time to time be deemed advisable.

ARTICLE 4. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ and the ordinances of His house as accepted by missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, and acceptance by a majority vote of the same.

ARTICLE 5. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion, resolution, or other action of the body, except to amend the Constitution, which shall only be done by a vote of two-thirds of the members for such amendment.

ARTICLE 6. The Association may at any meeting withdraw from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

ARTICLE 7. This Association regards each Baptist church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body having for its object the furtherance of the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity and the enlightment of mankind the world over, by the preaching of the Gospel and the furtherance of Christian education.

ARTICLE 8. Any church in good standing in this Association, may on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

ARTICLE 9. The Moderator shall appoint such committees as may be necessary for the transaction of the business and these shall report at such times as may be directed by the body.

ARTICLE 10. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the opening of each day and corrected if necessary, and approved, and the minutes of the entire session shall be read and approved previous to final adjournment.

ARTICLE 11. No member shall absent himself from any session of the body without leave of same.

ARTICLE 12. The Association shall, before its final adjournment, fix

a time and place for the next annual meeting and election of one of the ministers of the body to preach the introductory sermon.

ARTICLE 13. The Association shall at each annual session appoint an Executive Committee consisting of one member from each church in the Association and one additional member for every two hundred members of each church after the first fifty members. All pastors shall be ex-officio members of this committee.

(a) Each church is requested to nominate to the Association the members to serve on the Executive Committee from said church. In case this is not done before the annual meeting of the Association, then the Association shall in conference with the messengers of said church appoint the members of this committee for the church until such time as the church may elect its representatives on this committee.

(b) A Nominating Committee shall be appointed at the beginning of each annual session of the Association for the purpose of receiving nominations from the churches for the Executive Committee. This committee shall before the close of this session make its nominations to the Association.

(c) It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee at its first meeting after the annual sesssion of the Association to organize as follows: 1, Chairman; 2, Vice-Chairman; 3, Secretary; 4, Treasurer; 5, Committees: a, Administrative; b, Needs of the Churches; c, General Denominational Work; d, and any other committees which may be needed.

(d) This Executive Committee shall hold quarterly meetings in conjunction with the Worker's Council of the Association. The meetings should be held in various sections of the Association.

(e) The Executive Committee shall divide the Association into districts and appoint a chairman for each district, whose duty it shall be to enlist the workers of the churches of this district in the work of the churches.

(f) This Executive Committee is empowered to transact business for the Association between sessions. It shall be known as the Association ad interim.

(2) Worker's Council.

(a) The constitutency of the Worker's Council shall be the officers of the Carolina Association, the members of the Executive Committee of this Association, and the official members of the Carolina Association and the officers of all organizations of the Association.

(b) The objectives of the Worker's Council shall be to elicit, combine and direct the energies and activities of the churches of the Carolina Association.

(c) Its meetings shall be held quarterly unless otherwise provided.

(d) The Program Committee shall consist of the Moderator of the Association, a member of the Executive Committee, and the President of each auxiliary organization of the Carolina Association.

ARTICLE 14. That this Association shall at the present session appoint a Board of Trustees consisting of fifteen members, five of whom shall hold their office for twelve months, five for two years, and five of them for three years. Terms of office of the first five members on said committee shall expire at the end of one year from this session, and

their places shall be filled by appointment of this body, and each session of this body shall fill the vacancies occurring by expiring terms, or from death, resignation or otherwise, at its regular annual meeting.

That the said Board of Trustees shall constitute the Board of Education of the Carolina Association and shall be empowered to receive donations and hold property, both real and personal, for educational purposes, to procure the necessary charters for educational institutions and that any legal action necessary be taken for advancement and interests of education in the bounds of this Association.

Said Board shall also take control, possession and the general supervision of all school property belonging to the Association, shall establish and direct the management of schools and report their proceedings and recommendations to each annual session of this body for ratification. Said body shall have no power to purchase property or contract debts, but by the authority of a two-thirds vote of the Associational annual meeting. The officers of said Board shall be President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Executive Board, whose duties shall be those usually performed by such officers and such further duties as the Board may designate. The said Board may fix time and place for meeting and adjournment, provided, nevertheless, that the President and three other members of the Board may call a meeting at such times and places as the business of the same may require, and seven members present at any meeting shall be a quorum, for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE 15. This body shall be governed by the rules of Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

ARTICLE 16. This Constitution shall be printed in the minutes of the Association.

RULES OF ORDER

Article 1. The annual meetings of the Association shall open by singing and prayer at half past ten o'clock on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year. At this hour the Moderator, or in his absence, the Clerk, shall call the members to order, when the certificates will be presented, and the names of the members enrolled. This body will then be organized and attend upon the introductory discourse, at the close of which the Association will take recess or proceed to business.

Article 2. The order of business is to open the door: (1) For membership, (2) For correspondence, (3) For any business coming up regularly.

Article 3. The Association shall, on each day, open and close with prayer by the Moderator, or a brother, at his request. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all the meetings of this body.

Article 4. The Moderator shall preside at the meetings of the body, keep and decide questions of order, subject to appeal from members.

Article 5. Questions shall be decided by "aye" or "no", doubtful cases by the rising of the members to their feet until they are counted.

Article 6. The Moderator shall appoint all committees, except those ordered by ballot.

Article 7. In all cases by ballot, the Moderator may vote; in other

cases he may not unless the body is equally divided, or unless his vote, given to the minority, will make the division equal, and in that case the question shall be lost.

Article 8. A member may, on motion, submit any subject to the consideration of the Association that relates to its designs or objects, and if seconded, it shall receive due consideration, except to be withdrawn by the mover, with the consent of the body.

Article 9. If two or more members shall rise to speak at the same time, the Moderator shall decide the priority of right.

Article 10. If a member shall violate any of these rules the Moderator shall call him to order.

Article 11. No member shall speak on the same subject oftener than twice, without leave of the Association, except to explain.

Article 12. A member, in making a motion, speaking, or in debate, shall rise and address the Moderator respectfully.

Article 13. When a motion is made and seconded it shall be stated by the Moderator before debate.

Article 14. When the Moderator is putting the question, or addressing the body, no member shall walk out or across the house; nor, when a member is speaking, enter into private conversation, or pass between the speaker and the Moderator, but all are required to pay strict attention.

(Article 1 is in accord with a recent ruling of the Association.)

HISTORICAL TABLE

Carolina Baptist Association

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith	----------	----------	----------
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	----------	----------	----------	Text: Gen. 35:24
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Saluda	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Fruitland	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Beulah	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Connor	J. T. Freeman	Hoopers Creek	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Poweli	Riverside	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Fruitland	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Mount Gilead	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	East H'ville	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	F. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthon	Salem	K. W. Cawthon
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mount Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	East Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargeant	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargeant	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargeant	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	East Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy C. Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Wall
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Roy C. Bennett	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Mrs. J. L. Redder	Fruitland	Broadus E. Jones
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Charles Vause	First Ch., H'ville	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Fletcher and East Flat Rock	W. W. Worley Otto Parham

Table I

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, ETC., CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

July 31, 1943

CHURCHES	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Days of Meeting	Membership Reported Last Year	Gains By Baptisms	Gains By Letters	Gains By Statements	Losses By Letters	Losses By Death	Total Present Membership	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of The Lord's Supper
Balfour	Otto Parham, Balfour	1-2-3-4	355	17	28	5	17	2	386	2	4
Bat Cave	C. B. Vause, Chimney Rock	2-4	128				2	1	125	2	1
Bear Wallow	E. A. Kilstrom, Hendersonville	2-3-4	72				2		70	1	1
Berea	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1-3	83	3	1		2		87	1	1
Beulah	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1-3	272		5		3	2	272		
Broad River	Dexter Searcy, Balfour							3			
Cedar Springs	M. C. Cheatwood, Spartanburg, S. C.	1-3	151	9	4	2	4	2	160	1	1
Cross Roads	A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.	2	100	12	3		6		109	1	1
Dana	J. N. Shuford, Hendersonville	1-2-3-4	79		7		7		81	1	4
Double Springs	J. L. Hardaway, Greenville, S. C.	1-3	98	2					100	1	1
East Flat Rock	N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock	2-3-4	227				13	1	213	1	4
Ebenezer	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	2-4	327	15	5		3	4	345	2	1
Etowah	N. A. Melton, Fruitland	1-2-3-4	179	4	2		5	1	179	1	1
Fletcher	E. R. Bartlett, Asheville	1-2-3-4	219	12	11		4	4	234	2	4
French Broad	C. M. Heymann, Jr., Hendersonville	1-2-3-4	76	4	3		1		82		4
Fruitland	N. A. Melton, Hendersonville	2-4	258	3			3	1	258	1	2
Hendersonville, 1st	O. M. Seigler, Hendersonville	1-2-3-4	1365	35	35	7	48	9	1385	1	4
Hooper's Creek	Wm. C. Huntley, Asheville	1-2-3-4	62	35	4	7	4		101	1	2
Horse Shoe	A. C. Armstrong, West Asheville	1-2-3-4	106	4	3	1	4		110	1	2
Liberty	Ralph Nix, Edneyville	1-3	29	2			1		30	2	
Locust Grove	Lloyd Holbert, Hendersonville	1-3	65	4	1		2	2	68	1	
Middle Fork	Fred Wall, Fairview	2-4	69	2					71	1	1
Mills River	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock	2-4	116	9	1		1		125	1	1
Mount Gilead	Paul Ballenger, Naples	2-4	213	13	5		23	2	207	2	2
Mountain Home	W. H. Whitlock, Brevard	2-4	155	17	1		3	3	167	2	1
Mount Moriah	S. F. Huntley, Hendersonville	1-3	187	4	2		2	1	190	1	
Mount Page	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1-3	236		1		2	4	231	1	1
Mount Zion		2	25						25		
Mud Creek	Lawrence Erwin, Balfour	1-2-3-4	467	4	20		5	3	483	1	4
Pacolet	M. J. Ross, Box 333, Tryon	1-2-3-4	164	12	4		1	1	178	1	1
Pleasant Grove	C. E. Blythe, R4, Hendersonville	3-4	107	4	8			1	118	1	2
Refuge	Jack R. Bagwell, Fairview	1-2-3-4	304	5	9		11	1	306	1	3
Saluda	J. C. Owen, Saluda	1-2-3-4	154	22	9		5	2	177	2	4
Shaw's Creek	Lawrence Erwin, Balfour	1-2-3-4	162		4		10	1	155	1	4
Tryon, First	B. G. Henry, Tryon	1-2-3-4	182	8	7		5		192		4
Tryon, Second	Paul Ballenger, Naples	1-3	56	2	2		5		50	1	3
Tuxedo	E. M. Walker, Tuxedo	1-2-3-4	351	7	2		18	5	337	1	4
Valley Hill	J. W. McGuire, Brevard	1-2-3-4	265	3	2				265	1	4
West Hendersonville	H. H. Mace, R3, Hendersonville	1-2-3-4	91		10		1		100	2	4
TOTALS			7755	273	199	22	223	56	7786	43	81

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	Cradle Roll Under 3 Years	Beginners 3-5 Years	Primaries 6-8 Years	Juniors 9-12 Years	Intermediates 13-16 Years	Young People 17-24 Years	Adults 25 Years and Up	Extension Department	Officers and Teachers	Total Enrollment of Sunday School	Avg. Attendance of Sunday School	Baptisms from Sunday School	Enrollment Vacation Bible School	Avg. Att. Vacation Bible School
Balfour	W. J. Mills, Balfour		20	36	40	45	41	107	13	34	436	213	17	131	111
Bat Cave	T. L. Mann, Bat Cave		6	6	5	4	4	20		8	50	31		20	16
Bear Wallow	Jack Wall, Gerton		7		9	11		14			41	30			
Berea	Raymond Ward, Hendersonville		12		11	11		18			57	25	3		
Beulah	O. M. Huggins, Hendersonville			14	24		36	30		10	104	70			
Broad River	L. D. Ledbetter, Black Mountain		6		8			10		4	24	15			
Cedar Springs	C. F. Ward, Zirconia									7		60			
Cross Roads	Joy Burrell, Zirconia		10		10		20	15		6	55	45			
Dana	George J. Hill, Hendersonville	7	7	7	8	12	10	22		4	76	36			
Double Springs	Dean Ward, Zirconia			15	33	8	8	15		5	84	50	2		
East Flat Rock	M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	12	15	26	36	27	50	45	25	8	244	130		70	43
Ebenezer	Carl Taylor, Hendersonville		10	14	18	34	49	55		10	180	104		180	104
Etowah	T. E. Duncan, Etowah	15	15	8	17	33	12	46		12	149	60	4		
Fletcher	Howard Garren, Fletcher	5	22	13	23	17	24	26		3	143	85	7		
French Broad	W. G. Hooper, Horse Shoe		16	10	10	8	10	10		8	64	64			
Fruitland	Howard Pryor, Hendersonville		10	6	25	25	15	40	15	12	126	65	3		
Hendersonville, 1st	W. B. Sinclair, Hendersonville	32	20	77	95	105	53	324	199	90	909	379	35	181	158
Hooper's Creek	Will Riddle, Fletcher		49		34	34	34	43		12	198	198			
Horse Shoe	Finley Pace, Horse Shoe		10	12		17	20	15			74	45			
Liberty															
Locust Grove	Lee Corn, Hendersonvile		10			15	20	10			55	45	4		
Middle Fork	P. C. Searcy, Gerton			12	17	10	11	14			74	40			
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe											46	9		
Mount Gilead	Mack Lance, Fletcher		22	15	11	14	42	42		4	150	70			
Mountain Home	Claude Justice, Edneyville		11	7	7	15	10	13		8	71	71			
Mount Moriah	Clannie Laughter, Edneyville		13	10	15	15	18	31			112	56	3		
Mount Page	Fred C. Ward, R1, Saluda											42			
Mount Zion	S. K. Gilbert, Hendersonville							8		3		6			
Mud Creek	Arthur Freeman, R5, Hendersonville	25	25	20	26	29	26	59		18	210	98		61	57
Pacolet	Harrison Chapman, Lynn	20		17		12	8	40		10	97	50			
Pleasant Grove	Walter Gray, R4, Hendersonville														
Refuge	C. N. Allen, R1, Hendersonville	5	18	8	16	29	34	60		13	172	116			
Saluda	Dexter C. Jeter, Saluda		15	12	20	24		30		12	101	45	21		
Shaw's Creek	W. A. Drake, Hendersonville	3	9	8	12	14	29	32		13	105	55		35	30
Tryon, First	J. T. Arledge, Tryon	9	15	7	33	25	7	33	15	16	142	100	5		
Tryon, Second	L. R. Kuykendall, Tryon											75			
Tuxedo	D. G. Wilkie, Tuxedo	30	23	19	38	43	50	73	12	19	293	131	7		
Valley Hill	L. L. Morris, Hendersonville	12	18	15	16	32	25	50		18	180	85	3		
West Hendersonville	John C. Rollins, Hendersonville		16	5	13	11	17	35		11	100	64			
TOTALS		175	430	399	635	679	663	1395	279	377	4776	2900	123	678	519

Table III

BAPTIST TRAINING UNIONS

July 31, 1943

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND POST OFFICES	No. Adult Unions	No. Y. P. Unions	No. Intermediate Unions	No. Junior Unions	No. Story Hour Groups	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	No. Enrolled in Story Hour	Total Enrolled All Unions	Total No. Daily Bible Readers	Total Taking Study Course	Total Systematic Givers	No. General and Department Officers	Total No. Unions and Story Hours
Balfour	Miss Crettie Rhodes, Balfour	1	1	1	1	1	20	9	16	15	12	72	31	31	49		5
Cedar Springs	C. F. Ward, Zirconia		1					20									1
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Dana	1	1	1	1	1	21	7	12	5	3	49	28	31	33	4	5
East Flat Rock	E. L. Porter, East Flat Rock	1		1	1	1	13		8	12	10	43	26	31	26	6	4
Ebenezer	Miss Blanche Searcy, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1		22	16	15	5		58		29			4
Etowah	T. E. Duncan, Etowah			1					20			20	15	17	18	4	1
Fletcher	Mrs. Abner Garren, Fletcher			1	1				14	5		19	8	10	19	6	2
Fruitland	Staley Pressley, Fruitland	1	1		1		9	18		5		32	15	13	32	14	3
Hendersonville, First	C. F. Jervis, Hendersonville	2	1	4	4	1	26	14	36	34	9	119	65	66	89	30	12
Mud Creek	Miss Mamie Orr, R5, Hendersonville		1	1	1	1		21	21	11	8	61	25	21	40		4
Refuge	Grady Walker, R1, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1		16	12	17	6		51	24	37	30		4
Saluda	J. N. Anglin, Saluda	1	1	1	1		14	13	8	17		52	17	44	28	8	4
Shaws Creek	Miss Della Garren, Hendersonville	1	1			1	10	16			7	33	19	25	14	6	3
Tuxedo	Robert Erwin, Tuxedo	1	1	1	1	1	10	14	13	8	13	58	16	28	34		5
Valley Hill	F. R. Neville, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	18	18	20	20	12	88	30	27			5
West Hendersonville	Frank Kelly, Hendersonville	1					24					24	4		24	7	1
TOTALS		13	12	15	15	8	201	178	200	143	74	779	323	410	436	85	63

Table IV

W. M. U. ORGANIZATIONS AND GIFTS

July 31, 1943

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. U. AND POST OFFICES	No. of W. M. S.'s	No. of Y. W. A.'s	No. of G. A.'s	No. of R. A.'s	No. of Sunbeams	No. of W. M. U. Organizations	No. of W. M. S. Members	No. of Y. W. A. Members	No. of G. A. Members	No. of R. A. Members	No. of Sunbeam Members	Total Enrolled in W. M. U.	Total Taking Mission Study Course	Total Contributions Local	Total Contributions Missions and Benevolences
Balfour	Mrs. C. R. Staggs, Hendersonville	1	---	---	---	---	1	16	---	---	---	---	16	---	$ -----	$ 23.00
Bat Cave	Mrs. T. L. Mann, Bat Cave	1	---	---	---	---	1	7	---	---	---	---	7	---	-----	101.78
Dana	Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Dana	1	1	2	1	1	6	15	6	8	8	6	43	24	26.16	196.23
East Flat Rock	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	1	1	2	2	1	7	18	10	20	13	18	79	63	-----	-------
Ebenezer	Mrs. Dora Orr, Hendersonville	1	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	-----	-------
Etowah	Mrs. C. W. Hensley, Etowah	1	---	---	---	---	1	12	---	---	---	---	---	---	-----	24.00
Fruitland	Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, Hendersonville	1	---	---	---	---	1	15	---	---	---	---	15	12	-----	128.81
Hendersonville, First	Mrs. W. A. Bennett, Hendersonville	1	2	2	1	1	7	136	37	38	27	20	258	124	-----	3,342.52
Mount Moriah	Mrs. T. S. Mullikins, Edneyville	2	1	1	1	---	5	16	7	5	7	---	44	---	-----	18.65
Refuge	Mrs. Grady Walker, Hendersonville	1	1	1	---	1	4	10	10	6	---	10	36	7	435.00	302.25
Saluda	Mrs. J. C. Owen, Saluda	1	---	---	---	---	1	14	---	---	---	---	14	22	22.50	60.07
Shaws Creek	Mrs. L. E. Jaeckel, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	22	5	10	10	10	57	11	25.00	34.00
Tryon, First	Mrs. J. T. Arledge, Tryon	2	---	1	1	1	5	55	---	9	11	10	85	60	217.26	68.97
Tuxedo	Mrs. W. W. Worley, Tuxedo	1	---	1	---	---	2	11	---	7	---	---	18	8	75.50	66.00
West Hendersonville	Mrs. J. W. Brown, Hendersonville	1	---	---	---	---	1	8	---	---	---	---	8	---	-----	-------
TOTALS		17	7	11	7	6	48	355	75	103	76	74	690	331	$801.42	$4,364.28

Table V

CHURCH PROPERTY OF CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

July 31, 1943

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES	Does Church Own Building?	When Was It Built?	Built of What Material?	Auditorium Seats How Many?	How Many Rooms in the Building?	How Many Dept. Assembly Rooms?	How Many Class Rooms	Amount of Insurance Carried	Indebtedness on Property	Value of Pastor's Home	Value of Church Buildings and Grounds
Balfour	Lem R. Brown, Balfour	Yes	1908	Brick	500	11		11	$ 7,000	$	$	$ 10,000
Bat Cave	W. H. Garvin, Bat Cave	Yes	1892	Wood	300	6		6	2,000			5,000
Bear Wallow	R. M. V. Merrell, Gerton	Yes	1920	Wood	250	3		3				3,500
Berea	Mrs. N. J. Saltz, R3, Hendersonville	Yes	1914	Wood	150	1						550
Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, Hendersonville	Yes	1910	Wood	250	6		6				2,600
Broad River	Ralph Owenby, Black Mountain	Yes		Wood								2,000
Cedar Springs	W. P. Bane, Zirconia	Yes	1900	Wood	200	1						600
Cross Roads	Alice Jones, Zirconia	Yes	1912	Wood	250	1						2,000
Dana	Mrs. W. T. Willis, R2, Hendersonville	Yes	1937	Brick	300	8	2	8	6,000	1,247	3,438	9,875
Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia	Yes	1926	S & W	500	11		11				10,000
East Flat Rock	J. A. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	Yes	1911	Wood	400	9	3	9	3,000			10,000
Ebenezer	B. C. Marlowe, Hendersonville	Yes	1940	Brick	700	5		5	5,000			10,000
Etowah	Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Hendersonville	Yes	1926	Brick	200	9		8				2,000
Fletcher	Mrs. C. F. Dockings, Fletcher	Yes	1926	Brick	350	10		9	3,000		5,000	25,000
French Broad	E. W. Heymann, Box 1207, Hendersonville	Yes	1906	Brick	250	6		5	3,000			3,000
Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, Hendersonville	No										
Hendersonville, 1st	W. H. Cale, Hendersonville	Yes	1844	Brick	700	48	7	48	32,000	5,000	5,000	82,000
Hooper's Creek	Brownlow Garren, R1, Hendersonville	Yes		Wood	500	1						4,000
Horse Shoe	S. W. Davenport, Horse Shoe	Yes	1906	Wood	250	5		4		36		2,500
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville	Yes	1911	Wood	150	1						1,000
Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hendersonville	Yes		Wood	150	1						900
Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow	Yes	1925	Wood	150	1						1,000
Mills River	G. C. Field, Horse Shoe	Yes	1902	Wood	200	3		2				2,000
Mount Gilead	Ray M. Crawford, Horse Shoe	Yes	1913	Wood	250	1			1,000			1,000
Mountain Home	R. M. Jones, Edneyville	Yes	1892	Wood	400	7	1	6				2,000
Mount Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville	Yes	1896	Wood	500	1						3,500
Mount Page	R. W. Bell, R1, Saluda	Yes	1938	Stone	250	1		1				3,500
Mount Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville	Yes	1900	Wood	100	1						500
Mud Creek	J. B. Williams, R5, Hendersonville	Yes	1900	Wood	500	12		12	2,250			5,000
Pacolet	Rosa Henson, Lynn	Yes	1910	Wood	200	10	2	4	3,600			5,000
Pleasant Grove	Walter H. Gray, R4, Hendersonville	Yes	1910	Wood	250	3		2				2,000
Refuge	Mrs. M. M. Marshall, R1, Hendersonville	Yes	1885	Wood	500	16	2	14	1,500			6,000
Saluda	E. B. Hall, Saluda	Yes	1882	Wood	200	5	1	4	2,000			2,000
Shaw's Creek	Claude M. Drake, Hendersonville	Yes	1828	Brick	300	10	1	10	6,200			6,000
Tryon, First	J. B. Hester, Tryon	Yes	1891	Wood	250	14	3	14	11,000	1,593	5,000	17,500
Tryon, Second	Gertrude Howard, Tryon	No										
Tuxedo	S. W. Bayne, Tuxedo	Yes	1926	Wood	250	13		13	5,000			10,000
Valley Hill	Delano McCall, Hendersonville	Yes	1904	W & B	360	15	2	13	2,000			2,875
West Hendersonville	Mrs. Frank Kelly, R3, Hendersonville	Yes	1936	Wood	300	2		2	2,000			2,700
TOTALS					11,310	255	24	250	$97,550	$ 7,976	$18,438	$268,535

Table VI **GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK, CAROLINA ASSOCIATION** July 31, 1943

CHURCHES	CHURCH TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Amount Paid Pastor	Other Salaries, Including Assistant Pastor, Etc.	Pastoral Supply and Ministerial Help	Building, Additions and Repairs	Paid on Church Debt and Interest	Incidental Expenses	Literature for Sunday School, B.T.U. & W.M.U.	Help for Local Poor	Minutes and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	Total for All Local Church Work
Balfour	W. E. Hammond, Balfour	2,010.00	------	353.62	1,654.68	-----	245.28	169.03	------	6.00	240.00	4,678.61
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	275.00	10.00	20.82	35.40	-----	114.85	25.00	------	2.00	------	483.36
Bear Wallow	Ruth Merrell, Gerton	178.00	------	51.50	------	-----	35.02	25.58	10.00	1.59	------	301.69
Berea		97.47	------	14.25	250.00	-----	9.60	12.00	------	-----	------	322.82
Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, Hendersonville	267.76	------	------	------	-----	50.76	30.00	17.00	-----	------	365.52
Broad River		33.98	------	------	------	-----	------	20.00	------	-----	------	53.98
Cedar Springs	Eliza Morgan, Zirconia	174.00	------	------	169.47	-----	20.70	37.98	------	-----	------	402.15
Cross Roads	B. W. Williams, Zirconia	91.76	------	52.09	45.66	-----	22.40	17.00	------	-----	------	228.91
Dana	Fee Hill, R1, Flat Rock	1,017.45	------	98.91	1,150.89	100.00	165.67	69.84	------	5.00	57.94	2,771.79
Double Springs		150.10	------	22.08	------	-----	10.40	8.00	------	-----	------	190.58
East Flat Rock	H. D. Morrison, Hendersonville	1,200.00	102.50	115.00	238.84	-----	146.75	252.60	25.00	10.00	123.00	2,773.71
Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Hendersonville	400.27	------	32.50	800.00	-----	135.00	72.00	------	-----	------	1,442.27
Etowah	J. O. Morgan, R5, Hendersonville	231.74	------	16.00	1.90	-----	19.40	37.72	------	4.00	45.15	375.17
Fletcher	Mrs. Hoover Connor, Fletcher	1,163.34	------	175.55	691.97	-----	207.37	179.82	21.26	5.00	259.34	2,703.65
French Broad	Mrs. R. M. Pinson, Hendersonville	180.00	------	------	------	-----	80.73	41.50	22.00	1.50	167.51	493.24
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Hendersonville	360.00	------	110.48	------	-----	67.70	105.35	------	5.00	------	648.53
Hendersonville, 1st	B. B. Massagee, Hendersonville	3,035.36	1,260.00	465.91	2,098.32	-----	2,131.64	668.61	495.62	12.50	6,150.00	16,315.96
Hooper's Creek	Brownlow Garren, Fletcher	1,383.77	------	214.00	1,091.82	-----	------	64.00	------	-----	8.00	2,761.59
Horse Shoe	S. W. Davenport, Horse Shoe	360.00	44.00	------	183.20	-----	26.73	41.72	------	2.00	------	657.65
Liberty	Mrs. Flava Rhodes, Edneyville	88.04	------	14.00	------	-----	7.00	5.00	------	1.00	19.50	134.54
Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hendersonville	100.00	------	150.00	150.00	-----	4.00	25.00	------	-----	------	429.00
Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow	119.48	------	42.50	------	-----	17.50	16.00	------	-----	------	195.48
Mills River	Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe	297.13	------	46.34	137.80	-----	19.76	43.40	------	5.00	17.78	567.31
Mount Gilead	Posey Glenn, Arden	232.35	16.33	148.15	297.00	-----	49.19	47.31	------	8.44	10.00	808.77
Mountain Home	R. M. Jones, Edneyville	190.05	------	150.80	67.52	-----	75.85	27.91	49.60	1.65	6.00	569.38
Mount Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville	364.71	------	37.20	------	-----	40.30	42.77	------	2.00	19.50	506.48
Mount Page		197.68	------	------	------	-----	------	38.00	8.25	-----	2.30	246.23
Mount Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville	54.16	------	------	------	-----	------	4.25	------	1.00	------	59.41
Mud Creek	Lulu Kent, R3, Hendersonville	896.42	------	85.45	93.04	-----	362.80	23.01	6.05	9.40	------	1,694.17
Pacolet	Jennis Ballard, Lynn	162.00	------	53.82	------	-----	101.93	67.88	------	3.00	13.43	402.06
Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah	239.07	21.74	------	125.00	-----	11.64	26.14	55.79	2.00	------	481.38
Refuge	Carroll Pettit, Hendersonville	540.90	14.20	26.88	67.95	-----	193.88	124.51	200.00	5.00	64.35	1,237.67
Saluda	R. L. Savage, Saluda	869.90	------	85.00	------	-----	97.88	59.38	17.88	5.00	540.10	1,692.24
Shaw's Creek	Claude M. Drake, Hendersonville	925.50	------	77.00	505.75	-----	231.22	103.75	35.00	5.00	------	1,984.22
Tryon, First	B. L. Ballenger, Tryon	1,750.00	------	------	238.56	375.00	487.58	143.91	------	5.00	------	3,000.05
Tryon, Second	W. T. Cantrell, Tryon	720.00	------	92.00	10.00	-----	72.00	60.00	180.16	-----	118.18	1,252.44
Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	752.82	7.00	57.00	117.20	-----	322.07	309.44	62.00	5.00	3.15	1,635.68
Valley Hill	L. L. Morris, Hendersonville	608.51	------	97.94	418.80	-----	216.33	152.25	------	5.00	19.34	1,518.17
West Hendersonville	Mrs. Horace Jones, Hendersonville	357.09	46.49	------	270.00	-----	115.86	82.56	------	2.00	36.53	915.53
TOTALS		22,075.81	1,522.26	2,907.79	10,910.77	475.00	5,916.79	3,280.22	1,205.61	120.08	7,921.10	57,301.39

NOTE—The following gifts were properly credited to the churches in the totals above, but separate columns were not run for them, since so few churches contributed to these causes: East Flat Rock Church to Ministers' Retirement Plan, $48.00, and to Building Fund, $560.02; Etowah, Ministers' Retirement Fund, $9.26; Saluda, Ministers' Retirement Fund, $18.00.

Table VII

GIFTS FOR MISSIONS & BENEVOLENCES, CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

July 31, 1943

CHURCHES	CHURCH TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Cooperative Program	State Missions	Home Missions	Foreign Missions	Orphanages	Hospitals	Hundred Thousand Club	Other Special Causes	Total Gifts for Missions and Benevolences	Grand Total of All Gifts for Local Church Work, Missions and Benevolences
Balfour	W. E. Hammond, Balfour	$	$ 32.00	$	$	$ 147.00	$ 48.45	$	$115.21	$ 342.66	$ 5,021.27
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	57.86		9.70	5.83	73.98	16.35		25.00	188.72	672.08
Bear Wallow	Ruth Merrell, Gerton	25.00				15.53	5.00		10.00	55.53	357.22
Berea						4.00	2.78			6.78	329.60
Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, Hendersonville	53.56					53.56		15.00	122.12	487.64
Broad River											53.98
Cedar Springs	Eliza Morgan, Zirconia					34.46				34.46	436.61
Cross Roads	Mrs. B. W. Williams, Zirconia					12.00				12.00	240.91
Dana	Lee Hill, R1, Flat Rock	179.74	35.89	23.63	40.00	90.18	5.00	48.00	65.70	499.14	3,270.93
Double Springs						15.00				15.00	205.58
East Flat Rock	H. D. Morrison, Hendersonville	90.98	92.15	41.60	111.85	574.50	70.18	18.00	12.00	1,075.01	3,848.72
Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Hendersonville		10.00	74.97	10.00		22.76	2.00	4.00	171.73	1,614.00
Etowah	J. O. Morgan, R4, Hendersonville	31.16	31.20			78.81	18.47	72.00		233.09	608.26
Fletcher	Mrs. Homer Connor, Fletcher	105.22	6.58			122.97	25.62			260.39	2,964.04
French Broad	Mrs. R. M. Pinson, R5, Hendersonville					25.08				25.08	518.32
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Hendersonville	44.90	105.86	74.30	70.50	77.25	56.75	101.50	11.75	442.81	1,191.34
Hendersonville, 1st	B. B. Massagee, Hendersonville	3,626.55	20.00	1.00	24.90	605.56	31.38	97.50	199.05	4,642.19	20,958.15
Hooper's Creek	Brownlow Garren, Fletcher			50.00		40.00	21.00			111.00	2,872.59
Horse Shoe	S. W. Davenport, Horse Shoe					37.51	5.00		18.75	61.26	718.91
Liberty	Mrs. Flava Rhodes, Edneyville										134.54
Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hendersonville										429.00
Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow					11.35	10.00			21.35	216.83
Mills River	Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe	60.03		6.80	13.61	128.59	15.00			237.63	804.94
Mount Gilead	Posey Glenn, Arden					53.00	50.94			103.94	912.71
Mountain Home	R. M. Jones, Edneyville					14.79	3.78			18.57	587.95
Mount Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville	7.70	25.06			5.00	2.50	12.00	11.00	63.26	569.74
Mount Page							2.00			2.00	248.23
Mount Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville	4.52				34.80				34.80	98.73
Mud Creek	Lulu Kent, R3, Hendersonville	191.20	25.62	24.18		81.18	15.28	24.29	16.37	378.12	2,072.29
Pacolet	Jennie Ballard, Lynn	5.43				10.00	15.05		5.00	35.48	437.54
Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah					18.16	10.00			28.16	510.54
Refuge	Carroll Pettit, R1, Hendersonville	77.88			24.35	38.25	28.06		9.45	177.99	1,415.66
Saluda	R. L. Savage, Saluda	169.92	8.00	22.69	89.26	71.09	8.81	31.25	28.50	434.02	2,126.26
Shaw's Creek	Claude M. Drake, Hendersonville	173.13			3.00	25.00	11.25	18.00		230.38	2,214.60
Tryon, First	B. L. Ballenger, Tryon	377.85				82.03	18.16			487.04	3,478.09
Tryon, Second	W. T. Cantrell, Tryon					48.00				48.00	1,300.44
Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	93.00	59.10	17.00	117.53	89.60	18.00	7.28	25.10	446.24	2,081.92
Valley Hill	L. L. Morris, Hendersonville		66.67	66.66	66.67	70.00	31.30			301.30	1,819.47
West Hendersonville	Mrs. Horace Jones, Hendersonville	64.91			3.17	64.91			7.00	140.53	1,056.06
TOTALS		$5,441.54	$518.13	$412.53	$580.67	$2,799.58	$622.43	$431.92	$578.88	$11,478.76	$68,885.69

NOTE—The following gifts are credited in the totals above, though separate columns are not run for them. To Schools and Colleges: Dana $1.00, Hendersonville First $36.25, Mills River $13.60, Saluda $3.50, Tuxedo $14.50, Total $68.85. To Seminaries: Dana $5.00, Saluda $1.00, Total $6.00. To Associational Missions: Tuxedo $5.13. To Aged Ministers' Relief: Dana $5.00, East Flat Rock $63.75, Total $68.75.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

OF THE

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

HELD AT

First Baptist Church of Hendersonville

June 9, 1943

Officers of the Woman's Missionary Union

Superintendent ---------- Mrs. O. J. Smith, R4, Hendersonville
Associate Superintendent ---------- Mrs. L. E. Jaeckel, Hendersonville
Secretary and Treasurer ---------- Mrs. W. F. Bowman, Hendersonville
Assistant Secretary ---------- Mrs. M. L. Walker, Hendersonville
Young People's Leader ---------- Mrs. B. G. Henry, Tryon
Chairman Community Missions ---------- Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Dana
Chairman Stewardship ---------- Mrs. F. H. Huggins, Hendersonville
Chairman Mission Study ---------- Mrs. A. W. Drake, Hendersonville
Chairman Margaret Fund ---------- Mrs. W. W. Worley, Tuxedo
Chairman Training School ---------- Mrs. J. C. Owen, Saluda
Chairman Student Funds ---------- Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock

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The Woman's Missionary Union of the Carolina Association held its annual meeting at the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville, June 9, with an all-day session, and an attendance which was gratifying under present conditions.

The meeting was opened with the hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," with Mrs. J. C. Brinson and Mrs. Manchester leading.

A beautiful devotional was given by Dr. O. M. Seigler. His topic was "Christ Pre-eminent in Our Lives." He emphasized the importance of this in the lives of Christians and showed that Christ is pre-eminent in all of the Bible.

A roll call of churches showed that ten churches were represented. Seven ministers, Reverends F. M. Huggins, Wade W. Worley, N. A. Melton, J. N. Shuford, Jack Bagwell, Dr. J. C. Owen, and Dr. O. M. Seigler, were present.

The following visitors were present: Mrs. J. S. Farmer, State President, Raleigh; Mrs. J. R. Morgan, Divisional Superintendent, Waynesville; Mrs. J. R. Owen, Divisional Young People's Leader; Miss Bertha

Smith, a returned missionary from China; Mrs. Logan and Mrs. Fowler, former missionaries to Argentina.

Various reports were given, including Stewardship, by Mrs. F. M. Huggins; Personal Service, by Mrs. E. L. Marshall; Mission Study was reported on by Mrs. W. H. Cale, in the absence of Mrs. A. W. Drake.

After the appointment of committees a missionary address was given by Miss Bertha Smith and was enjoyed by all.

The afternoon session opened with the song, "The Kingdom is Coming." The Rev. Wade W. Worley, now with the armed forces, gave an inspiring devotional on "Loyalty to Our Country and to Christ," emphasizing that the people should keep up their morale.

During the business session, the chairman called for a report from churches which had sent offerings or linens to the Baptist Hospital. Several representatives responded. Mrs. M. L. Walker made a report on the Student Fund which, she reported, is still in its infancy. It was moved and seconded that the Association send for cases for the Orphanage. Reports on students making forward steps were given by several letters.

Mrs. J. R. Morgan gave an interesting discussion on Young People's Missionary Education.

Mrs. J. S. Farmer, of Raleigh, State President, held a most interesting and helpful round-table discussion on the state work.

At the close of Mrs. Farmer's address announcements were made and the group assembled in the brick building where a well planned and beautiful luncheon was served.

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

OFFICERS

M. L. WALKER, Moderator ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
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A. V. REESE, Clerk ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
M. K. SINCLAIR, Treasurer ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
NOAH HOLLOWELL, Auditor and Historian ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
W. H. DAVIS, Asst. Historian and Librarian ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
THOS. E. THOMPSON, Recorder Representative ..... Hendersonville, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

M. L. WALKER ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
O. M. SEIGLER ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
A. V. REESE ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
LAWRENCE ERWIN ..... Route 5, Hendersonville, N. C.
B. G. HENRY ..... Tryon, N. C.
N. B. PHILLIPS ..... Forest City, N. C.
J. C. OWEN ..... Saluda, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY

THOS. E. THOMPSON ..... Hendersonville, N. C.

STANDING COMMITTEES

State Missions ..... E. M. Walker, Tuxedo, N. C.
Home Missions ..... Victor E. Rector, Hendersonville, N. C.
Foreign Missions ..... Mrs. Albert Drake, Hendersonville, N. C.
Ministers' Relief and Retirement ..... Otto Parham, Box 28, Balfour, N. C.
Orphanage ..... D. G. Wilkie, Hendersonville, N. C.
Baptist Training Union ..... O. J. Smith, Hendersonville, N. C.
Sunday Schools ..... Roy Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.
Christian Education ..... Jack R. Bagwell, 18 Oak St., Asheville, N. C.
Temperance and Public Morals ..... William C. Huntley, Biltmore, N. C.
Periodicals ..... Carl E. Blythe, Route 4, Hendersonville, N. C.
Hospitals ..... Malcolm Ross, Tryon, N. C.
Promotion ..... Thos. E. Thompson, Hendersonville, N. C.
Obituaries ..... J. E. Osteen, Hendersonville, N. C.

OFFICERS OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Auxiliary to the Carolina Baptist Association

MRS. O. J. SMITH, Superintendent ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. L. E. JAECKEL, Associate Superintendent --- Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. W. F. BOWMAN, Sec'y. & Treas. ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. M. L. WALKER, Asst. Sec'y. & Treas. ------ Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. H. L. GRAINGER, Reporter ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. E. L. MARSHALL, Chairman Community Missions ---- Dana, N. C.
MRS. F. M. HUGGINS, Stewardship Chairman ----- Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. W. W. WORLEY, Margaret Fund Chairman --------- Tuxedo, N. C.
MRS. J. C. OWEN, Training School Chairman ---------- Saluda, N. C.
MRS. O. M. FAIN, Literature Chairman ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. R. D. SUTTENFIELD, Member of the Divisional Nominating Committee ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE FOR 1945

District No. 1—Mrs. T. S. Mann ---------- Bat Cave, N. C.
District No. 2—Mrs. W. E. Baldwin ---------- Fletcher, N. C.
District No. 3—Mrs. Dewey Orr ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.
District No. 4—Mrs. R. H. Brady ---------- Tryon, N. C.
District No. 5—Mrs. W. W. Worley ---------- Tuxedo, N. C.
District No. 6—Mrs. W. E. Davis ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.
At Large—Mrs. C. R. Staggs ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.

NEXT MEETING: Shaws Creek Baptist Church. TIME: May.

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

ROY HUGGINS, Superintendent ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.
THOS. E. THOMPSON, Asst. Superintendent to Promote Evangelism— Hendersonville, N. C.
D. G. WILKIE, Asst. Superintendent to Promote Training— Hendersonville, N. C.
RACHEL KUYKENDALL, Secretary ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.

GROUP SUPERINTENDENTS

(Incomplete as Minutes went to press)

District No. 1 ----------
District No. 2 ----------
District No. 3 ----------
District No. 4 ----------
District No. 5—Rev. J. C. Owen ---------- Saluda, N. C.
District No. 6 ----------

DEPARTMENT LEADERS

MRS. JOHN PERRY, Cradle Roll ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.
MISS RUTH HILL, Beginners ---------- Hendersonville, N. C.
MISS MARY FRANCES WATERS, Primary ---------- Tuxedo, N. C.

(Note: Other offices not filled when Minutes went to press)

ASSOCIATIONAL BAPTIST TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

O. J. SMITH, Director ..... Route 4, Hendersonville, N. C.
D. G. WILKIE, Associate Director ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MISS VERA ORR, Secretary & Treasurer ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
D. G. WILKIE, Choirster ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MISS REBA STAGGS, Pianist ..... Balfour, N. C.
E. M. WALKER, Pastor Adviser ..... Tuxedo, N. C.
FRANK NEVILLE, Adult Leader ..... Route 3, Hendersonville, N. C.
MISS IZORAH REESE, Young People's Leader ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. VERGIL JONES, Intermediate Leader ..... Balfour, N. C.
MISS FRANCES WATERS, Junior Leader ..... Tuxedo, N. C.
MISS CLARIS RUSS, Story Hour ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MISS LOUISE CAGLE, Librarian ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. MILLIE HENDERSON, Director Group 1 ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
ROBERT BRYSON, Director Group 2 ..... Horse Shoe, N. C.
ARTHUR T. FREEMAN, Director Group 3 ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
ROBERT ERWIN, Director Group 4 ..... Tuxedo, N. C.
E. M. BOSTIC, Director Group 5 ..... Saluda, N. C.
MISS MAE ORR, Director Group 6 ..... Hendersonville, N. C.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

BROTHERHOOD WORK

The Carolina Association has no representative of the Brotherhood; however, two churches have Brotherhood organizations which are very active. They are: Tryon First, with J. T. Arledge in charge of the work; and Hendersonville First, with M. L. Walker as Director.

CAROLINA MEMBERS OF STATE AND SOUTHERN BOARDS

J. Henry Burnett, Hendersonville, N. C., Secretary of Southern Baptist Convention. B. G. Henry, Tryon, N. C., Member of State Board; also on State Committee on Training Activities.

MINISTERS' MEETING

The Baptist ministers of the Association meet each Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock in the First Baptist Church, Hendersonville. Officers at present are: O. M. Seigler, president; J. C. Owen, vice-president, and Thos. E. Thompson, secretary.

FORMER PASTORS NOW IN ARMED FORCES

Broadus E. Wall, Chaplain at Kenilworth Hospital, Asheville, N. C.; Wade W. Worley, United States Army.

ROLL OF MESSENGERS

Barnwell—

Balfour—Mr. W. E. Matthews, Mrs. W. P. Maxwell, Mrs. W. E. Heaton, Mrs. C. R. Staggs, Mrs. Harvey Erwin, Mrs. Dan Lyda, Miss Emma Lou Heaton.

Bat Cave—Mrs. W. H. Garvin, Mrs. Carrie Cannon, Miss Bessie Freeman, Mrs. Ada Dotson.

Bear Wallow—Rev. J. O. Wall, Modeen Bradley, Foy Wall.

Berea—Rev. Ernest Blythe.

Beluah—Clarence Redden, P. W. Cantrell, T. A. Drake, J. L. Huggins, M. K. Dalton.

Broad River—

Calvary—W. H. Davis.

Cedar Springs—P. E. Kuykendall, Dewitt Powell, Jim Capps, J. C. Allen, C. F. Ward, W. P. Bane.

Crab Creek—G. J. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Griffin, Mrs. Ruth Adams, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Osteen.

Cross Roads—Mrs. Tempie Russell, Mrs. B. W. Williams, Mrs. C. L. Osteen, Bobbie Lee Osteen, Misses Sue, Alice and Mildred Jones, B. W. Williams, Blake Corn, Joy Burrell, Irvin Jones, Newman Morgan.

Dana—Mrs. Clorina Brown, W. T. Willis, R. T. Pace, W. K. Hyder, W. A. Scott.

Double Springs—Dorothy Hudson, Troy Thomas, Mrs. W. J. Scott, Janie Hudson.

East Flat Rock—Mrs. Nora Nanney, Miss Posey Petty, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Miss Eugenia Morrison, Mrs. Lowell Jones, Miss Gardenia Osteen, Mrs. E. L. Porter, Mr. Fred Stepp, Mr. E. L. Porter, Miss Hazel Morrison.

Ebenezer—Roy Saltz, Mrs. H. L. Ramsey, Mrs. Grace Hyder, Mrs. Vergil Smith, R. V. Lancaster, H. V. Smith, Homer Whitesides.

Etowah—George Weese, Mrs. Annie Mae Parker, Mrs. G. O. Morgan, Mrs. G. W. Allison, Mrs. W. A. Morgan.

Fletcher—Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Baldwin, Mrs. T. H. Riddle, Mrs. Lloyd Waldrop, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cunningham, Mrs. C. F. Dockings, Mrs. Tom Hawes, Mrs. Spencer Crawford, Mrs. Moore.

French Broad—Mrs. Willis Talley, Walter Constant, Mrs. M. Hooper, Miss Leona Lane.

Friendship—

Fruitland—Mr. Howard Pryor, Mrs. H. L. F. Drake, Junius Huggins, J. M. Garren, Mrs. Clara Pace, Mrs. J. R. Townsend, Joe Goforth, Jay Pryor, Staley Pressley, Mrs. A. B. Prestwood, Miss Betty Prestwood.

Green River—

Hendersonville, First—A. I. Justice, M. L. Walker, Roy Huggins, Mrs. O. J. Smith, I. B. Hughes, Mrs. H. L. Grainger, J. E. Shipman, Noah Hollowell, Mrs. Fred Sudduth, Miss Myrtle Bennett, Thos. E. Thompson, A. V. Reese, Mrs. J. R. Stewart, Rev. and Mrs. O. M. Seigler, Victor Rector, J. M. Stewart.

Holly Springs—

Hooper's Creek—Rev. W. C. Huntley.

Horse Shoe—Mrs. Albert Capps, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Houk, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Pace, Freda Davenport.

Jones Gap—

Liberty—Rev. and Mrs. John Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Warn, Allene Warn, Howard Warn, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rhodes, Mrs. James Rhodes, Thurl Middleton.

Locust Grove—Rev. Quay Corn, Lee Corn.

Middle Fork—B. E. Huntley, Mrs. M. J. Huntley, Mrs. Edna Pryor, Mrs. Luther Hill.

Mills River—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bryson, Mrs. Annie Whitaker, Mrs. Laura Moore, Mrs. Myrtle Gillespie, Mrs. Minnie Gillespie.

Mount Gilead—Mr. E. L. Lanning, Mr. Nelson Suttles, Mr. Mack Lance, Mr. Wiley Taylor, Mr. Ray Crawford.

Mount Moriah—J. O. Byers.

Mount Olivet—

Mount Zion—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Connor, Mr. and Mrs. C. Gilbert.

Mountain Home—V. Laughter, Claude Justice, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams, W. A. Martin, Mrs. H. G. Bradley, Mrs. Sidney Justice, Mrs. Vera Gilbert.

Mountain Page—Ted Ward, Mrs. Nina Hill, T. J. Pace, Mrs. L. B. Revis, Miss Pauline Ward, Stelts Jones.

Mountain Valley—

Mud Creek—J. B. Williams, Arthur Freeman, J. J. Bryan, George Harden, Mrs. John Perry, R. S. Steadman, Florence Guice, Juanita Justus, Ruby Jones, Effie Kilpatrick.

Oak Grove—Mr. H. M. Tabor, R. M. Kuykendall, Hobert Crist, Mrs. Elliott Reed, Mrs. Jim Dryman.

Pacolet—Mrs. Jesse Foster, Mrs. L. T. Blackwell, Mrs. C. W. Constance, Mrs. R. T. Capps.

Pleasant Grove—Rev. Bobo Hollingsworth, D. R. Justus, Mrs. Louis Wilson, Nicholas Sentelle, Walter H. Gray, Mrs. Lathe Williams.

Pleasant Hill—

Refuge—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Coggins, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. King.

Saluda—Dr. J. C. Owen, Tommy Smith, Mr. D. G. Jeter, Miss Lyda Arledge, Mrs. J. C. Owen.

Shaws Creek—Mrs. Ed Merrell, Mrs. G. L. Anders, Mrs. J. V. VonCannon, Mrs. Lee Wright, Mrs. M. K. Garren, Miss Gladys Bruce, Mr. W. A. Drake, Mr. Claude M. Drake.

Tryon, First—Rev. B. G. Henry.

Tryon, Second—Mrs. Lessie Cantrell, Mr. C. P. Burrell, Mr. Lewis Mills, Rev. R. L. Lawson.

Tuxedo—Rev. E. M. Walker, Mrs. W. W. Worley, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Crawford, S. C. Mullinax.

Valley Hill—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Neville, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hazeltine, Arthur Jones, D. H. Kilpatrick, Mrs. J. L. Redden, Mrs. Delano McCall, Mrs. Malcolm Justus, Mrs. D. H. Kilpatrick.

Warrior Mountain—

West Hendersonville—Mrs. J. W. Brown, Mrs. Walter Allison, Mrs. Horace W. Jones.

Zion Hill—C. V. Waters, Charlie Gordon.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

Since a revised Constitution is being considered and the Executive Committee is making a special study of suggested changes, it was deemed best not to print the Constitution this year but to refer to the Minutes of 1942 and 1943.

PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 8, 1944

Hooper's Creek Church

1. The sixty-eighth annual session of the Carolina Association opened at Hooper's Creek Baptist Church at 10:00 A. M., with D. G. Wilkie acting as Moderator and A. V. Reese, Clerk.

2. After the song, "Onward Christian Soldiers", and a prayer by W. H. Davis for our boys and girls in the service of their country, C. M. Heymann led the devotional. His remarks on Luke 14 were timely. He stressed the fact that too many fail to accept the great invitation, "Come! all things are now ready." Newly acquired possessions often keep people from the feast. Possessions possess some persons.

3. After the roll call of the churches, the following visitors were cordially welcomed: Rev. Jim Anderson, pastor of the Pisgah Forest Church; Rev. C. E. Parker, chaplain of the N. C. Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem; Rev. M. H. Kendall, of Mars Hill College; and Rev. P. H. Anderson, professor of Missions and Homiletics at the Baptist Bible Institute in New Orleans.

4. One new pastor, Rev. R. L. Lawson, of the Second Baptist Church of Tryon, was recognized.

5. Moderator D. G. Wilkie then gave an opportunity for voting on the tentative program, which upon motion of J. C. Owen was adopted with a few minor changes in order that some visitors who could not attend the entire session might be heard.

6. During the organization for the coming year, D. G. Wilkie's resignation was regretfully accepted, and the following officers were elected: M. L. Walker, Moderator; O. M. Seigler, Vice-Moderator; A. V. Reese, Clerk; M. K. Sinclair, Treasurer; Noah Hollowell, Historian; W. H. Davis, Assistant Historian; and Thos. E. Thompson, Recorder Representative.

7. Upon motion of M. L. Walker, it was decided that D. G. Wilkie continue presiding over this session. Mr. Wilkie commented on the work of the year, earnestly urging continued improvement.

8. In the report on the Women's Work, Mrs. O. J. Smith expressed thanks for the steady growth throughout the Association. Outstanding facts were presented. There are fifteen W. M. U. organizations in the Association with two, East Flat and Dana groups, reaching the standard. Many boys and girls attended Ridge Crest Assembly, where all received new insipration and

some were converted. Other interesting items may be found in her report elsewhere. Mrs. Smith yielded her time to Rev. P. H. Anderson, who was introduced by Thos. E. Thompson.

The report on the W. M. U. work was adopted upon motion of A. J. Nielsen.

Report of Work of Woman's Missionary Union

As I attempt to bring a report of the Woman's Work of the Carolina Association to the General Association, I realize that what has been accomplished has been the work of each and every officer and member of our societies. Each has done a good piece of work. For this I wish to thank you.

There has been nothing spectacular about the work but a continuous growth throughout the entire year. The standards and ideals for which we stand are ever held high in the hearts of all.

There are 53 churches in the Association, and 15 of these have organized work, with only a few having missionary organizations for the young people. This leaves 37 churches with no training of this kind.

Some very efficient work has been done by some of the societies. East Flat Rock and Dana reached the standard on all points. There were only 15 "A" Unions in the entire state. East Flat Rock has done outstanding work with the R. A.'s and G. A.'s. The entire membership of these groups went to Ridge Crest to camp. The Y. W. A. of East Flat Rock has done excellent work. Also the Y. W. A. of Hendersonville First has an excellent record. Up until June every member was a tither. They have done unusual work in Community Missions. A fine teacher in the Primary Department of East Flat Rock is a Y. W. A.. The Sunbeams of Tryon are meeting four times a month with good attendance.

Our Association as a whole is not doing what it could for the young people. In fact we are failing to give them the opportunity to do the things that they would be glad to do. In many of our communities the boys and girls are restless and just waiting to get to some other community. When we analyze this situation we find that it is due to many factors. They do not want to be idle and not earn anything. If we would provide the opportunities for spiritual and mental growth they would have a store of knowledge that would be of untold value to them whereever they might go. To be sure we have a Sunday School in every one of the 53 churches. And this is fine. Very few have all the Training Unions, and still fewer have the Missionary organizations. I don't think this is the young people's fault. They need the support of more of the adults. There should be a vital religious atmosphere in every community ever seeking to lead the boys and girls in their moments of decision. The parents, and especially the Christian parents, are responsible for every child that is in their community.

In Stewardship the Association has 96 tithers, 38 Hundred Thousand Club memberships, and a total of $534 in the Hundred Thousand Club treasury.

We have always made an effort to get our people to read and study good literature. Every one is urged to take classes in Bible and Missions. Saluda has had more mission study classes than any other society in the Association. Our people are going to read something. Why should we not encourage them to read the best?

In our Community Mission Work some of our societies have visited the county home, jail, given tracts, and have helped in any way possible.

The Woman's Missionary Union of the South has realized the need

of helping missionaries' children to get an education. Our Association has helped this cause by giving to the Burney Fund.

The women have started a student fund for the purpose of helping boys and girls who have dedicated their lives to some definite Christian service and do not have the funds to prepare themselves. It has not grown rapidly but it is hoped that in the near future we will have enough to help some one.

At the present we do not have anyone studying in either of the seminaries or training schools. However, we do have a young man who graduated from Mars Hill in the spring preparing himself for the ministry. He is Ray Marshall from the Dana Church.

Let us pray that God will lead some of our young people into His service and that we will be ready to give them the help they need.

"An old man going a lone highway
Came at the evening, cold and gray,
To a chasm vast deep and wide.

"The old man crossed in the twilight dim,
The sullen stream had no fear for him;
But he turned when safe on the other side
And built a bridge to span the tide.

" 'Old man', said a fellow pilgrim near,
'You are wasting your time here,
You never again will pass this way,
Your journey will end with the closing day,
You have crossed the chasm deep and wide,
Why build you this bridge at evening tide?'

The builder lifted his old gray head,
'Good friend, in this way that I've come,' he said,
'There followeth after me today
A youth whose feet must pass this way.
This stream that has been naught to me
To the fair-haired youth might a pitfall be—
He, too, must cross in the twililght dim,
Good friend, I am building the bridge for him!' "

9. Dr. Anderson was formerly president of a university in Shanghai, and he spoke of the kindness of the women of the South, of the establishment of the Margaret Fund which had meant so much to his children. He emphasized the importance of ministerial education and expressed a profound appreciation for the work of the seminaries. He mentioned the great need for all preachers to get back to the New Testament.

10. The following committees were appointed to report during this session:

TIME, PLACE, PREACHER: F. M. Huggins, Chairman, N. B. Baldwin, E. M. Walker.

NOMINATIONS: Victor Rector, Chairman, N. B. Phillips, Lawrence Erwin.

RECEPTION OF NEW CHURCHES: J. C. Owen, Chairman, C. E. Blythe, Otto Parham.

RESOLUTIONS: A. J. Nielsen, Chairman, N. A. Melton, Wm. Huntley.

11. At this time Mr. Cunningham led the audience in singing "Rock of Ages", after which the opening sermon was preached by O. M. Seigler, pastor of the First Church, Hendersonville. Following the Scripture selection from Romans 10, A. J. Nielsen led in prayer. Dr. Seigler made many striking statements as he powerfully proclaimed the plan of Jesus to Christianize the world. He revealed God's plan of redemption and His covenants throughout the Bible. He spoke of the perfect religion, the perfect life, the perfect message, and the perfect provision. He urged in closing that all Christians put their money, life, and service on God's altar.

12. A motion made by J. C. Owen and adopted by the group was that Dr. Seigler's sermon be published and copies sent to the Biblical Recorder and other papers.

13. The session adjourned following prayer.

14. A bountiful lunch was served by Hooper's Creek Church.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

15. The messengers reassembled at 1:30 and opened the meeting with the song, "Am I a Soldier of the Cross?"

16. On account of the full program, the Pastor's Hour was changed until 2:00 P. M. Wednesday.

17. The devotional was given by C. E. Blythe, who used verses from John 15, emphasizing that the Book says, "Without Me you can do nothing." Many churches are dead because of no belief in missions. He concluded his talk with a fervent prayer that our churches might be led to a more sincere belief in missions and to greater and more effective work.

18. Moderator Wilkie called for a report from the Committee on the Revision of the Constitution. O. M. Seigler gave a brief explanation of the recommendation of the group, after which he passed around copies of a Constitution suggested with Rules of Decorum and Articles of Faith. A motion was made and carried to postpone the vote on the report until Wednesday in order to permit a careful study of the suggestions.

19. O. J. Smith announced the program for the night session at Refuge Church, beginning at 7:30.

20. Mrs. L. E. Jaeckel gave an oral report on Hospitals, the written one to be handed in Wednesday. After emphasizing the three-fold mission of Preaching, Teaching, and Healing, she presented C. E. Parker, chaplain of our Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem. He stressed the fact that our hospital believes that Jesus did His greatest preaching while healing, and, as proof of that belief, the officials try to minister to both body and soul. The

great need now is for an amplifying system in order that all patients may have the daily devotion for which they ask so frequently. In an interesting way he told of letters of appreciation from many who have been patients there. The hospital tries to give all who enter there "something real, something permanent, something plus", and it is the responsibility of North Carolina Baptists to help accomplish this.

21. E. M. Walker introduced Prof. Satterfield from Meredith College, who spoke on Christian Education, although Mr. Walker's report was not to be given until later. Bringing greetings from Meredith College, Mr. Satterfield said all rooms had been taken since July 1. Meredith tries to develop minds fully, Meredith tries to develop strong bodies, Meredith tries to develop social graces, Meredith tries to send the girls out Christian to the core. Christian Education must be "Christian plus.'

22. In speaking of Mars Hill College, M. K. Kendall, Bible teacher there, brought out the fact that one gets something at Mars Hill College that he cannot get elsewhere. Christian teachers make any college "something plus". A Christian institution attempts to teach the students that the world cannot be convinced without demonstration; therefore, there must be propagation by demonstration.

23. Thos. E. Thompson, associational worker, was then recognized, and he gave a report in detail of his work. He expressed his thanks for cooperation in the Mission School, July 30 to August 4, 1944. The program for that week follows with a schedule of places and groups:

Program for the Week

4:00 P. M.—Devotional
4:15 P. M.—Missions in the Church _____ Rev. B. G. Henry
4:45 P. M.—Missions in the Association _____ Dr. J. C. Owen
5:15 P. M.—Christian Literature _____ Rev. Thos. E. Thompson
5:30 P. M.—Missions in the World _____ Dr. T. C. Bagby
6:30 P. M.—Supper and Fellowship
7:30 P. M.—Devotional
7:45 P. M.—Missions in the State _____ F. D. Hemphill
8:15 P. M.—Missions in the South _____ Mrs. Lois E. Heath
8:45 P. M.—Announcements
9:00 P. M.—Missions in the World _____ Dr. H. H. McMillan

Schedule of Meetings

Sunday, July 30. Meeting at Fruitland. Other churches in this group are: Mt. Moriah, Mountain Home, Bat Cave, Middle Fork, Broad River, Laurel Springs, Bear Wallow, Barnwell, Liberty, Dana, Locust Grove.

Monday, July 31. Meeting at Fletcher. Other churches in this group are: Etowah, Mills River, Mt. Gilead, French Broad, Mt. Zion, Horse Shoe, Hooper's Creek, Naples.

Tuesday, August 1. Meeting with Mud Creek. Other churches in group are: Crab Creek, Holly Springs, Beulah, Jones Gap, Berea, Pleasant Grove, Pleasant Hill, Mt. Olive.

Wednesday, August 2. Meeting with Tuxedo. Other churches in group are: Oak Grove, Zion Hill, Crossroads, Green River, Cedar Springs, Double Springs, Mountain Valley.

Thursday, August 3. Meeting with Tryon. Other churches in group are: Tryon Second, Pacolet, Warrior Mountain, Friendship, Macedonia, Saluda, Mountain Page.

Friday, August 4. Meeting with Balfour. Other churches in group are: Hendersonville First, East Flat Rock, Valley Hill, Shaws Creek, West Hendersonville, Refuge, Ebenezer, Calvary.

Summary of Sunday School Revival, July 1-7, 1944

16 churches participating. 14 using state workers. 2 using own workers. The 14 churches using state workers had a resident church membership of 1,614. Sunday School enrollment 1,694. Possibilities found in census 3,685. Number of unsaved, nine years old and upward, 894. 31 new classes added with 32 new workers. Increase of attendance second Sunday over first Sunday, 145.

Summary of Mission Program, July 30-August 4, 1944

12 sessions. 507 total attendance. 42.25 per cent average attendance for each session. Churches participating, 28 within the Association, 2 outside of Association. Subscriptions received: Home Missions 27, The Commission 18.

Field Worker's Report

May 10-31, 1944: Calls made 21, mostly sick calls. Hospital visits 4. Sunday Schools attended 2. Worship attended 6. Revivals attended, First Baptist, Hendersonville, 3; Valley Hill, 1. Ministers' Conferences attended 3. Spoke during the month 4. Woman's Mission Union Convention attended 1. Prayer services attended 1. Training Union Study Courses conducted 1. Conferred with Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Association Sunday School Superintendent, Association Training Union Leader and Association Missionary President at various times. Contacts with pastors 7. Contacts with Sunday School superintendents 3. General meetings attended 1. Call meetings attended 1. Churches contacted 7. Preachers' School attended, Mars Hill, May 30-31. Traveled approximately 700 miles.

June 1-30, 1944: Calls made 28, mostly sick calls. Death calls 1. Funerals conducted 1. Hospital visits 3. Sunday Schools attended 4. Worship attended 8. Revivals attended, Balfour 3, Fletcher 1. Ministers' Conferences attended 3. Spoke 9 times during the month. Evangelistic Conference, Ridge Crest, attended June 23-27. Assisted Rev. Parham, pastor Balfour Baptist Church Vacation Bible School, June 5-18; taught Bible to Intermediate class. Committee meetings attended 2. Churches contacted 8. Bahama Labor Camp contacted 1. Association Women's Missionary Officers' Meeting attended 1. Contacts with pastors 15. Contacts with Sunday School superintendents 7. Conferred with Moderator, Association Sunday School Superintendent, Association Training Union Leader, Association Woman's Missionary Union President, at various times. Traveled approximately 1,100 miles.

July 1-31, 1944: Rev. J. C. Pipes, State Missionary, contacted, 1. Sick calls 4. Homes visited 14. Hospital visits 3. Churches contacted during Sunday School and worship periods 8. Bahama Labor Camp, Hendersonville, contacted, 3. German Prison Camp, Hendersonville, contacted, 1. Ridge Crest Assembly attended 3. Ministers' Conferences attended 5. Committee meetings attended 3. Contacts with pastors 24. Spoke during the month 8 times. Met with Woman's Missionary Society, Saluda Baptist Church, 1. Obtained 20 hymn books, 100 Sunday School quarterlies from Sunday School Board for Bahama Labor Camp, Hendersonville. Gave

away 270 tracts. Assisted in the promotion of Sunday School revival held July 1-7. Promoted Mission program to be held July 30-August 4. Presided at Mission program July 30-31. Contacted Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Association Sunday School Superintendent, Association Training Union Leader, Association Woman's Mission Union President, at various times. Sent letters to Sunday School superintendents and pastors of each church. Traveled approximately 1,350 miles.

24. In concluding his report Mr. Thompson mentioned facts in a digest he had made from 1942 Associational Minutes. J. C. Owen made the motion that the Field Worker have such a digest made on the figures for the current year and place a chart of it on display at the next Association. This motion carried.

25. Upon motion of C. B. Vause it was voted to send Clerk A. V. Reese all church letters early, making reports through June in that the digest could be prepared by the August meeting.

26. O. M. Seigler moved the adoption of the Associational Missionary's report.

27. The splendid report on Temperance and Public Morals was submitted by J. E. Shipman and was adopted with an enthusiastic vote. The report follows:

Temperance and Public Morals

So far as I am informed, this Association for many years has delegated some one to bring to each annual meeting a report on the subject of "Temperance and Public Morals."

It has had a place on every program and has provoked much thought and discussion on the part of those who are interested in the promotion and preservation of temperance and public morals. This has not only been true of this Association, but has been almost, if not altogether, true of all our Associations in North Carolina. In fact for many years the leadership of the Baptist denomination in this State has been of one accord on this question. And what applies to our leadership applies equally to the leadership of other great denominations in North Carolina. Our Christian leadership has been of one mind regarding the liquor evil and the immorality that flows from it. But notwithstanding our complete unanimity for so many years, it is nevertheless one of the most challenging problems confronting the Christian Church today. It now appears to be a problem of far more serious import in this State than it was twenty-five or thirty years ago. Those of you who remember the period between the beginning of this century and the outbreak of World War I will agree with me, I think, that this problem is far more serious now than it was at that time. During the last ten or twelve years of the last century and the first fifteen or eighteen years of this century there was a tremendous growth in prohibition sentiment in North Carolina. It had gained sufficient momentum in 1903 to secure the enactment of a statute that made the manufacture and sale of liquor unlawful throughout the State except in some of the larger towns and cities. This law was hailed by a vast number of our people as a step in the right direction, and with few exceptions, the legislators who favored it and stood for re-election were returned to the General Assembly, while a number of those who opposed it were defeated.

For several years following the passage of this statute, the courts were viligiant in its enforcement and it was not long until there was a marked improvement over previous conditions. The prohibition senti-

ment cotinued to grow rapidly and very soon the demand for State-wide prohibition became so pronounced that the General Assembly in 1908 passed a State-wide statute to become effective, if ratified by the people at a special election called for that purpose. At said election the statute was ratified by an overwhelming majority and thereupon the dream of those Christian leaders who had labored so faithfully and incessantly for State-wide prohibition was realized. They had won a great victory, but this by no means led them to believe that the fight was over. They know that the opponents of prohibition would exert every effort and employ every means within their power to prejudice the people against the law and thereby prevent its enforcement. They, therefore, continued to emphasize the merits of prohibition and the importance of the proper administration of the law. Because of their interest and cooperation the law was more satisfactorily administered than was, at first, anticipated; and prohibition sentiment increased tremendously throughout the State. This condition continued until about the close of World War I, and it was during this period that North Carolina, in my opinion, attained her highest standard in Temperance and Public Morals.

But immediately following that war we suffered a moral lapse throughout the nation, for which, I think, the war was, in the main, responsible.

A crime wave, without parallel in the history of this country, spread over the nation and plagued us for many years.

For several years it was a rather serious question as to whether the forces of law and order would be able to cope with the forces of lawlessness. Furthermore, the masses of our people became exceedingly materialistic, and in the mad rush for wealth lost sight of the moral and spiritual values in a very marked degree.

During this period of demoralization, the liquor interests renewed their efforts to destroy prohibition both in the State and in the Nation. They kept up the fight until they succeeded in the Nation and they have dealt and are continuing to deal it one terrific blow after another in North Carolina.

This situation is largely attributable to the indifference of the temperances forces during the period above mentioned. By reason of it the law was not administered as it was in former years. Many of our sheriffs and other ministerial officers became remiss in their duties and the law was constantly and flagrantly violated with impunity. Conditions continued to grow worse for a number of years, but eventually the tide turned again in the right direction. The public conscience in this State became so awakened that when the question of the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment to the Federal Constitution was submitted to our people in November 1933, the proposed repealing amendment was defeated by an overwhelming majority. This tremendous dry vote was not cast for the purpose of defeating the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment for it was then clearly apparent that the repealing amendment would be ratified by more than the requisite number of states regardless of whether the vote of this State was for or against repeal.

That vote was nothing more than the registration of the will of the vast majority of the people of this State on the question of prohibition. The temperance forces were greatly encouraged by it. They believed and had the right to believe that it would be accepted by the General Assembly as a mandate from the people on the liquor question and that our State would remain dry. However, in this belief, they were sorely and bitterly disappointed. In the face of this expression of sentiment, the following General Assembly amended the State-wide prohibition act by eliminating a substantial number of eastern counties from its provisions

and by permitting those counties to establish stores for the sale of intoxicating liquors. This was a severe blow to the cause of temperance as it gave legislative sanction to the liquor traffic, and had the practical effect of bringing it from under the condemnation of the law in all of the other counties of the State. The legislative body cannot say to one county it is right for you to sell liquor and to another county it is wrong for you to sell it without bringing the law into general disrespect throughout the State. This legislation therefore made enforcement in the dry counties far more difficult, and encouraged the wet forces to continue their fight.

They became more relentless in their efforts to destroy prohibition while I regret to say, the temperance forces appeared to become less active in their efforts to save it. Therefore, when the question was presented to the next General Assembly it passed what is generally known as the Local Option Statute that gave each county the right to determine the question for itself. By reason of this statute we now have twenty-five counties in which liquor can be legally bought and sold. Furthermore, it can be legally sold and transported into the dry counties many of which are adjacent to or in close proximity with the wet counties.

The General Assembly, as we know, has also legalized the sale of wine and beer throughout the State. This statute permits an alcoholic content that easily intoxicates when any substantial amount is consumed. It is also a matter of common knowledge that many of these wine and beer joints are engaged in the sale of liquor. They are regular "blind tigers" but because of shrewd manipulation few of them are apprehended.

It is my conviction that there is no other agency in North Carolina that is doing more to tear down and destroy the manhood and womanhood of the State than the wine and beer joints that now infest every community. They are cesspools of vice and crime that are wrecking the lives of thousands of our people and particularly our young people. I am sure that every one present has seen evidences of their pernicious and destructive influence and that you fully appreciate that something must be done to remove them.

The General Assembly of this State by the legislation to which I have called your attention has practically nullified our prohibition statute and unless something is done to relieve the situation the liquor interests will control the State.

It is high time for our Christian people to more keenly sense the gravity of the situation and by concerted and persistent effort promote a movement that will restore North Carolina to its former position as a prohibition State.

Both of our nominees for Governor have declared themselves in favor of a State-wide referendum on this question. The Governor, however, can do nothing more than recommend to the General Assembly, and it is the sole judge as to whether it will folllow his recommendation. We must therefore have a majority in both houses of the General Assembly before we can hope to obtain such referendum.

To accomplish this we must organize and marshall our forces for the nomination and election of men to our General Assembly who are in favor of prohibition and who will employ their best efforts to give the people of this State an opportunity to express themselves on this question. The majority of the people of North Carolina has the right to say whether it shall be wet or dry, and under our democratic form of government they are entitled to exercise that right.

28. The Historian's report written by Noah Hollowell was read by Victor E. Rector, and was adopted by the Association.

Historian's Report

Your Historian, being at a loss as to what would be best material for his report, decided that instead of dealing with musty history as it pertains to some of our church organizations, he would relate some current history now in the making.

In order to relate this history to our present state of activity and reveal an insight into the status, or well-being, of our churches, I wrote letters to 38 of our church clerks, and the 14 who responded provide the basis for this report.

In order to learn at first hand of the extent of the tendency to swap pastors annually, I asked the question: "Have you called a new pastor since last July"? The responses show that calls have been extended for new pastors by the following churches:

The Etowah Baptist Church has called the Rev. Ralph Banning of Route 1, Horse Shoe.

The Rev. Edgar Huntley of Bear Wallow, N. C., is serving as supply for Mount Zion Church.

The Rev. P. E. Kuykendall of Hendersonville, N. C., is pastoring Cedar Springs Church.

The Berea Church has called the Rev. Albert Laughter of Hendersonville, Route 3.

These four reports of a change out of 14 responses to my request for information, indicate a heavy turn-over in pastorates. Of course, a church can't make much progress with a pastor that it doesn't love and cooperate with, and whose services are not appreciated, but when a pastor has only a few appointments each month and lives in some section far removed from his field of work, the congregation cannot learn to know him well enough to love him to the extent that he can be of the greatest possible help to the congregation.

The second question pertained to the physical welfare of the church, and inquired as to the nature and extent of any additions or improvements, and approximate cost, during the past 12 months. Further inquiry was made as to whether improvements were contemplated immediately after the war, and if funds were being created for this purpose. The church clerks responded in substance as follows:

The Fletcher Church, being a comparatively new one, has made no extensive improvements and does not contemplate any immediate extension.

The Berea Baptist Church reports that it is accumulating a fund to erect a steeple after the war.

The Mills River Church has made only minor repairs, but "some of our members hope we can build some class rooms at a later date". No fund has been set aside for this purpose.

The Horse Shoe Church hopes to finish two or three class rooms after the war. No fund has been created for this.

The Cedar Springs Church is "saving money to build Sunday School rooms after the war is over".

The Fruitland Church, which uses the Fruitland Institute building, is laying aside funds for a new church building.

The Mount Zion Church is laying aside a fund for building purposes.

The Balfour Church has installed new pews, new pulpit set, new rugs for aisle and pulpit at a cost of approximately $1,500. This church has also painted a majority of its class rooms. It is laying aside money to build a parsonage as soon as conditions will permit.

The Saluda Baptist Church has made repairs to roof and foundation at a cost of approximately $300.

The Dana Church has installed new pews at a cost of $1,300. This church has a new church building and pastorium, and does not contemplate any extensive improvements.

The Etowah Church reports, "We have made only minor repairs on our church. We are purchasing bonds to be used after the war for repairs or additions to our church work".

The Refuge Church reports, "We have not made any additions to the church property other than some repair work. However, we do hope to make some improvements as soon as possible".

The Bear Wallow Church has not made any repairs, and is not contemplating any improvements.

The First Baptist Church of Hendersonville has purchased a pastorium which adjoints the main church building. Final payment will be made on it this month. A building fund exceeding $23,000 has been set aside for building purposes after the war.

I have indirectly heard of other building funds for postwar improvements, but these were not officially reported.

These responses are considered as very encouraging, and would indicate that there will be a building boom on among our churches as soon as the war-time building restrictions are lifted. Church leaders are pretty much agreed that NOW, not after the war, is the logical time to raise funds for paying off church debts and starting new building projects.

In order to ascertain something of the spiritual state of the church, your Historian asked the church clerks the following question:

"In your opinion, is interest holding up well in your church work, or is it lagging?"

The replies speak for themselves as follows:

"In my opinion, interest in our church work is about normal".

"I think that the interest in church work here is not what it should be. I can't say we are lagging, neither can I say that we are making progress".

"Interest in the church is very poor, and unless it picks up we aren't going to have enough attending to call our church meetings".

"Our church is lagging, it seems to me".

"Our Sunday School did not have the study course, and the church hasn't had a revival in now going on two years, and interest is going down".

"Our people's interest is fine and seems to be gradually increasing, both spiritually and financially."

"Interest in our church work is about as usual for the past three years. There are a faithful few who are carrying on".

"The interest of the members is holding up exceedingly well".

"Interest is only fair".

"The interest in our church is holding up well, and the work in general is going along fine".

"Our population here is so thinned out that we feel weak and lagging".

"I believe the interest in our church is holding its own".

"Our church is having a good attendance considering the circumstances".

"We naturally have a smaller attendance with so many of our members gone, but we have failed to keep enlisted some of those who formerly attended".

29. O. M. Seigler announced the Centennial Celebration by the Hendersonville First Baptist Church, October 1-8, 1944.

30. At this time D. G. Wilkie expressed thanks to the host church, Hooper's Creek, for the kind hospitality shown throughout that day.

31. M. L. Walker's report on the Orphanage was read and adopted, following which Superintendent I. G. Greer, of the Orphanage, gave a stirring report of the great work being carried on in our Orphanage. He mentioned the large number sent out from there into the service of the country. He made a plea for people to dedicate their homes to God in order that the number of wrecked homes may be greatly decreased. As he closed his effective address, he urged North Carolina Baptists to keep on loving those boys and girls.

Report on Orphanage

We doubt if there is any cause to which we contribute which is nearer to the hearts of the Baptists of our Association than our Orphanage work.

This work was begun by our denomination in the year 1885. We now have 531 children in our Mills Home at Thomasville, and Kennedy at Kinston; besides this we support other children through the "Mother's Aid" and through boarding homes. Miss Sarah E. Elmore is Superintendent of the Thomasville Orphanage and W. C. Reid is Superintendent of the Kinston Orphanage. Our General Superintendent is I. G. Greer.

While costs have risen rapidly our Baptist people still contribute enough to support our Orphanage and our Orphanage is free from debt.

We report that the health of our children is good; that they are receiving fine training in their schools, and strong churches minister to their spiritual needs.

We suggest to all our churches that they contribute once a month through the Sunday Schools and to take a special Thanksgiving offering in November for our Orphanage work. We also commend the "Charity and Children" to our Sunday Schools and churches. This is our Orphanage paper and can be had in clubs at 60c or for $1.00 in individual subscriptions.

We urge all our people to pray for and to give to the noble work of caring for orphaned children.

32. The session was adjourned at 4:15 P. M., until the night meeting at Refuge.

TUESDAY NIGHT, AUGUST 8, 1944

Refuge Church

Session for Baptist Training Union and Sunday School Departments

33. Vice-Moderator N. B. Phillips called the meeting to order, and Junius Huggins led the congregation in singing "Crown Him Lord of All". Mrs. John Sinclair was pianist for the entire evening's program.

34. Jack R. Bagwell, pastor of the Refuge Church, led the devotional, using Colossians 3:1-16 as the Scripture selection and closing with a prayer that we as an Association and as individuals might know God's will for us.

35. Upon motion by E. M. Walker the report of O. J. Smith on Baptist Training Union work for the year was adopted.

Training Union Report

The work of the Carolina Associational Training Union has shown considerable interest and progressive work during the past year despite the fact that a large number of our young people are continually being called away to the service of our country.

To those who have gone away our sincere prayers and wishes follow them for their early return.

There have been two Associational meetings held and five executive meetings. The regional convention was held at the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville. Miss Nancy Walker represented the Association in the Intermediate Sword Drill. She won and represented the region at Ridge Crest. Miss Lena Karling represented the Association in the Adult Bible Reading Contest. She represented the region at Ridge Crest.

The 1945 regional meeting will be held at the First Baptist Church, Asheville, N. C.

Study courses were conducted in six churches and one for the Associational officers. There were 203 requests for awards during the past year.

36. D. G. Wilkie rendered a solo, "My All for Thee", accompanied by Mrs. John Sinclair.

37. Roy Huggins, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, gave an encouraging report on the progress during the year.

Sunday School Report

Sunday School interest has made some advancement during the past year.

Eighteen churches have taken some type of study course. Fifteen took a religious census. Fourteen took part in a week of Sunday School revival. Forty-seven churches have been personally contacted in the interest of better Sunday Schools.

About 250 letters and cards have been mailed to superintendents and pastors. Where a religious survey was made it was reported to be

a great challenge in their community for more enlistments and greater possibilities.

Along with our own volunteer workers this year we were fortunate in having 15 of our qualified Sunday School State Workers, for all of which we are grateful.

Let us look for continued growth in the coming year.

38. Prof. Satterfield presented Meredith College slides in technicolor showing scenes from the campus and also interesting buildings in Raleigh.

39. Mrs. W. K. Shipp was in charge of the beautifully presented pageant, "Thy Will Be Done". "Have Thine Own Way" was used as the theme song during the performance.

40. Special musical numbers rendered were as follows:

Solo, "Give of Your Best to the Master", by Clyde Jackson. Trombone and piano numbers, "I'll Live for Him" and "My Jesus I Love Thee", by John Anders and Mrs. John Sinclair. "Have Thine Own Way" and "Thy Will Be Done" were among the songs sung by the quartette consisting of Ralph Guice, D. G. Wilkie, Clyde Jackson, and Charlie Collins.

41. The pageant, "Thy Will Be Done", was opened with a beautiful pantomine by a group of East Flat Rock girls. The cast of characters for the pageant was as follows:

Grandmother, Gertrude Osborne; Mandy, Negro cook, Elizabeth Jones; Doris, worldly girl, Irene Taylor; David and John, grandsons, Bobby Sherman and Ted Reese; Mary, John's wife, Velma Huggins; Child, neglected daughter, Betty Smith; Child, grown up, Rhea Staggs.

Other characters were as follows: Frances Brown, Mae Orr, Rachel Kuykendall, Allen Brown, E. M. Walker, W. J. Ballard, Roy Huggins, Frank Neville, Charlie and Edith Bollinger.

42. Dismissed by prayer.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1944

Refuge Church

Morning Session

43. The second day began with the song, "I Need Thee Every Hour", led by Otto Parham.

44. Devotional, in charge of N. B. Phillips, was based on John 15:16-26, 27, especially giving emphasis to the words, "Ye have not chosen me." He spoke of the meaning and guidance of the Holy Spirit. The soul is fed on the Bread of Life as applied by the Spirit. He closed with a prayer that professing Christians might really witness in living.

45. N. A. Melton in his report on State Missions spoke of the work of J. C. Pipes, and of conditions among the Indians and Negroes, in sanatoriums, Samarcard, and in Oteen Hospital. B. G. Henry made the motion for adoption of this report.

State Mission Report

By State Mission we mean the missionary endeavor fostered and carried on within the bounds of North Carolina by the organized and cooperating Baptists of the whole State under the wise and energetic leadership of our Christian statesman, Secretary Huggins.

Some of the various departments and divisions of this work are as follows: First, the work of the general missionaries such as that of Rev. J. C. Pipes who visits the associations, conducts conferences with pastors, leads in evangelistic and stewardship revivals, and in general encourages and inspires the people in all phases of the Lord's work. What Brother Pipes does for us in the west others carry on in the piedmont and eastern parts of the State.

A second phase of the work is that of direct cooperation with certain pastors and churches situated in new or otherwise difficult places. There were reported last year 70 pastors and 121 churches which received direct aid and encouragement from the Board. These missionary pastors report 1,225 additions by baptism and 916 other than by baptism, making a total of 2,141 members received. A large part of this work is carried on in the war areas of our State where there are unmeasured opportunities for conservation of character.

A third fertile field of endeavor is among the minority racial groups in our State, the Indians and the Negroes. For example, Rev. P. A. Underwood and his wife are missionaries to the Indians in Robeson County. After an experience of a little more than a year on that field they report: "We have been encouraged with the progress made in many phases of the work". Also Rev. C. E. Griffin, the General Secretary of the Negro Baptist Convention concluding a really marvelous report of what the Negroes have accomplished with the help of the white Baptists of North Carolina, says: "Our people believe in the leadership of the Baptist State Convention. May our Heavenly Father continue to bless this relationship. The Negro Baptists of North Carolina join me in giving thanks for your support to our work".

And now we conclude this report with a brief reference to our work in four institutions: Oteen Hospital for soldiers with Rev. Ottis Hagler as Protestant chaplain, the near-by Western North Carolina Sanatorium with Pastor J. N. Watson of Black Mountain visiting and ministering to the patients there, State Sanatorium with Pastor E. M. Harris of Aberdeen going in and out before them, and the same shepherd ministering to the wayward girls of Samarcand.

In addition to these distinctive missionary phases our State Board has the Department of Christian Education promoting by means of the Sunday Schools and the Training Union education in the churches and in the colleges. With the leaders trained in conferences, conventions and assemblies, with enlargement campaigns carried on even in war times, and with continual obedience to heavenly vision we may expect progress along right lines.

Let us all do more for State Missions.

46. C. F. Jervis gave a good summary of work in the homeland in his report on Home Missions. He said that freedom from debt has made our Board able to carry on an enlarged missionary program. This report was adopted upon motion of N. B. Phillips.

Report on Home Missions

Never before have the Baptists of the Southland been so challenged by the task to be accomplished and by the opportunities of missionary

service. The world now looks to America for Christian leadership. Southern Baptists have a peculiar responsibility in furnishing such leadership. The progress of the Kingdom throughout the world can be helped or hindered by the response of Southern Baptists. The Home Mission Board is challenged to help establish and maintain at home a strong spiritual front from which the Gospel may be sent effectively to the ends of the world.

The Home Mission Board now has 514 missionaries working in 1,050 churches and missionary stations in every state in the territory of the Southern Baptist Convention and in Cuba and in Central America. In 1943 these missionaries preached 36,000 sermons, led more than 12,000 to make professions of faith in Christ, and received 8,200 members into the fellowship of Baptist churches. Seventy-four missionaries have been added since January 1, 1943.

Missionaries of the Board are working among the Spanish, Indians, French, Italians, Negroes, Jews, Chinese, Japanese, deaf, and underprivileged groups. Workers are supported in mission churches, goodwill centers, kindergartens, rescue homes, preachers' institutes, and in house-to-house evangelism. More than 125 missionaries are serving in Cuba and Central America. The Board has cooperated with the government by certifying 1,139 Southern Baptist preachers for the chaplaincy.

The Home Mission Board is now cooperating with the respective State Mission boards in the selection and support of workers for the City Mission Program and the Country Church Program. Work is being done in thirty-one cities. Rural workers are serving in this cooperative effort in six states.

We rejoice that the debt which so long burdened the Board has been paid, and that this freedom from debt has made possible an enlarged missionary program. The receipts of the Board in 1943 were $992,708.76, which is more than $225,000 in excess of the 1942 offerings. The Annie Armstrong offering amounted to $290,111.82.

And now think of the evangelistic opportunities in our Southland! From a population of 45,000,000 about 20,000,000 have come to the years of accountability without a profession of faith in Christ. There are eleven million Negroes, five million foreigners, nearly one million Jews, and two hundred and fifty thousand Indians in the territory of the Convention. The harvest truly is great—the time for reaping is at hand.

To meet this challenge, the year of 1945, which is the Centennial year of the Southern Baptist Convention, has been designated as a time for a special South-wide evangelistic campaign. Other South-wide Boards and Agencies are joining the Home Mission Board to make this an all-out soul-winning effort. Dr. M. E. Dodd, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Shreveport, has been chosen to lead in this great crusade for souls. Every association will be asked to cooperate. Pastors and laymen alike are asked to consecrate themselves and dedicate their talents and resources to this great soul-winning effort.

Let us of the Carolina Association continue to cooperate with the Home Mission Board. Let us pray for the workers of this Board and especially for the special evangelistic effort of our Centennial year. Let it not be said of us that we were weighed in the balances and found wanting.

47. Victor E. Rector read the report on Foreign Missions, which had been prepared by J. C. Owen. O. M. Seigler made the motion for adoption of the report which follows.

Report on Foreign Missions

On account of the global war, Foreign Mission work has been suspended temporarily or greatly retarded in several of the 17 countries in which Southern Baptists have been proclaiming the Gospel through our Foreign Mission Board. Many of our missionaries after untold suffering have had to be brought home for the time being. This has resulted in heart-breaking experiences to our missionaries and immense extra expenses to our Board.

But never have the consecration and liberality of our people ranked higher than today. Already we have in the treasury more than a million dollars for the purpose of rebuilding what the enemy has destroyed as soon as the war is over. This fund must be vastly increased in order to return our consecrated missionaries to their fields, rebuild their homes, schools, churches, and hospitals, and get them started again. Our forces must be reenforced by sending out a larger number of new missionaries than ever before. We must also share largely in the relief and rehabilitation of our native brethren who have suffered the loss of all things except their unconquerable faith during the war.

This war is giving our people a deeper sence of the value of Foreign Missions than ever before. Our soldiers by coming into contact with those won to Christ through Foreign Missionary effort will return home with a deeper appreciation of this work than ever before. The bravery of our young men and women for the hardships of war will inspire more of our choice young people to come forward for Foreign Mission work than ever before. Our people, seeing the staggering sums of money required for the destruction of our fellow men, will come forward with larger gifts for saving men than ever before. This is being seen in its beginning in the larger offerings now coming into our missionary treasuries.

Mankind is beginning to see the futility of all things known to man for keeping the peace except the religion of Jesus Christ. We are beginning to see that man must choose between global wars and world-wide missions. God give us the sense and wisdom to make the right choice.

48. The report on Ministers' Relief was read by O. M. Seigler and adopted by the Association.

Report on Ministers' Retirement Plan

The Ministers' Retirement Plan has already proved its justification in the favor which it has won; the support it has received; in the service which it has rendered. It is an excellent program of cooperation between pastors, churches, and denomination in meeting a great need. Though the program has been operative only of the past five years, 63 percent of the active pastors in the Southern Baptist Convention are now in the plan.

Every minister will find in this program a good plan to invest a part of his earnings; to provide support during old age or during inability to serve as an active minister. Each church will strengthen the cause and respect of the Christian ministry by seeing that it has membership in the plan. The report for the past year showed that 9,400 active pastors have membership with 10,500 churches cooperating. Total amount of dues received was $689,680.56. The assets of the Board now reach $6,031,213.84. The benefits paid last year, including $100,000.00 old annuity, reached $629,164.91. This plan is financially safe, ethically balanced and timely provided. It merits the full support of all pastors and churches. Only a small percent of the churches in this Association

are members, but it is hoped that pastors and churches will give renewed study and concern to the great values provided by this plan and take membership at the earliest possible date.

49. G. C. Canipe, who represented the State Board instead of M. A. Huggins, was recognized and brought greetings from Mr. Huggins. In his message on "Brethren, my heart's desire is that ye may be saved", he said that Christians need to take a look at the world. Paul took a look at the world around him and what he saw broke his heart. When Jesus looked on the world He was moved to do something. Mr. Canipe discussed the goal of 1,000,000 converts and $1,000,000 during the year, and he urged that every church hold revivals and then go out and establish mission points.

50. L. L. Carpenter, editor of the Biblical Recorder, said it was the purpose of his paper to support every good thing. He expressed his desire to honor the Lord through that paper, and also urged a revival of church members.

51. The report of the Executive Committee was read by M. L. Walker, who spoke of the work accomplished by the Field Worker, Thos. E. Thompson. N. A. Melton made the motion that the following report be adopted.

Report of Executive Committee

Your committee named to recommend a program of activities for the Association begs leave to report as follows:

First: We recommend that the three departments of our work, the W. M. U., B. T. U. and Sunday School, proceed according to their schedule for the coming year, strengthening and enlarging their programs wherever feasible, and we pledge our cooperation in their every effort.

Second: In view of the fact that this is the Centennary of the Southern Baptist Convention, and in line with their enlarged program, we recommend that the following be added to our usual program:

(a) With a view of reaching and enlisting all the people within our bounds a simultaneous revival be conducted throughout the Association—for the city and town churches, in April, and for the country churches, in August—the April meetings to begin April 8, and the August meetings on August 12, and that every church in the Association be urged to conduct a revival during one or the other of these dates.

(b) With a view of bringing all our churches into line with our Lord's World-wide Program to save the race, we organize and conduct a school of missions in every church in the Association during the month of September, beginning September 17, the curriculum of these schools to be arranged with a view of enlisting all the members of each church in the study of missions, and that we solicit the cooperation of both our Home and Foreign Mission Boards in this endeavor.

We recommend further that the details of these two efforts be entrusted to the Ministers' Association and the Executive Committee and that our Associational Missionary be instructed to devote whatever time is necessary to working out and putting on these special efforts.

We, the Executive Committee of the Carolina Association, recommend that we continue Rev. Thos. E. Thompson as full-time Field Worker in our Association for the coming year, one-half of his salary to be paid by the Association and the other half by the State Board. We recommend that the new Executive Committee elected by this Association at this session undertake to raise at once in cash $900.00; this sum to go for half of Brother Thompsons salary and the remaining for an expense fund for our Sunday School and B. T. U. work, minutes, postage, etc., all bills to be approved by the Executive Committee before payment.

Signed by Members of Executive Committee: D. G. Wilkie, A. V. Reese, E. M. Walker, O. M. Seigler, N. B. Phillips, Jack R. Bagwell, M. L. Walker.

52. Jack R. Bagwell, pastor of the host church, cordially welcomed the messengers and announced that lunch would be served outside.

53. Following the song, "Amazing Grace", with D. G. Wilkie playing the piano, B. G. Henry preached the morning message, using Luke 9:23-26 as his Scripture. The need of recharging our Spiritual lives, of recharging Spiritual batteries—was stressed in this sermon.

54. After prayer, the session was adjourned for lunch.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

55. After a bountiful luncheon served by the ladies of the Refuge Church, the afternoon session was opened at 1:30 with the Vice-Moderator, N. B. Phillips, presiding.

56. The song "Toiling On" was sung, followed by the devotional given by J. E. Blythe, who expressed a faith that there is going to be a great revival; he then called on C. E. Blythe to lead in prayer that God might hasten the day of the revival of our churches and salvation of the lost.

57. The Treasurer's report, prepared by M. K. Sinclair, was read by M. L. Walker and adopted by the Association.

Treasurer's Report

Receipts

	Minute Fund	Field Worker	Co-op. Program	Orphanage
Balfour	$ 6.00	$ 50.00	$	$
Bat Cave	2.00	15.75		
Bear Wallow	1.50			
Broad River	1.00			
Beulah	2.00			
Cedar Springs	5.00	15.00		
Cross Roads	2.18	10.00		
Dana	5.00	25.00		
Double Springs	1.00	16.00		
East Flat Rock	10.00	50.00		
Ebenezer	2.50			
Etowah	4.00	25.00		

Fletcher	5.00			
French Broad	1.50		25.00	
Fruitland	5.00	50.00		
Hendersonville First	15.00	100.00		
Horse Shoe	3.00			
Hoopers Creek	5.00			
Liberty	1.00	4.00		
Locust Grove	2.00			
Middle Fork	1.00			1.00
Mills River	5.00	15.00		
Mountain Home	1.65	10.00		
Mount Gilead	8.44			
Mount Moriah	2.00	12.45		
Mount Zion	1.00	7.80	4.52	
Mud Creek	7.00	31.00		
Pacolet	3.00			
Pleasant Grove	2.00			
Refuge	5.00	25.00		
Saluda	5.00			
Shaws Creek	5.00	30.00		
Tryon First	5.00			
Tryon Second	3.00			
Tuxedo	5.00	50.00		
Valley Hill	5.00	30.00		
West Hendersonville	2.00	4.00		
	$145.77	$576.00	$29.52	$ 1.00

In addition to the above receipts we received at Fletcher $53.16 for Chinese Famine Relief. We have also received contributions to a fund to be known as Student Fund, of $51.50.

Total Receipts for this Associational year	$856.95	
On hand at last report	4.79	
Total Receipts and Balance		$861.74

Disbursements

M. A. Huggins for French Broad and Mt. Zion Co-Operative Program, $29.52, and $1.00 for Orphanage for Middle Fork	$ 30.52	
M. A. Huggins, Chinese Famine Relief	53.16	
Flanagan Printing Co., for Minutes and Other Printing	169.15	
A. V. Reese, for Services as Clerk	100.00	
Field Worker	327.64	
Stamps and Envelopes	4.26	$684.73
Balance on Hand		$177.01

58. F. M. Huggins, Chairman of the Committee on Time, Place and Preacher for the next session, submitted the following report which was adopted:

Tuesday, August 7, 1945; Horse Shoe, N. C.; Rev. E. M. Walker.

Wednesday, August 8, 1945; Balfour, N. C.; Rev. Lawrence Erwin.

59. The Association next adopted the report on Resolutions as submitted by N. A. Melton.

Report on Resolutions

Upon inquiry your Committee finds that no resolutions have been presented at this session of the Association for our consideration.

We submit the following resolution:

Be It Resolved, That this body express thanks and appreciation to the members of Hoopers Creek and Refuge Baptist churches for Christian hospitality during the sessions of this Association.

60. Victor E. Rector submitted the following report on Nominations, which was adopted.

Report on Nominations

Executive Committee: M. L. Walker, O. M. Seigler, A. V. Reese, Lawrence Erwin, B. G. Henry, N. B. Phillips, J. C. Owen.

Standing Committees: State Missions, E. M. Walker; Home Missions, Victor E. Rector; Foreign Missions, Mrs. Albert Drake; Ministers Relief and Retirement, Otto Parham; Orphanage, D. G. Wilkie; B. T. U., O. J. Smith; Sunday Schools, Roy Huggins; Christian Education, Jack Bagwell; Temperance and Public Morals, William Huntley; Periodicals, Carl Blythe; Hospitals, Malcolm Ross; Promotion, Thos. E. Thompson; Obituaries, J. E. Osteen.

61. O. M. Seigler offered the report of the Committee on the Revision of the Constitution. B. G. Henry made a motion that time be given for further study on the report until next year before voting. It was decided that the entire Executive Committee study the suggestions and report again next year.

Report on Revision of Constitution

Your Committee appointed at the 1943 session of the Association to revise the Constitution and Rules of Decorum has made a careful study of the present Constitution and Rules of Decorum. Many errors and a number of conflicts were found and a great section which applied to a need now removed from the Association was found to be obsolete. Therefore, your Committee recommends a complete substitute for the present Constitution and Rules of Decorum and recommends the adoption of the Articles of Faith carried with the substitute Constitution and Rules of Decorum.

62. The report on Periodicals was submitted by Mrs. Anna Bell Jones. L. L. Carpenter, representing the Biblical Recorder, had discussed on Tuesday the importance of reading our Christian papers.

Report on Periodicals

As a man thinketh so is he, and just as truly can we say, as a man readeth so will he think and be to a great degree.

We know others by the company they keep. Yes, and others know us by what we read, therefore should not we as Christian people be very careful about the literature we use in our homes since what we read determines our conduct to a large extent.

Truly we are in the midst of a time of great struggle, an hour when morals, morale, faith, hope, love, righteousness, consecration, virtue, and tolerance are needed, and no better way to obtain these can be found

than through the reading of the Bible. Good religious literature has a tendency to make us want to know more about the Bible, hence for this cause alone extensive reading of religious periodicals should be encouraged.

We as Baptists are woefully ignorant about our state and world-wide program. The Baptist cause and its activities are in need of being more fully known among our Carolina Association. We believe that this much needed information and inspiration will be found in our own Baptist literature.

In a recent report on the Biblical Recorder from L. L. Carpenter, we quote, "The circulation of the paper for the past year has increased rapidly. The present circulation is over 26,000, which means a net gain for the past twelve months of approximately 8,500. For this increase we are profoundly grateful to God and to the pastors and leaders."

While this report is very encouraging let us seek to go beyond these figures since it is the organ of our Baptist State Convention and because of the service it will render.

One of the great needs for our people is that they be informed, trained, and enlisted in the world program of the Church and the Kingdom of God. And we feel that by the proper selection from our own periodicals published by the Southern Baptists, good reading will be found for all ages in the home and church.

Let us as Baptists seek to read such as the Home and Foreign Fields, Royal Service, Charity and Children, The Biblical Recorder, and the other periodicals along with the Sunday School and Baptist Training Union lesson helps.

63. E. M. Walker, in giving his report on Christian Education, spoke of the great need today for young people to get Christian training. This phase had also been presented yesterday by Prof. Satterfield of Meredith College, and M. H. Kendall of Mars Hill College.

Report on Christian Education

In order to get to the heart of this consideration, it is necessary to say a word about the negative side of education. The average man's conception of education can be expressed thus: "Going to school", "book-learning", etc. These things have the same meaning as "getting an education". Of course, from these beliefs would naturally come the following conception.

Education is the knowledge of a mass of disconnected facts. A man so educated might be densely ignorant about life and its usages. To strip from education all these and other misapprehensions and to set forth simply and clearly what education is, and what is does for the possessors, ought to be the clear purpose of every speaker on this subject.

Education is a process and a product. The process aims to develop men. Education is the process of habit-making, and its product is habits—habits of feeling, habits of perceiving, habits of thinking, habits of acting. Therefore, Christian Education is an education that makes these habits Christian.

64. The report on Promotion, submitted by O. M. Seigler, urged the Association to foster evangelism and training. The

promotion of ministerial relief was suggested as a worthy goal for all churches.

Report on Promotion

The reports of the Historian and the Associational Worker together with the reports of the Sunday School, Baptist Training Union, and Woman's Missionary Union presidents, which have already been made, have given much information concerning the progress of the work within the churches and through our Associational organization during the past year.

Your Executive Committee has held monthly meetings in connection with the Ministers' Conference of the Association. This committee, cooperating with the General Board of North Carolina, has been able to provide a worker for the Association for about half of the Associational year. The simultaneous Sunday School enlargement program and an associational missionary program by districts were promoted in the Association during the year. Many other study courses were promoted by the local churches.

It is evident that many outstanding needs are before the churches of our Association. (1) The great need for mediums of training and promotion in a large number of our churches. (2) The need for persistent and perennial fires of evangelism to burn throughout the year in all the churches of our Association. (3) Every church is suffering for the lack of more and better trained leaders and workers, therefore the need for many courses of study in each of the churches in our Association. (4) An increased interest in placing religious literature in the homes of our people. (5) The great opportunities for our Associational Worker to be kept before every church and each church giving to the worker its full cooperation. (6) A better understanding and a more coordinated program for the various organizations of our Association.

It is evident we have not only a great challenge to do a great work in our Association but we are also in position to make spiritual advances as possibly never before. Let us make good of these opportunities.

65. D. G. Wilkie mentioned the plan for a simultaneous revival, and Victor E. Rector made the motion that Thos. E. Thompson, the Field Worker, be fully authorized to direct the campaign. This plan was approved.

66. In the absence of Roy C. Bennett, it was announced that the report on Church Music would be submitted later and should be published in the minutes. The report was later submitted by J. Charles Morrow III.

Report on Church Music

Church work has for its immediate purpose the teaching of the principles of the Bible. A chief feature in this work is the study of music, for music enhances religious training. Indeed, the separation of these endeavors is impossible. By all rights, the musical part of church work is, and should be, one of its most important divisions. It should consume much interest on the part of members themselves. In spite of this fact, present church educational programs throughout the country fail to give adequate attention to musical schooling. Young people, potential adults, are left in darkness as regards religious music.

Analysis of the situation reveals that churches have depended on volunteer workers for many years; these people, like the children, often

have not had the privilege of being exposed to the best in church music. They are not equipped to be in charge of youth training. Too little consideration is given to the problem by church officials responsible. It is important that the church members see the situation in a realistic light and realize the tragedy of depriving young people of proper musical advantages, all in order to save the feelings of some sincere but incapable leaders. One should guard against confusion of gratitude and duty. For the sake of sparing the feelings of a few, members, often secretly critical of church music, refuse to acknowledge the fact that the situation could have been remedied by earlier training. These facts force one to the conclusion that training must start at the beginning of one's church life. Generally speaking, the hymns that an adult sings from memory are those learned in childhood, unless he has had special training.

Specific improvements are suggested easily. Children and adults also must be taught hymns that are beautiful, dignified ones that have been neglected for so long. Too little importance is attached to the words of hymns. Members should be taught to think rather than to experience bodily motion when they sing. Much is expected of people who have no training; hence, well-equipped, competent leaders and teachers should have charge of instruction. The foregoing statements convince one that monetary support where it is at all possible is necessary for the success of such a program.

This effort is pioneer work. It may require a generation to be brought to the ideal. With plasticity of youth the keynote, all forces now available should strive unceasingly to join in the uplifting of church music, to make it a concrete projection of the ideal.

67. Mrs. L. E. Jaeckel, who had reported orally yesterday on Hospitals and had introduced Chaplain C. E. Parker of the Hospital staff at Winston-Salem, at this time submitted her written report, which was adopted.

Report on Hospitals

Jesus began His earthly ministry with a very definite form of procedure as He went about all Galilee teaching in their synagogues, preaching the Gospel of the Kingdom, and healing all manner of disease among the people. His fame went throughout all Syria, and they brought unto Him all sick people that were taken with divers diseases and torment, and those which were possessed with devils, and those which were lunatics, and those that had palsey; and He healed them. (Matt. 4:22-26).

That Jesus used this three-fold method of advancing His Kingdom on earth is sufficient proof that there was no better way. It will be a glorious day for Southern Baptists when our ministers and denominational leaders fully accept and carry out this plan fostered by the Master. The multitudes sought for and found Him because of the fame relative to His ability and willingness to heal physical, mental and material needs. His presence created in these healed bodies a desire for a new life spiritually.

The Church lost power to draw the multitudes when it forgot to magnify the healing element along with the preaching and teaching. Next year in Atlanta, Ga., Southern Baptists will celebrate the 100th anniversary of organized preaching; two years ago the Sunday School Board celebrated its 50th anniversary of Bible teaching, but in our State Convention we have had the ministry of healing in a definite way but a little more than twenty years.

If the New Testament's records be true, the multitudes shall be reached and saved for Kingdom work when we magnify again the service of healing through the churches as Christ authorized it should be done. Jesus has promised that a small service, such as the giving of a cup of cold water in His name, shall have its reward, but regardless of the greatness of a service rendered in the name of some civic or social institute, He is being denied the honor, the recipient fails to recognize the true source, and the donor loses his reward.

Great progress has been made in the twenty years since our Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem received its first patient on May 28, 1923. Since that time, 67,000 patients have been treated, 25,400 of whom were free patients, representing a total cost of $2,206,509.00. The greatest demands have been made upon the hospital during the year 1943, when 7,609 patients were received in the hospital for treatment, plus more than 10,000 clinical patients, making a grand total of 21,133 patients, who, if placed on beds end to end would reach a distance of twenty-eight miles.

About six years ago the hospital was enlarged from 108 to about a 300 bed capacity. Since then the Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest College has become a unit of this institution, providing a four-year medical course for a minimum of 200 students.

The hospital has a strong staff of about 75 doctors at present, and is fully equipped with the most modern appliances. The X-ray department alone embraces 15 rooms.

The training school for nurses meets all requirements of a standard training school, both State and Federal. Young women of the highest type, mentally, physically, and morally, constitute the nurse force. A unique feature of the hospital is a resident pastor who ministers daily to the spiritual needs of the patients, teaches Bible to the nurses, and makes possible religious services each morning in the nurses home.

Mother's Day offerings from the churches of the State plus $1.00 per day per patient from the Duke Endowment Fund, supplies the money. In addition, great quantities of linen are provided by the W. M. U. organizations of the State. The salary of Rev. Charles E. Parker, resident pastor, is paid by C. M. Scott, of High Point.

Thus in the steps of the Master this institution reaches out unto all parts of our great State healing and enriching the lives of multitudes from the mountains to the sea.

68. The sixty-eighth session of the Carolina Baptist Association, which is said to be one of the most successful meetings, came to a close in a very effective manner. The crowd stood reverently with bowed heads while Jack R. Bagwell, in the absence of J. N. Shuford, read the Obituaries, after which Vice-Moderator N. B. Phillips asked M. L. Walker, new moderator, and D. G. Wilkie, present moderator, to stand at the front while the latter led the closing prayer.

IN MEMORIAM

Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord.
(Revelation 13:14)

Bat Cave—W. F. Pryor.
Bear Wallow—Deacon T. M. Merrell.
Beulah—Mr. Adger Hamilton.
Calvary—Mr. Wm. Connor, Paul (Buddy) Nanney.
Cedar Springs—Mrs. James Smith.
Crab Creek—Mrs. Arrie Stepp.
Cross Roads—Mrs. Emma E. Jones.
Dana—Mrs. Bertha May Lincoln.
Ebenezer—Mrs. S. F. Huntley, Rev. R. P. Corn, Mr. Eugene Hyder, Mrs. M. J. Lancaster, Mrs. R. P. Kilpatrick.
Fletcher—Mr. J. M. Whitaker, Mr. Luther Gilliland.
Green River—Tech. Sgt. Robert G. Levi.
Hendersonville First—Deacon W. H. Cale, J. C. Clouse, Mrs. A. P. Davis, Lt. Harold B. Drake, Rev. J. B. Guice, Mrs. A. E. Hart, Mrs. T. Q. Ledbetter, Mr. H. M. Russ, Mr. W. P. Whitmire, Mrs. S. D. Sudduth.
Hooper's Creek—Mrs. Hattie Barnwell, Mrs. Middleton.
Horse Shoe—Mr. J. H. Kitchen.
Jones Gap—Mrs. Annie Jones, Sgt. Alvin McCarson.
Mills River—Mr. Lloyd Whitaker, Mr. W. C. Moore.
Mount Gilead—Mr. Glenn Allen.
Mount Moriah—Mrs. J. C. Dalton, Mr. T. C. Laughter.
Mount Olivet—Deacon J. C. Tankersley, Deacon E. A. Ballard.
Mountain Page—Deacon L. B. Revis, Miss Emma Gordon, Mrs. Isabel Morgan.
Mud Creek—Deacon W. A. Slattery.
Refuge—Mrs. Jane Ward, Mrs. G. B. Mashburn.
Saluda—Mr. W. M. Thompson.
Shaws Creek—Mrs. George Allen, Mr. Tom Davis, Mr. G. W. Woodall.
Tryon First—Cpl. Ralph D. Davis, Mrs. Ollie Mae Ballew.
Tryon Second—Mr. Pinckney Mills (killed in action).
Tuxedo—Deacon H. C. Boone.
Valley Hill—Deacon J. L. Redden, Mr. W. H. Bowen, Deacon J. F. Staton.
Zion Hill—Deacon Jim Ward, Mrs. Jim Ward, Mr. Andrew Peace.

(Submitted by J. N. Shuford)

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

HELD WITH

Dana Baptist Church, May 23, 1944

Next Meeting: Shaws Creek Baptist Church, May 1945

(Officers of the Woman's Missionary Union may be found in the Associational Directory)

The annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union, auxiliary to the Carolina Baptist Association, opened at 10:00 o'clock Tuesday, May 23, 1944, at the Dana Baptist Church, Mrs. O. J. Smith, presiding. Theme: "Face Today; Plan for Tomorrow".

Call to worship, singing "Holy, Holy, Holy". Devotional by Mrs. L. E. Jaeckel. Special music by Shaws Creek. Prayer by Rev. J. N. Shuford.

A motion made to adopt the program as planned was adopted. Reading of minutes. Business. Appointment of committees. Recognition of visitors; the following were present: Miss Mary Currin, Executive Secretary, Raleigh; Miss Ola Lee, China and Greensboro; Mrs. Crenshaw, Asheville; Mrs. J. R. Owen, Asheville. There were seven pastors present. Roll call of churches showed fourteen represented. Reports on different phases of the work were given.

The Secretary-Treasurer reported $18.75 on hand. Mrs. M. K. Sinclair reported the amount given to the student fund to be small. It is hoped that each society will be very much concerned about this matter. The Training School report was given by Mrs. J. C. Owen. Miss Lucy Timmerman gave the report on Mission Study in the absence of Mrs. Albert W. Drake.

The Stewardship report was given by Mrs. F. M. Huggins, who urged our women to give through the Hundred Thousand Club to the payment of the state debt. Mrs. E. L. Marshall gave an excellent report on Community Missions.

The morning address was given by Miss Mary Currin on the subject, "Today Holds Tomorrow". Special music by Fay Shuford. Closing prayer was made by Mrs. O. M. Seigler.

The afternoon session opened with prayer by Mrs. J. C. Owen. Devotion by Miss Emily Gentry, a Y. W. A. from Hendersonville. The young people from different churches gave a number on

the program. The G. A.'s of Dana, the R. A.'s of East Flat Rock, and the Sunbeams of Tryon participated.

Mrs. B. G. Henry gave the report of the Young People's work. Rev. Thos. E. Thompson gave a brief talk on the work of the Associational Missionary. The last thing on the program was an address by Miss Ola Lee of China.

STUDENTS' AID FUND OF THE W. M. U.

Rules and Regulations

1. This fund shall be known as the Students' Aid Fund of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Carolina Association.

2. This fund shall be created and maintained by contributions from the different organizations of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Carolina Association, other organizations or by individuals who may be led to give to it.

3. Not more than one-third of this fund shall be used in any one year. The remainder shall be kept in the treasury of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Association.

4. Any student receiving aid from this fund must give evidence of a definite call of God to do Christian service and must be willing to dedicate himself to that work.

5. Anyone receiving aid from this fund must be a student in one of our Baptist colleges, seminaries, or training schools.

6. The student must be recommended to the Executive Committee of the Woman's Missionary Union or the Trustees of such fund by the President of the Associational W. M. U. and the Pastor of the church of which the applicant is a member, after which the applicant shall appear before the Executive Committee or the Trustees to show worthiness of such aid.

7. The Executive Committee or the Trustees of this fund must be convinced that the student is in actual need of the aid sought.

8. The aid given to any student will continue only until such student is able to pay his own way. It is further required that each student who shall receive aid from this fund shall be obligated to repay said amount within ten years.

9. It is also required that each student so aided shall be willing to do Christian work in the Association when not in school, or in some phase of the work wherever he may be located.

Committee: Mrs. O. J. Smith, Mrs. N. A. Melton, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Mrs. E. M. Bostic.

The reports of two other auxiliaries of the Carolina Association, the Sunday School and the Baptist Training Union conventions, have been printed elsewhere in this minute because of their adoption during the Association.

ORDAINED BAPTIST MINISTERS OF THE CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

Name, Work and Church	Address
ALLEN, C. T., Member, Mt. Olivet	Spartanburg, S. C.
ARMSTRONG, A. C., Pastor, Horse Shoe	West Asheville
BAGWELL, JACK R., Pastor, Refuge	18 Oak St., Asheville
BALLENGER, PAUL, Pastor, Mount Gilead	Hendersonville
BANNING, RALPH, Pastor, Etowah and Pleasant Grove	Route 1, Horse Shoe
BARNWELL, ODELL, Member, Hooper's Creek	Fletcher
BARTLETT, E. R., Pastor, Fletcher	Box 1042, Asheville
BLACKWELL, WM.	Hendersonville
BLYTHE, C. E., Pastor, Ebenezer and Mountain Page	Route 4, Hendersonville
BLYTHE, J. E., Pastor, Berea and Beulah	Route 4, Hendersonville
BOSTICK, E. M., Member, Saluda	Saluda
BURRELL, C. P., Member, Tryon Second	Tryon
CORN, D. R., Member, Mountain Valley	Zirconia
CORN, QUAY, Pastor, Locust Grove	Hendersonville
COX, J. P., Member, Mount Gilead	Asheville
DAVIS, W. H., Member, Calvary	Hendersonville
DAVIS, W. H., Member, Valley Hill	Black Mountain
EDNEY, ARNOLD E., Pastor, Mills River	Flat Rock
ERWIN, LAWRENCE, Pastor, Mud Creek and Shaws Creek	Route 5, Hendersonville
GREEN, J. H., Member, Ebenezer	Hendersonville
HARDAWAY, J. L., Pastor, Double Springs	19 B St., Poe Mills, Greenville, S. C.
HENRY, B. G., Pastor, Tryon First	Tryon
HEYMANN, C. M., JR., Pastor, French Broad	Box 1207, Hendersonville
HILL, BLY, Supply Pastor, Oak Grove	Flat Rock
HOLBERT, FLOYD	Tryon
HOLBERT, L. K.	Hendersonville
HOLTZCLAW, W. P.	Brevard
HOLLINGSWORTH, BOBO, Member, Pleasant Grove	Route 4, Hendersonville
HOWARD, A. T., Pastor, Cross Roads	Landrum, S. C.
HUGGINS, F. M., Teacher, First Baptist	Hendersonville
HUNTLEY, DAVID, Pastor, Middle Fork	Fairview
HUNTLEY, EDGAR, Pastor, Mount Zion	Bear Wallow
HUNTLEY, S. F., Pastor, Mount Moriah	Hendersonville
HUNTLEY, W. C., Pastor, Hooper's Creek	Biltmore
JONES, J. T., Member, Jones Gap	Route 4, Hendersonville
JONES, VERGIL D., Member, Balfour	Balfour
JUSTICE, A. I., Retired, First Baptist	Hendersonville
KILSTROM, E. A., Pastor, Bear Wallow	Hendersonville
KUYKENDALL, P. E., Pastor, Cedar Springs	Hendersonville
KUYKENDALL, R. M., Bible Teacher, Oak Grove	Flat Rock
LAWSON, R. L., Pastor, Tryon Second	Gaffney, S. C.
LINDSEY, W. G., Member, Refuge	Route 1, Hendersonville
MACE, H. H., Pastor, West Hendersonville	Hendersonville
MAINWARING, C. W., Member, First Baptist	Hendersonville
MASON, GENTRY, Pastor, Pleasant Hill	Wellford, S. C.
McGUIRE, J. W., Pastor, Valley Hill	Route 2, Brevard
MELTON, N. A., Pastor, Fruitland	Columbus
MIDDLETON, JOHN, Pastor, Liberty	Fletcher
MIDDLETON, J. B., Member, Mountain Page	Saluda
MOORE, M. M., Member, Ebenezer	Hendersonville
NIELSEN, A. J., Bible Teacher, First Baptist	Hendersonville
NIX, RALPH, Member, Mountain Home	Edneyville
ORR, FINLEY M., Pastor, Oak Grove	Etowah

OSTEEN, J. E., Pastor, Crab Creek ____ Hendersonville
OWEN, J. C., Pastor, Saluda ____ Saluda
OWENBY, J. W., Member, Balfour ____ Balfour
PARHAM, OTIS, Pastor, Balfour ____ Box 28, Balfour
PEGG, FRED, Pastor, Middle Fork ____ Weaverville
PENNELL, GEORGE T., Pastor, Calvary ____ Hendersonville
PHILLIPS, N. B., Pastor, East Flat Rock ____ Forest City
QUINN, R. P., Member, Valley Hill ____ Hendersonville
REECE, C. C., Pastor, Green River ____ Brevard
REESE, A. V., Evangelist, First Baptist ____ Hendersonville
ROBINSON, EDWARD, Member, Hooper's Creek ____ Fletcher
ROSS, M. J., Pastor, Pacolet ____ Tryon
SEARCY, A. C. ____ Hendersonville
SEARCY, D. D., Member, West Hendersonville ____ Hendersonville
SEIGLER, O. M., Pastor, First Baptist ____ Hendersonville
SHUFORD, J. N., Pastor, Dana ____ Route 1, Hendersonville
STANBERRY, J. H., Pastor, Zion Hill ____ Hendersonville
TAYLOR, CARL ____ Hendersonville
THOMPSON, THOS. E., Association Field Worker, First Baptist ____ Hendersonville
VAUSE, C. B., Pastor, Bat Cave ____ Chimney Rock
WALKER, E. M., Pastor, Tuxedo ____ Tuxedo
WALL, BROADUS E., Chaplain, Kenilworth Hospital ____ Asheville
WALL, J. O., Member, Bear Wallow ____ Gerton
WHITLOCK, W. H., Pastor, Mountain Home ____ Route 1, Brevard
WILKIE, WOODROW, Member, Hooper's Creek ____ Fletcher
WORLEY, WADE W., Member U. S. Forces, Tuxedo ____ U. S. Army

ASSISTANT PASTORS OR EDUCATIONAL DIRECTORS

Name, Work and Church	Address
HILL, BLY, Supply Pastor, Oak Grove	Flat Rock
MELTON, N. A., Assistant Pastor, East Flat Rock	Columbus
ROZIER, MISS ROSE ALICE, Financial Secretary, First Baptist	Hendersonville
TIMMERMAN, MISS LUCY, Educational Director, First Baptist	Hendersonville

Note: No other churches have assistant pastors or educational directors.

PRESIDENTS OF LOCAL BROTHERHOODS

Name and Church	Address
ARLEDGE, J. T., Tryon First	Tryon
WALKER, M. L., Hendersonville First	Hendersonville

ORDAINED DURING THE YEAR

Name and Church	Address
PACE, EDWIN, Green River Church	Zirconia
JACKSON, MAIZE, JR., Calvary Church	Flat Rock

STUDENTS FOR MINISTRY

Name, Church and College	Address
MARSHALL, RAY, Dana Church, Mars Hill College	Route 1, Hendersonville
FIELD, WILLIAM A., Mills River Church (Now in U. S. Army)	U. S. Army
JACKSON, MAIZE, JR.	Columbia, S. C.

CHOIR DIRECTORS

Church and Name	Address
BALFOUR—Harvey H. Erwin	Balfour
BEAR WALLOW—Foy Wall	Gerton
BEREA—Newell Saltz	Hendersonville
CROSS ROADS—Roy Burrell	Zirconia
DANA—Mrs. L. V. Lyda	Hendersonville
DOUBLE SPRINGS—Dean Ward	Zirconia
EAST FLAT ROCK—Mrs. Claribel Clarke	East Flat Rock
ETOWAH—G. W. Allison	Etowah
FRUITLAND—Junius Huggins	Hendersonville
HENDERSONVILLE FIRST—Mrs. P. F. Sudduth	Hendersonville
LOCUST GROVE—Miss Ruth Harper	Hendersonville
MOUNT OLIVET—Harley Taylor	Zirconia
PLEASANT GROVE—D. R. Justus	Hendersonville
REFUGE—Carroll Pettit	Hendersonville
SALUDA—Roy L. Johnson	Saluda
SHAWS CREEK—A. J. Nanney	Hendersonville
TRYON FIRST—Mrs. C. A. Martin	Tryon
TRYON SECOND—Herman Burns	Tryon
TUXEDO—S. W. Bayne	Tuxedo
VALLEY HILL—C. R. Brown	Hendersonville
WEST HENDERSONVILLE—Mrs. C. O. Magness	Hendersonville

HISTORICAL TABLE
Carolina Baptist Association

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith	----------	----------	----------
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text: Gen. 35:24
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Saluda	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Fruitland	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Beulah	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Connor	J. T. Freeman	Hoopers Creek	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Riverside	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Fruitland	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Mount Gilead	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	East H'ville	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	F. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthon	Salem	K. W. Cawthon
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mount Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	East Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargeant	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargeant	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargeant	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	East Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy C. Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Roy C. Bennett	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Mrs. J. L. Redden	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Charles Vause	First Ch., H'ville	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Fletcher and East Flat Rock	W. W. Worley Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek and Refuge	O. M. Seigler B. G. Henry

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE I—CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, ETC., CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1944

CHURCHES	Is It in a Village, Town, City, or Country?	When Constituted	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Days of Meeting	Church Membership											Weekly Prayermeetings	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper	Our Chuch is Enrolled in Ministers' Ret. Plan
					Total Members Reported Last Year	Gains				Losses					Total Present Members					
						Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures	Deaths	Non-Resident Members						
1. Balfour	Town	1908	Otto Parham, Balfour	Each S.	382	9	10			9					392	3	2	4	24	No
2. Bat Cave	Village	1892	Charles B. Vause, Chimney Rock	2, 4	125	2				1			1	60	125		1	4	2	No
3. Barnwell	Country																			
4. Bear Wallow	Country	1868	E. A. Kilstrom, Hendersonville	2, 4	72					1			1		70			2		No
5. Berea	Country	1921	Ernest Blythe, Hendersonville	1, 3	87					1					88					No
6. Beulah	Country	1820	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1, 3	272	3	2	1		1			1		276	Yes	2	1	12	No
7. Broad River	Country																			
8. Calvary	City		George T. Pennell, Hendersonville	Each S.	337	9	6						2		350	Yes		9		No
9. Cedar Springs	Country	1847	P. E. Kuykendall, Hendersonville	1, 3	154		2			4			1	60	157		1	1		No
10. Crab Creek	Country	1834	J. E. Osteen, Hendersonville	2, 4	196	7	3						1		205		1	1		No
11. Cross Roads	Country	1912	A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.	1, 3	109		2			5			1		105		1	1		No
12. Dana	Country	1936	J. N. Shuford, Hendersonville, R3	1, 2, 3, 4	98	6	5						1	28	108	Yes	1	4	10	No
13. Double Springs	Country	1876	Jas. L. Hardaway, Greenville, S. C.	1, 3	98		2			1					99		1	1		No
14. East Flat Rock	Town	1910	N. B. Phillips, Forest City	Each S.	227		5			4					226	Yes		4	4	No
15. Ebenezer	Country	1817	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	2, 4	303	3	1	1		4			4		300	1	1	1	5	No
16. Etowah	Country	1926	Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe	1, 2, 3, 4	171					3				56	168	Yes	1	3		No
17. Fletcher	Village	1838	E. R. Bartlett, Asheville, Box 7042	1, 2, 3, 4	234	20	9	3	1	8		4	2	53	253	Yes	2	4		No
18. French Broad	Country	1792	C. M. Heymann, Jr., H'ville, Box 1207	Each S.	80					4					76					No
19. Fruitland	Country	1875	N. A. Melton, Hendersonville	2, 4	259	2	2			8					255		2			No
20. Green River	Country	1944	C. C. Reese, Brevard	2, 4	105					4			1		100	No	1	1		No
21. Hendersonville, First	City	1888	O. M. Seigler, Hendersonville	Each S.	1392	38	73	5		32		4	10	611	1462	Yes	1	4	60	No
22. Holly Springs	Country			1, 3	62										62					No
23. Hoopers Creek	Country		W. C. Huntley, Biltmore	Each S.	179	12	12	5	8	6	5		5	10	200	2	1	2		No
24. Horse Shoe	Village	1888	A. C. Armstrong, West Asheville	1, 2, 3, 4	111		8	5	2	3			1		122		1	2		No
25. Jones Gap	Country	1913	Arnold E. Edney, Hendersonville	1, 3	125					1			2		122					No
26. Liberty	Country	1911	John Middleton, Fletcher	1, 2, 3, 4	29	8	3			2					38	1	1			No
27. Locust Grove	Country		Quay Corn, Hendersonville	1, 3	68										68		1	1		No
28. Middle Fork	Country		Fred Pegg, Weaverville	2, 4	71										71	1	1	1		No

29. Mills River	Country	1835	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock	2, 4	125								2		123						No
30. Mount Gilead	Country	1883	Paul Ballenger, Hendersonville	Each S.	207	4	2	1		1			1	40	212	Yes	2	4			No
31. Mountain Home	Country	1892	W. H. Whitlock, Brevard	2, 4	167	1				4					164		1		5		No
32. Mount Moriah	Country	1896	S. F. Huntley, Hendersonville	1, 3	188	1	1			2			2	4	186			1			No
33. Mount Olivet	Country		J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	2, 4		2	4									1	1	1			No
34. Mountain Page	Country	1790	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville, R4	1, 3	228	31	3			1			3		258	1	1				No
35. Mountain Valley	Country		H. H. Mace, Hendersonville, R4	2, 4	91	2									93		1	2			No
36. Mount Zion	Country	1900	Edgar Huntley, Bear Wallow	2	25										25						No
37. Mud Creek	Country	1804	Lawrence Erwin, Balfour	1, 2, 3, 4	468	2	6			2			1	304	473	Yes		4	6		No
38. Oak Grove	Country	1875	Finley M. Orr, Etowah	1, 3, 4	178		2								180			3			No
39. Pacolet	Village	1910	M. J. Ross, Tryon	Each S.	165										165	Yes	1	4			No
40. Pleasant Grove	Country		Ralph Banning, Etowah		125	3	1			2					127		1	2			No
41. Pleasant Hill	Country	1894			77					2					75						No
42. Refuge	Country	1837	Jack R. Bagwell, Asheville, 18 Oak St.	Each S.	306	8	7			4			2	43	315	Yes	1	3	10		No
43. Saluda	Town	1882	J. C. Owen, Saluda	Each S.	164		2			8			1	50	157	Yes		4	12		Yes
44. Shaws Creek	Country	1881	Lawrence Erwin, Hendersonville, R5	Each S.	147	3	1			2			3		146	Yes	1	4	40		No
45. Tryon, First	Town	1891	B. G. Henry, Tryon	Each S.	192	14	15			2			2	20	217	Yes	1	4	20		No
46. Tryon, Second	Town	1924	R. L. Lawson, Gaffney, S. C.	Each S.	54	1	5			4			1		55	2	1	3			No
47. Tuxedo	Village	1910	E. M. Walker, Tuxedo	Each S.	351	16	5			4			1		367	Yes	2	4	63		No
48. Valley Hill	Country	1908	J. W. McGuire, Brevard, R2	1, 2, 3, 4	266	8				5			3		266	Yes	1	1			No
49. West Hendersonville	Town	1936	H. H. Mace, Hendersonville	1, 2, 3, 4	94	18	9			3					118	1	1	4	8		No
50. Zion Hill	Village	1914	J. H. Stanberry, Hendersonville	2, 3, 4	62	7	3			4			3		65						No
TOTALS					9026	236	211	21	11	152	5	8	59	1339	9285		39	101	281		

TABLE II—SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1944

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	Sunday School Enrollment												Special Information					V. B. S.		
		Cradle Roll 3 Years and Under	Beginners 3-5 Years	Primaries 6-8 Years	Juniors 9-12 Years	Intermediates 13-16 Years	Young People 17-24 Years	Adults 25 Years and Up	Extension Department	General and Department Officers	Have You a Mission Sunday School?	Enrollment of Mission Sunday School	Total Enrolment—Main School and Mission	What is Your Average Attendance?	Baptisms from Sunday School	Is the School Graded?	Is it Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Diplomas (New Series)	Enrollment of Vacation Bible School	Average Attendance of Vacation Bible School	No. of Departments of Vacation Bible School
1. Balfour	Wm. H. Mills, Balfour	20	18	16	40	45	30	75	12	4	No		260	182		No	No	1	99	82	
2. Bat Cave	W. H. Garvin, Bat Cave			4	8	10	4	18		2	No		46	30	1	No	No		49	39	
3. Barnwell											No					No	No				
4. Bear Wallow	W. L. Huntley, Gerton		3		9		5	15		2	No		34	30		No	No				
5. Berea		4	2	5	12	3		12		2	No		40	11		No	No				
6. Beulah	J. L. Huggins, Hendersonville		15		15	15	12	12		2	No		71	36	3	No	No	2			
7. Broad River											No					No	No				
8. Calvary	M. M. Hoots, Hendersonville	21	16	35	20	35	20	50		2	No		199	100		No	No				
9. Cedar Springs	C. F. Ward, Zirconia		4	5	10	10	5	15		2	No		51	54		No	No				
10. Crab Creek	Mrs. J. F. Griffin, Hendersonville		13		12		10	12		2	No		49	25		No	No				
11. Cross Roads	Blake Corn, Zirconia		14		10		20	20		6	No		70	50		No	No				
12. Dana	W. F. Lowe, Flat Rock,R1	7	6	7	9	5	19	21		4	No		78	50		Yes	No				
13. Double Springs	Dean Ward, Zirconia			15	30	15	10	15		2	No		87	70		No	Yes	1			
14. East Flat Rock	M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	13	24	32	46	20	30	50	25	3	No		243	128		Yes	No				
15. Ebenezer	Carl Taylor, Hendersonville		25	25	25	25	25	25	22	3	No		175	105		No	No				
16. Etowah	T. E. Duncan, Etowah		11	8	17	33	9	46		3	No		127	50		No	No				
17. Fletcher	H. A. Garren, Fletcher	5	22	13	23	17	24	36		13	No		153	95	1	Yes	No				
18. French Broad	W. G. Hooper, Horse Shoe		16	8	10	10	11	15		2	No		72	75		Yes	No				
19. Fruitland	Howard Pryor, Hendersonville		6	4	13	18	7	18	48	2	No		116	6	2	No	No				
20. Green River	Clyde R. Morgan, Zirconia			9	5	4	6	27		2	No		53	30		No	No				
21. Hendersonville, First	W. B. Sinclair, Hendersonville	90	35	63	110	123	62	253	50	4	No		790	368	27	Yes	No	5	212	165	
22. Holly Springs			5	5	8	3	4	7		7	No		39	30		No	No				
23. Hoopers Creek	W. S. Riddle, Fletcher		38		35	25	30	48		3	No		179	166		Yes	No				
24. Horse Shoe	Finley Pace, Horse Shoe		7	8	12	13	15	10		2	No		67	40		No	No				
25. Jones Gap	A. T. Finlay, Hendersonville			3	10	15	5	15		2	No		50	25		No	No				
26. Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville			5	6	5	6	5		5	No		32	20		No	No				

27. Locust Grove	Lee Corn, Hendersonville		5	7	15	20	15	15		2	No		79	40		No	No				
28. Middle Fork	P. C. Searcy, Gerton			8	12		9	9		2	No		40	35		No	No				
29. Mills River	Wm. Sitton, Jr., Horse Shoe		12	8	15	26	14	26		2	No		103	43		No	No				
30. Mount Gilead	Claude Ballard, Fletcher		19	24	11	18	38	44		4	No		158	75		No	No				
31. Mountain Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville		12	8	8	15	10	22		2	No		77	75		No	No				
32. Mount Moriah	Clannis Laughter, Edneyville	6	8	7	16		18	50		2	No		107	50		Yes	No		50	25	
33. Mount Olivet	J. E. Osteen, Zirconia	6	12		15	17	7	20		2	No		79	50		No	No				
34. Mountain Page	Ted Ward, Saluda, R1		7	6	16		26	13		2	No		70	47		No	No				
35. Mountain Valley	Fayte Maybin, Zirconia		12		7	12	18	9		7	No		65	40		No	No				
36. Mount Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville			3	3	5		5		2	No		18	18		No	No				
37. Mud Creek	Arthur Freeman, Hendersonville, R5	17	20	16	25	27	18	58		2	No		183	85	2	Yes	No		46	43	
38. Oak Grove	John Stepp, Flat Rock		4	6	11	11	14	21		2	No		69	40		No	No		67	50	
39. Pacolet	Harrison Chapman, Lynn		25	22	16	15	50	50		2	No		180	90		No	No				
40. Pleasant Grove	Bobo Hollingsworth, Hendersonville		12	8	12	10	22	10			No		74	48		No	No				
41. Pleasant Hill	Mary Freeman, Hendersonville, R3	3	3	7	5	7	6	17	7		No		55	30		No	No		59	30	
42. Refuge	W. J. Ballard, Flat Rock, R1	5	18	14	13	31	45	58		2	No		186	110		Yes	No	12			
43. Saluda	Roy L. Johnson, Saluda	11	11	5	16	12	4	18	36		No		113	37		Yes	No	2			
44. Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville	4	10	8	21	7	23	33		9	No		115	56	3	Yes	No				
45. Tryon, First	J. T. Arledge, Tryon	10	7	27	31	30	12	38	25	3	No		183	100	14	Yes	No				
46. Tryon, Second	C. T. Whitmire, Tryon		5	10	15	10	12	20		3	No		75	70		Yes	No				
47. Tuxedo	D. G. Wilkie, Hendersonville	7	16	8	29	26	38	94	12	24	No		254	124	16	Yes	No		60	43	
48. Valley Hill	R. Hazeltine, Hendersonville	12	18	15	16	32	25	50		15	No		183	80		Yes	No		30	20	
49. West Hendersonville	John Rollins, Hendersonville	19		13	15	14	51	21		4	No		137	65		No	No				
50. Zion Hill	Charlie Gordon, Zirconia		10	25	25	15	8	25		2	No		110	55		Yes	No				
TOTALS		260	525	515	863	809	852	1546	237	176			5783	3239	69			21	672	497	

TABLE III—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1944

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND POST OFFICES	Adult Unions	Young People's Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Total Unions and Story Hours	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	Total Enrolled Unions and Story Hours	Total Number Daily Bible Readers	Number Taking Study Course	Total Systematic Givers in All Unions	Has Training Union Been A-1 for One Quarter?	Number of Unions A-1 for One Quarter	Students in College from Your Church	Number General and Departmental Officers
1. Balfour	Rev. Vergil D. Jones, Balfour	1	—	1	1	1	4	12	5	16	11	7	51	17	26	49	No	—	—	7
2. Calvary	Miss Jessie Shipman, Horse Shoe	1	1	1	1	1	5	15	10	20	10	10	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. East Flat Rock	E. L. Porter, East Flat Rock	1	—	1	1	1	4	14	—	20	16	9	59	19	50	20	No	—	1	4
4. Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Flat Rock R1	1	1	1	1	1	5	25	18	6	9	5	63	38	41	63	No	—	—	10
5. Hendersonville, First	C. F. Jervis, Hendersonville	2	1	2	4	1	10	28	12	33	50	12	135	63	73	149	No	—	4	14
6. Mount Gilead	Posey Glenn, Arden	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	23	—	—	—	23	6	3	16	No	—	—	—
7. Mud Creek	Mabel Pace, Hendersonville R3	—	1	1	1	1	4	—	18	18	19	6	64	23	31	—	No	—	—	7
8. Refuge	Grady Walker, Hendersonville R2	1	1	1	1	—	4	15	14	18	7	—	54	38	43	21	No	—	2	—
9. Saluda	Bob Savage, Saluda	1	1	1	1	1	5	8	6	8	8	5	35	13	17	19	No	—	1	5
10. Shaws Creek	Lee Wright, Hendersonville	1	1	—	—	1	3	15	8	—	—	5	28	12	—	14	No	—	—	—
11. Tuxedo	Robert Erwin, Tuxedo	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	17	13	13	13	66	7	50	51	No	1	1	10
12. Valley Hill	F. R. Neville, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	18	20	20	12	79	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
13. West Hendersonville		1	1	—	—	—	2	10	12	—	—	—	22	10	15	—	No	—	—	—
TOTALS		12	11	11	13	10	57	171	161	162	163	85	744	247	349	402	No	1	9	57

TABLE IV—W. M. U. ORGANIZATIONS AND GIFTS OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND POST OFFICES	No. of W. M. S.'s	No. of Y. W. A.'s	No. of G. A.'s	No. of R. A.'s	No. of Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Organizations	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A. Members	G. A. Members	R. A. Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled in Mission Study Courses	Contributions (Local Work) Given by W. M. U.	Contributions (Missions) Given by W. M. U.
1. Balfour	Mrs. C. R. Staggs, Hendersonville	1					1	16					16	17	$	$ 30.81
2. Bat Cave	Mrs. T. L. Mann, Bat Cave	1					1	7					7			107.16
3. Calvary	Mrs. Perry Gibbs, Hendersonville	1					1									
4. Dana	Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Dana	1	1	2	2	1	7	17	8	8	11	7	51	42	231.40	160.49
5. East Flat Rock	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	1	1	2	2	1	7	18	10	20	13	18	79	63		438.10
6. Ebenezer	Mrs. Tom Orr, Hendersonville	1					1								45.25	
7. Etowah	Mrs. C. W. Hensley, Etowah	1					1	15					15		21.83	37.10
8. Fruitland	Mrs. A. B. Prestwood, Hendersonville	1					1	15					15	8		134.72
9. Hendersonville First	Mrs. J. R. Stewart, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	2	6	153	11	16	9	26	215	204		2,713.33
10. Mud Creek	Maggie Perry, Hendersonville R3	1					1	8					8		14.83	41.11
11. Refuge	Mrs. T. P. Garrett, Flat Rock R1	1	1			1	3	14	10			14	38	8	352.00	352.50
12. Saluda	Mrs. J. C. Owen, Saluda	1					1	10					10	17		115.15
13. Shaws Creek	Mrs. Bryon Merrell, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	23	4	12	12	6	57	31		137.14
14. Tryon First	Mrs. W. R. Hoots, Tryon	2		2	1	1	6	42		14	8	21	85	25	242.94	189.05
15. Tuxedo	Mrs. Wade Worley, Tuxedo	1					1	12					12		68.50	68.50
16. West Hendersonville	Mrs. Reba Cantrell, Hendersonville	1					1	15					15		4.85	7.30
TOTALS		17	5	8	7	7	44	365	43	72	63	92	623	395	$981.60	$4,532.46

TABLE V—MEN'S BROTHERHOODS OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

CHURCHES	In City, Town or County?	When Constituted	DIRECTORS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND POST OFFICES	Total Men in Church 21 and Older	No. Men Working in Church Now	Men Regular in Attendance and Gifts	Does Church Have a Brotherhood?	Give Brotherhood's Enrollment	How Many Meetings Held Last Year?
1. Hendersonville, First	City	1888	M. L. Walker, Hendersonville	300	34	200	Yes	100	11
2. Tryon, First	Town	1891	J. T. Arledge, Tryon	63	25	32	Yes	25	12
TOTALS				363	59	232	Yes	125	22

TABLE VI—CHURCH PROPERTY OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1944

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship	When Was It Built?	Materials Used	Persons Seated	Number of Rooms	Department Assembly Rooms	Number Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Amount of Insurance Carried
1. Balfour	Lem R. Brown, Balfour	Yes	1908	Brick	500	11	10	10	$ 12,000	$	$ 12,000	$	$10,000
2. Bat Cave	W. H. Garvin, Bat Cave	Yes	1892	Wood	300	7	1	7	5,000		5,000		2,000
3. Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, Edneyville												
4. Bear Wallow	Mrs. Modeen Bradley, Gerton	Yes	1920	Wood	250	3			3,500		3,500		
5. Berea	Glayds Saltz, Hendersonville	Yes	1914	Wood	100	1			1,000		1,000		
6. Beulah	Clarence Redden, Hendersonville, R3	Yes	1910	Wood	250	2		2	2,800		2,800		
7. Broad River													
8. Calvary	Miss Ethel MacMurray, Hendersonville												
9. Cedar Springs	W. P. Bane, Zirconia	Yes	1900	Wood	100	1		1	600		600		
10. Crab Creek	G. J. Patterson, Penrose	Yes	1857	Wood	300	1		1	1,800		1,800		
11. Cross Roads	Alice Jones, Zirconia	Yes	1912	Wood	250	1		1	2,000		2,000		
12. Dana	X. Ray, Flat Rock	Yes	1937	Brick	300	9	1	8	15,000	5,000	20,000		7,500
13. Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia	Yes	1926	S & W	500	11		10	10,000		10,000		
14. East Flat Rock	John A. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	Yes	1911	Wood	400	3	3	9	10,000		10,000		3,000
15. Ebenezer	B. C. Marlowe, Hendersonville	Yes	1940	Brick	500	5	5	5	10,000		10,000		6,000
16. Etowah	Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Hendersonville	Yes	1926	Brick	200	1		8	2,000		2,000		
17. Fletcher	Mrs. C. F. Dockings, Fletcher	Yes	1926	Brick	350	10	1	9	20,000	5,000	25,000		3,000
18. French Broad	C. M. Heymann, Jr., H'ville, Box 1207	Yes	1926	Brick	250	4		4	3,500		3,500		3,000
19. Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, Hendersonville	No											
20. Green River	Mrs. U. S. Staton, Zirconia, R1	Yes	1927	Wood	300	1		1	2,000		2,000		
21. Hendersonville, First	J. M. Stewart, Hendersonville	Yes	1888	Brick	600	22	7	22	82,000	7,500	89,500	1,500	36,000
22. Holly Springs	Sell Kilpatrick, Penrose	Yes	1860	Wood	200	1		1	1,000		1,000		
23. Hoopers Creek	Curtis Riddle, Fletcher	Yes	1776	Wood	500	7		6	5,000		5,000		
24. Horse Shoe	S. W. Davenport, Horse Shoe	Yes	1906	Wood	250	5		5	2,500		2,500		
25. Jones Gap	A. T. Finlay, Hendersonville	Yes	1913	Wood	125	1		1	2,000		2,000		
26. Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville	Yes	1911	Wood	125	1		1	1,000		1,000		
27. Locust Grove	Paul Clinganpeel, Hendersonville	Yes		Wood	150	1		1	1,000		1,000		
28. Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow	Yes	1925	Wood	150	1		1	1,000		1,000		

29. Mills River	G. C. Field, Horse Shoe	Yes	1902	Wood	200	3	1	2	2,000	------	2,000	------	------
30. Mount Gilead	Ray M. Crawford, Horse Shoe	Yes	1913	Brick	300	1	----	1	2,500	------	2,500	------	2,000
31. Mountain Home	Lloyd O. Williams, Edneyville	Yes	1897	Wood	400	7	6	7	2,400	------	2,400	------	------
32. Mount Moriah	Sidney C. Hill, Edneyville	Yes	1896	Wood	500	1	----	1	3,500	------	3,500	------	------
33. Mount Olivet	Francis Owenby, East Flat Rock	Yes	----	Wood	250	1	----	1	400	------	400	------	------
34. Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda, R1	Yes	1938	Stone	400	1	----	1	2,000	------	2,000	------	------
35. Mountain Valley	Elmo Corn, Zirconia	Yes	1931	Wood	180	1	----	1	1,500	------	1,500	------	------
36. Mount Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville	Yes	----	Logs	----	1	----	1	500	------	500	------	------
37. Mud Creek	J. B. Williams, Hendersonville, R5	Yes	1900	Wood	500	12	----	12	5,000	------	5,000	------	2,250
38. Oak Grove	R. M. Kuykendall, Flat Rock	Yes	1875	Wood	300	3	----	3	2,000	------	2,000	------	------
39. Pacolet	Mrs. Jesse Foster, Lynn	Yes	1910	Wood	200	10	2	4	5,000	------	5,000	------	3,600
40. Pleasant Grove	Walter Gray, Hendersonville	Yes	1912	Wood	300	16	2	14	2,000	------	2,000	------	------
41. Pleasant Hill	Ethel Fisher, Hendersonville, R3	Yes	1894	Wood	300	1	----	10	3,000	------	3,000	------	------
42. Refuge	Mrs. M. M. Marshall, Hendersonville, R1	Yes	1885	Wood	500	16	2	14	6,000	------	6,000	------	1,500
43. Saluda	E. B. Hall, Saluda	Yes	1882	Wood	200	5	----	4	2,000	------	2,000	------	------
44. Shaws Creek	Claude M. Drake, Hendersonville	Yes	1928	Brick	300	10	----	10	6,200	------	6,200	------	5,000
45. Tryon, First	E. M. Averill, Tryon	Yes	1891	Wood	200	14	3	14	17,500	5,000	22,500	------	------
46. Tryon, Second	Mrs. Edna Caruth, Tryon	Yes	1924	Tile	300	6	----	6	4,000	------	4,000	------	------
47. Tuxedo	S. W. Bayne, Tuxedo	Yes	1926	Wood	250	13	----	13	10,000	------	10,000	------	5,000
48. Valley Hill	Delano McCall, Hendersonville	Yes	1908	W & B	360	15	----	13	3,000	------	3,000	------	2,000
49. West Hendersonville	Mrs. Frank Kelly, Hendersonville	Yes	1936	Wood	350	3	----	3	3,000	------	3,000	------	2,000
50. Zion Hill	C. V. Waters, Zirconia	Yes	1914	Wood	375	4	----	4	3,000	------	3,000	------	------
TOTALS	----------	---	----	-----	13,615	253	46	253	$283,000	$22,500	$305,700	$ 1,500	$93,850

TABLE VII—GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1944

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Pastor's Salary Paid This Year	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs Spent This Year	Church Debt and Interest	Incidentals	Literature for Church Use, Sunday School, Etc.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing Minutes, and Clerk of Association	Other Objects	Total for Local Purposes Given by the Church and All Its Organizations
1. Balfour	W. E. Hammond, Balfour	2,211.70	------	149.72	1,660.37	------	367.91	95.02	215.00	6.00	308.00	5,114.32
2. Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	452.14	------	55.68	------	------	95.86	25.00	50.00	3.00	81.71	763.59
3. Barnwell		------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
4. Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrell, Gerton	186.20	------	------	27.11	------	28.36	19.99	------	1.50	------	263.16
5. Berea	G. Saltz, Hendersonville	102.63	------	------	------	------	15.60	14.40	8.50	------	------	141.13
6. Beulah	Clarence Redden, Hendersonville	337.50	------	37.76	184.00	------	65.86	40.00	------	------	------	665.12
7. Broad River		------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
8. Calvary	M. M. Hoots, Hendersonville	2,600.00	------	100.00	500.00	------	300.00	150.00	100.00	------	------	3,750.00
9. Cedar Springs	T. J. Ward, Zirconia	257.90	------	50.00	------	------	12.70	31.05	------	------	17.75	369.40
10. Crab Creek	Mrs. J. F. Griffin, Hendersonville	120.54	------	------	------	------	2.40	25.00	------	------	------	147.94
11. Cross Roads	B. W. Williams, Zirconia	167.25	------	54.66	1,000.00	------	10.50	29.71	------	3.68	------	1,266.80
12. Dana	George J. Hill, Hendersonville, R1	1,298.33	73.20	99.65	2,284.62	------	279.00	90.64	------	5.00	------	4,130.44
13. Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia	205.00	------	------	------	------	------	10.00	------	1.00	------	216.00
14. East Flat Rock	H. D. Morrison, Hendersonville	1,200.00	130.00	------	48.03	------	177.99	250.61	48.83	10.00	2,237.96	4,103.20
15. Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Hendersonville	516.60	------	50.00	------	------	138.10	88.39	28.10	2.00	57.72	880.84
16. Etowah	Felix Weese, Etowah	413.91	------	60.33	24.72	------	42.72	43.52	------	5.00	243.83	833.63
17. Fletcher	Mrs. Lloyd Waldrop, Hendersonville, R5	1,750.00	------	244.37	99.60	50.00	323.48	80.38	36.24	5.00	68.25	2,657.32
18. French Broad	Mrs. Tommy Justus, H'ville, Box 1144	183.75	------	------	46.61	------	64.97	57.09	------	1.50	237.23	590.97
19. Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Hendersonville	400.00	------	200.35	------	------	75.25	79.27	40.00	5.00	25.00	824.87
20. Green River	U. S. Staton, Zirconia	218.61	------	41.10	------	------	9.60	15.20	------	------	------	284.51
21. Hendersonville, First	B. B. Massagee, Hendersonville	4,100.04	2,655.11	------	1,465.68	6,679.93	3,597.38	725.58	384.37	15.00	3,944.50	23,567.59
22. Holly Springs	Sell Kilpatrick, Penrose	90.00	------	------	------	------	5.00	12.00	------	1.00	------	108.00
23. Hoopers Creek		1,768.75	53.05	160.50	1,000.00	------	250.00	60.59	247.59	5.00	------	3,123.78
24. Horse Shoe	S. W. Davenport, Horse Shoe	460.57	------	47.59	61.53	------	29.60	33.00	13.00	2.00	19.00	666.29
25. Jones Gap		------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
26. Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville	103.53	15.95	50.16	38.00	------	2.00	7.35	14.00	2.00	------	252.99
27. Locust Grove	Ethel McMinn, Fletcher	150.00	------	------	75.00	------	------	30.00	------	------	------	255.00

28. Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow	120.00	------	------	------	------	12.00	16.00	------	1.50	------	149.50
29. Mills River	Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe	400.00	------	------	25.00	------	10.00	39.28	------	5.00	32.42	511.70
30. Mount Gilead	Posey Glenn, Arden	677.44	------	375.55	1,352.70	------	284.13	72.00	18.21	5.00	4.97	2,790.00
31. Mountain Home	Lloyd O. Williams, Edneyville	1,137.08	------	126.58	437.40	------	81.08	76.71	85.00	2.00	24.57	1,972.60
32. Mount Moriah	Sidney C. Hill, Edneyville	590.36	7.00	56.61	------	------	27.58	16.10	60.00	2.00	15.00	774.55
33. Mount Olivet		85.00	------	20.00	------	------	------	25.00	12.50	1.00	------	143.50
34. Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda, R1	227.69	------	------	35.84	------	------	36.72	37.22	------	------	337.57
35. Mountain Valley	Grant Maybin, Zirconia	150.00	------	18.10	80.00	------	14.00	22.00	13.00	------	8.70	144.70
36. Mount Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville	44.77	------	------	------	------	------	3.92	------	1.00	------	49.69
37. Mud Creek	J. B. Williams, Hendersonville, R5	1,100.58	73.82	------	284.34	------	233.84	185.78	------	10.00	116.56	2,012.92
38. Oak Grove	Elliott Rhud, Flat Rock	141.00	------	------	316.81	------	61.84	5.40	------	------	------	625.05
39. Pacolet	Miss Jennie Ballard, Lynn	600.00	------	16.18	450.10	------	227.47	51.62	------	5.00	25.00	1,375.37
40. Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah	315.45	26.30	9.17	8.00	------	43.00	40.32	5.00	2.00	19.82	469.06
41. Pleasant Hill		21.00	------	------	------	------	60.00	30.00	------	------	------	111.00
42. Refuge	Carroll Pettit, Hendersonville, R1	1,043.35	------	183.30	33.10	------	213.34	142.81	------	5.00	37.48	1,658.38
43. Saluda	R. L. Savage, Saluda	1,005.00	------	12.50	277.58	------	94.36	116.22	10.00	5.00	238.55	1,759.21
44. Shaws Creek	Claude M. Drake, Hendersonville	1,266.70	------	10.00	------	------	242.32	93.21	26.00	10.00	------	1,846.68
45. Tryon, First	R. E. Brantley, Tryon	2,233.30	------	160.00	523.20	406.25	536.51	127.91	25.00	5.00	939.48	4,956.65
46. Tryon, Second	W. T. Cantrell, Tryon	985.00	------	246.83	------	------	110.00	60.35	35.00	3.00	------	1,460.18
47. Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	1,840.00	------	294.97	695.44	------	683.52	487.88	45.00	10.00	------	3,966.71
48. Valley Hill	H. S. Brookshire, Hendersonville	1,231.79	------	96.13	350.48	------	162.50	152.25	------	6.00	------	1,999.15
49. West Hendersonville	Mrs. Horace W. Jones, Hendersonville	532.40	26.76	133.14	600.00	------	110.67	84.68	------	2.00	32.67	1,522.32
50. Zion Hill	Mrs. Nora Anders, Zirconia	420.00	------	100.00	1,210.35	------	39.25	30.00	29.50	------	------	1,829.20
TOTALS		35,462.91	3,061.19	3,170.93	15,195.71	7,136.18	9,141.69	4,029.97	1,587.16	154.18	8,737.97	87,442.58

SPECIAL INFORMATION. Pledged to Cooperative Program: Bear Wallow $25.00, Dana $600.00, Fletcher $100.00, French Broad $25.00, Fruitland $500.00, Hendersonville First $3,984.54, Liberty $15.00, Mills River $100.00, Saluda $150.00, Shaws Creek $75.00, Tryon First $300.00, Tuxedo $260.00, West Hendersonville Monthly Pledge; Total $6,134.58. Pledged to Associational Missions: Mills River $15.00, Refuge $25.00, Saluda $25.00, Shaws Creek $30.00, Tuxedo $204.00, West Hendersonville $12.00; Total $311.00. Number of Tithers: Balfour 20, Bear Wallow 5, Dana 21, Fletcher 35, Fruitland 18, Hendersonville First 84, Hoopers Creek 20, Liberty 4, Mt. Gilead 12, Mt. Home 15, Mud Creek 9, Pleasant Hill 1, Refuge 20, Saluda 7, Shaws Creek 20, Tryon First 12, Tuxedo 19, Valley Hill 18; Total 340. Members Subscribed to Church Budget: Dana 80, Hendersonville First 215, Saluda 55, Tuxedo 63, West Hendersonville 118; Total 531. Every-Member Canvas for Annual Budget?: Hendersonville First, No; Saluda, Yes; Tryon First, Yes; Tuxedo, Yes; Valley Hill, Yes; West Hendersonville, No. Value of Food and Clothing Given to Orphanage: Dana $50.40, Etowah $49.50, Fletcher $6.00, Hoopers Creek $50.00, Liberty $13.50, Mt. Gilead $25.00, Pacolet $11.80, Shaws Creek $20.00, West Hendersonville $18; Total $244.20. Church Enrolled in Ministers Retirement?: Saluda, Yes.

TABLE VIII—GIFTS FOR MISSIONS, EDUCATION AND BENEVOLENCES OF CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1944

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Total to Co-Operative Program	Special to Associational Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Orphanage	Special to Hospitals	Red Cross and Foreign Relief	Other Objects	Missions—Total Given for Missions and Benevolences By the Church and All Departments	Grand Total All Purposes Local Work and Missions Given by Church and All Its Organizations
1. Balfour	W. E. Hammond, Balfour	$	$	$	$ 125.60	$	$ 124.32	$	$	$	$ 249.92	$ 5,364.24
2. Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	90.01	15.75	15.80	15.60		150.25	25.00	43.66	58.50	434.55	1,198.14
3. Barnwell												
4. Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrell, Gerton	25.00					20.00		12.00		57.22	320.38
5. Berea	G. Saltz, Hendersonville							3.60			3.60	144.73
6. Beulah	Clarence Redden, Hendersonville	67.50					67.50	6.37			141.37	806.49
7. Broad River												
8. Calvary	M. M. Hoots, Hendersonville											3,750.00
9. Cedar Springs	T. J. Ward, Zirconia	25.79					24.24	41.15			91.18	460.58
10. Crab Creek	Mrs. J. F. Griffin, Hendersonville						15.42	10.75			26.17	174.11
11. Cross Roads	B. W. Williams, Zirconia						12.00	5.00			17.00	1,183.80
12. Dana	George J. Hill, Hendersonville, R1	247.86		32.22	231.40		89.76			48.00	649.24	4,780.18
13. Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia											230.70
14. East Flat Rock	H. D. Morrison, Hendersonville	269.77	50.00	124.91	100.03	150.52	796.91	143.89	307.62	30.00	1,997.65	6,100.85
15. Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Hendersonville						69.85	67.12			136.97	1,017.81
16. Etowah	Felix Weese, Etowah		25.00				85.02	25.00	12.25	55.17	202.44	1,085.56
17. Fletcher	Mrs. Floyd Waldrop, H'ville R5	185.78					178.71	25.25			389.74	3,047.06
18. French Broad	Mrs. Tommy Justus, H'ville, Box 1144						20.90	13.41			34.31	625.28
19. Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Hendersonville	97.75	50.01	124.15	47.00	47.42	130.10	62.00	100.50	104.50	763.42	1,588.29
20. Green River	U. S. Staton, Zirconia			7.85	57.50		10.00	13.86			89.21	393.72
21. Hendersonville, 1st	B. B. Massagee, Hendersonville	4,462.01	100.00				725.26	126.27	131.44	60.75	5,605.73	29,173.32
22. Holly Springs	Sell Kilpatrick, Penrose											108.00
23. Hoopers Creek					249.75		61.82	25.68	40.00		377.25	3,123.78
24. Horse Shoe	S. W. Davenport, Horse Shoe					5.57	44.35	5.96			55.88	722.17
25. Jones Gap	Mrs. M. McCarson, Hendersonville											
26. Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville				1.60	3.40	13.50	12.20			30.70	283.69
27. Locust Grove	Ethel McMinn, Fletcher											255.00

28. Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow						10.00	10.00			20.00	169.50
29. Mills River	Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe	69.82	10.00	11.28	4.40	8.95	137.43	20.00	30.15		292.03	803.73
30. Mount Gilead	Posey Glenn, Arden	8.15					20.92	25.00		8.00	62.07	2,877.07
31. Mountain Home	Lloyd Williams, Edneyville						160.00	10.00		10.00	180.00	2,152.60
32. Mount Moriah	Sidney C. Hill, Edneyville		12.45		5.54	11.10	14.20	17.00			60.29	834.94
33. Mount Olivet							7.00		23.00		30.00	173.50
34. Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda, R1					3.29		2.19			5.48	343.05
35. Mountain Valley	Grant Maybin, Zirconia						19.62				19.62	316.62
36. Mount Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville	7.80					28.60				36.40	135.78
37. Mud Creek	J. B. Williams, Hendersonville, R5	222.01	30.00	27.30	31.09		131.43	47.60	10.00	35.67	535.10	2,548.02
38. Oak Grove	Elliott Rhud, Flat Rock						9.00				9.00	634.05
39. Pacolet	Miss Jennie Ballard, Lynn	25.00			4.50	9.50	13.49	25.00			77.49	1,452.86
40. Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah				15.00	3.40	72.19	21.09			121.18	590.24
41. Pleasant Hill						8.50		16.00			24.50	135.50
42. Refuge	Carroll Pettit, Hendersonville, R1	200.70	25.00	118.48	76.00	99.00	190.32	69.75	56.00	12.00	847.25	2,505.63
43. Saluda	R. L. Savage, Saluda	150.00		8.73	7.50	65.80	92.56	12.62	12.40	29.55	418.76	2,177.97
44. Shaws Creek	Claude M. Drake, Hendersonville	383.14	30.00	15.00	24.17	79.64	20.00	18.00	10.00	126.50	706.45	2,553.13
45. Tryon, First	R. E. Brantley, Tryon	300.00	13.00				90.00	21.07			424.07	5,380.72
46. Tryon, Second	W. T. Cantrell, Tryon						36.96	7.50			44.46	1,556.64
47. Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	128.00		96.00		20.00	162.20	35.84	15.10		472.14	4,438.85
48. Valley Hill	H. S. Brookshire, Hendersonville		25.00	40.00	60.00	140.58	106.23	10.14			381.95	2,381.10
49. West H'ville	Mrs. Horace W. Jones, Hendersonville	104.74	4.00	10.58	5.00	5.00	106.93	36.00	3.00		275.25	1,797.57
50. Zion Hill	Mrs. Nora Anders, Zirconia											1,829.20
TOTALS		$7,070.83	$390.21	$632.30	$1,061.68	$661.77	$4,068.93	$1,017.30	$807.12	$578.64	$16,297.04	$103,826.15

NOTE—The following gifts are credited in the totals above, though separate columns are not run for them. Special to Schools and Colleges: Tuxedo, $15.00. Special to Theological Seminaries: Pleasant Grove, $9.50. Special to Ministers' Retirement Fund: East Flat Rock, $24.00; Saluda, $39.60.

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Hoopers Creek—
Horse Shoe—H. P. HOUK.....Horse Shoe, N. C.
Jones Gap—
Liberty—
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Mountain Home—
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Mountain Page—
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West Hendersonville—HARVEY LAUGHTER.....Hendersonville, N. C.
Zion Hill—
*See Table I for names of Pastors.

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Baptist Training Union.....O. J. Smith, Hendersonville, N. C.
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Periodicals.....Mrs. John Perry, Hendersonville, N. C.
Hospitals.....Junius Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.
Promotion.....George Pennell, Hendersonville, N. C.
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

BROTHERHOOD WORK

The Carolina Association has two Brotherhood Organizations: one in the Hendersonville First Church, E. T. Brown, Director, and one in the Tryon First Church, George W. Comer, Director. Both of these organizations are doing good work.

CAROLINA MEMBERS OF STATE AND SOUTHERN BOARDS

J. Henry Burnett, Hendersonville, N. C., Secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention. B. G. Henry, Tryon, N. C., Member of the State Board, and a member of the State Training Activities Committee.

MINISTERS' CONFERENCE

The Baptist Ministers of the Association meet each Monday morning at 10:00 o'clock in the First Baptist Church, Hendersonville; N. B. Phillips, president; J. N. Shuford, vice-president; O. M. Seigler, secretary.

ROLL OF MESSENGERS

Balfour—Rev. Otto Parham, Mr. W. D. Glazner, Mr. D. R. Llyda, Mr. F. M. McCarson.
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Barker Heights—Mr. P. B. Ball, Mrs. J. W. Brown, Mrs. J. E. Barnwell, Mr. Odell Poole, Miss Georgia Lee Staton.
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Bear Wallow—Mr. R. M. V. Merrell, Mr. W. L. Hunter, Mr. Foy J. Wall.
Berea—
Beulah—Clarence Redden, Sol Cantrell, T. A. Drake, J. L. Huggins, W. C. Raines.
Broad River—Mrs. Lillian Ledbetter, Michael J. Ledbetter, Gertrude Ledbetter, L. B. Ledbetter, W. Pulasci Searcy.
Calvary—Dorothy Pace, Mrs. W. M. Sparks, George T. Pennell, Miss Jessie Shipman.
Cedar Springs—J. C. Allen, C. F. Ward, W. P. Bane, D. T. Powell.
Crab Creek—
Cross Roads—G. B. Corn, J. C. Burrell, Charlie Morgan, H. B. Davis, Mrs. C. L. Osteen.
Dana—R. H. Lincoln, W. K. Hyder, W. E. Lowe, Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Mrs. R. T. Pace.
Double Springs—Munroe Ward, Janie Hudson, Dorothy Hudson, Elbert Peace, Nellie Peace.
East Flat Rock—Mr. D. G. Wilkie, Mr. Fred Stepp, Mrs. Clarabel Clark, Mrs. Lowell Jones, Mr. J. D. Thompson.
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Etowah—George Weese, R. N. Sentelle, Mrs. R. N. Sentelle, Mrs. Annie May Parker, Mrs. W. A. Morgan.
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Fruitland—Brother Joe Goforth, Brother Junius Huggins, Brother Jay Pryor, Mrs. Edna Drake, Miss Louise Pryor.
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Hendersonville First—M. L. Walker, Noah Hollowell, Victor Rector, Mrs. H. M. Russ, Mrs. J. R. Stewart, Mrs. W. H. Cale, Roy Huggins, J. S. Sargent, A. J. Nielson, O. M. Seigler, Thos. E. Thompson, Mrs Albert Drake, R. H. Staton, Daniel Hart, Mrs. O. J. Smith.
Holly Springs—
Hoopers Creek—W. C. Huntley, W. S. Riddle, Grover Wilkie, W. W. Wilkie, Cecil A. Worsham.
Horse Shoe—Mr. H. P. Hauk, Mrs. S. A. Davenport, Mr. Finley Pace, Mr. John Heffner, Mr. Rufus Pace.
Jones Gap—Charley O. Mace, Leonard Nelson, Mrs. Bettie Blackwell.
Liberty—
Locust Grove—Lee Corn, Quay Corn.
Middle Fork—R. C. Messee, Mrs. R. C. Messee, Rev. B. E. Huntley, Mrs. Luther Hill, Mrs. W. A. Pryor.
Mills River—Mrs. R. K. Whitaker, Mrs. R. F. Brittain, Mrs. M. E. Whiteside, Cora Belle Gillespie, Helen Whitaker.
Mount Gilead—Mr. E. L. Lanning, Mr. Nelson Suttles, Mr. Claude Ballard.
Mount Moriah—Mrs. Luther Ledbetter, Mrs. Nola Jackson, Mrs. Maude

Laughter, Mrs. Foy Hill, Mrs. Gertrude Holbert.
Mount Olivet—
Mount Zion—
Mountain Home—
Mountain Page—R. W. Bell, Mrs. L. B. Revis, Mrs. F. B. Nash, F. B. Nash, H. P. Pace.
Mountain Valley—
Mud Creek—R. S. Steadman, Dewey Orr, Arthur Freman, Mrs. Dewey Orr, Mrs. Juanita Justus.
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Oak Grove—R. M. Kuykendall, Newil Hill, Jim Dryman, Mrs. Lewis Roper, Mrs. Elliotte Reed.
Pacolet—Mrs. Arthur Pack, Mrs. Jess Foster, Mrs. M. J. Ross, Mrs. R. Capps, Mrs. Alta Lawrence.
Pleasant Grove—Rev. Bobo Hollingsworth, Mrs. Louis Wilson, Mrs. Gladys Shuford, Mrs. Kate Dalton, Mrs. Mary Ellen Gray.
Pleasant Hill—
Refuge—Mrs. M. M. Marshall, Miss Irene Mitchell, Grady Walker, Marie Case, Mrs. Nannie Mitchell.
Saluda—R. B. Staton, M. F. Arledge, R. L. Savage, Mrs. R. L. Savage.
Shaws Creek—Mrs. G. L. Anders, Mrs. Lee Wright, Mrs. E. D. Perkins, Mrs. Harvey Drake, Miss Adilee Corn.
Tryon First—B. B. Bobo, Mrs. Craig Furr.
Tryon Second—Rev. H. J. Allman, Mr. Herman Burns, Mr. Stuart Bradshaw, Mr. C .T. Whitmire.
Tuxedo—J. W. Bradley, Mrs. W. W. Worley, Mrs. W. E. Crawford, S. C. Mullinax, W. E. Crawford.
Valley Hill—Mrs. D. H. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Harim Staton, Mrs. J. F. Newman, Mrs. M. B. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Hazeltine.
West Hendersonville—Mrs. Horace Jones, Miss Othella Westall, Mrs. Walter Allison, Rev. E. M. Bostick.
Zion Hill—C. Vernon Waters, C. L. Gordon.

CONSTITUTION

Mell's Parliamentary Practice Followed:

Article 1—Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Carolina Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers of Missionary Baptist Churches in Henderson and Polk Counties, and any other Missionary Baptist Churches which may wish to unite with them.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members in excess of one hundred. Only the names of the messengers attending the meeting shall be printed in the minutes.

Artcle 2—Objects

Section 1. The object of this Association shall be to devise and recommend measures for the increasing of mental and spiritual power of the churches, and for developing and directing their energies, their resources and gifts in advancing the Master's Kingdom throughout the entire world.

Article 3—Officers and their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational B. T. U. Director, all of whom shall be elected by a majority vote by ballot, at each annual meeting. These officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall, by fraternal visitation, counsel and advise with the churches regarding their work through the year.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches in the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment. His annual compensation shall be $50.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall have charge of all the funds which may be raised by the Association, of which he shall give an account at the Annual meeting.

Article 4

Section 1. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as from time to time be deemed advisable.

Article 5

Section 1. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ and the ordinances of His house as accepted by Missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, by a majority vote.

Section 2. Any church in good standing in this Association may, on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

Article 6

Section 1. The Association at any meeting may withdraw fellowship from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

Article 7

Section 1. This Association regards each Baptist Church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body for furthering the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity, the preaching the gospel, and promoting Christian education.

Article 8

Section 1. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion or resolution of the body, except to amend the constitution which shall require a two-thirds vote of the members.

Article 9

Section 1. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the beginning of each day and corrected, if necessary. Before final adjournment the entire minutes shall be read and approved.

Article 10

Section 1. The Association shall, before its final adjournment, fix a place for the next meeting and select one of the ministers of the body to preach the annual sermon.

Article 11

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the pastor and one layman from each church, said layman to be duly appointed or

elected by the church annually, and in addition thereto, the following: the Moderator of the Association, the Clerk, the Associational Field Worker or Missionary, the Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union, the Associational Sunday School Superintendent, the Associational Baptist Training Union Director.

A quorum shall consist of all the members of the Executive Committee present after due notice has been given by card or letter.

2. Program Committee Duties:

A. Work with the program committee of the pastors' conference in correlating the programs of the two groups.

B. Assume responsibility for programs for meetings of the Association in which objectives of the State and Southern Baptist Denominational calendar shall be given proper emphasis.

C. Cooperate with the Field Worker or Associational Missionary, the Sunday School, Training Union, and Woman's Missionary Union departments of the Association so as to co-ordinate the Associational work.

D. Arrange all special Associational meetings when desired.

E. Prepare and publish programs for the quarterly and annual meetings of the Association.

F. Prepare the Association's calendar of meetings and general activities for the year or shorter periods.

3. Mission Committee Duties:

A. Direct and work with the Association's Missionary in cooperation with the State and Home Mission Board.

B. Survey the field for more effective action.

C. Establish missions where deemed advisable.

D. Conduct revival meetings when deemed advisable with pastorless or non-self-supporting churches, or communities without a Baptist Church.

E. Organize new churches when and where the Executive Committee deems advisable.

F. Conduct Daily Vacation Bible Schools.

G. Conduct Bible Classes.

H. Conduct Association-wide Sunday School revivals.

I. Aid pastorless churches, etc.

4. Finance Committee Duties:

Prepare the Associational budget for proposed work to be done by the Executive Committee through all committees and secure necessary funds to accomplish the proposed programs.

POLICIES

Distribute the activities of the Association throughout the year by holding quarterly afternoon or night sessions. Organize the work of the Association so that it will be broader in scope with a set-up ample to take care of the average situation. Aid pastorless churches and establish and sponsor missions, Sunday Schools and hold revivals outside of our organized churches when such is deemed advisable by our Executive Committee.

By changing our annual program and having the addresses from those representing our Hospital, Orphanage, Biblical Recorder, Home and Foreign Missions, Temperance, and other causes presented at our quarterly sessions, we can give more deliberate and intelligent thought to these matters than when they are properly spaced in between our local program. This would permit more discussion, freedom of spirit, and greater inspiration to a less crowded program of our annual session.

If the customary program should crowd the annual session too much for one day and not permit free and liberal discussion where

desired, reports such as that of the historian, and that on temperance and morals ,the orphanage, hospitals, periodicals and other subjects not directly dealing with our local Association's activities might be made topics for discussion by visiting speakers at our quarterly meetings rather than at our annual session. Such arrangement would become a part of the duty of the Program Committee under this proposed set-up.

This would reduce the burden of preparing food for two days instead of one and would maintain a good attendance as we have now on the first day.

By distributing the quarterly meetings among the different churches we would place our sessions in closer proximity to the people and also enlist more interest in such gatherings.

The night session of the second day of our Association, which is devoted to the work program of the B. T. U. and Sunday School, would be held at the afternoon quarterly meetings.

Under this plan the minutes of the quarterly meetings would be embraced in the annual published minutes of the Association.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The Association shall convene at 10:00 A.M. on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year.
2. The Association shall open and close with prayer each day. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all the meetings of the body.
3. The rules of order may be changed at any session by a vote of the majority of the members present.
4. That reports be limited to 500 words.
5. All questions of order shall be decided by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 7, 1945

Horse Shoe Church

1. The sixty-ninth session of the Carolina Baptist Association convened in the Horse Shoe Church at 10:00 A.M. with M. L. Walker, Moderator, presiding and Thos. E. Thompson acting clerk.

2. After the singing of the hymns, "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "To The Work" led by D. G. Wilkie, the devotional was conducted by Rev. Ralph Banning. He read the story of "The Good Samaritan" as found in Luke 10:30-37 and in his remarks portrayed the world of today as stripped, robbed and prostrate, whose needs can be met by the seeing eyes and the helping hands of God's people. Malcolm Ross, pastor of Pacolet Baptist Church, led in prayer.

3. The roll call of the churches revealed a large representation from the churches of the Association.

4. The following visitors were recognized and welcomed: Dr. L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the Biblical Recorder; Mr. M. A. Huggins, Secretary of the Baptist State Convention; Professor Satterfield of Meredith College and T. C. Grant of Ocala, Fla.

5. All the Pastors on the field, and Ministers were recognized.

6. During the period of organization the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: M. L. Walker, Moderator; Mrs. E .M. Bostick, Clerk; M. K. Sinclair, Treasurer; Noah Hollowell, Auditor and Historian; W. H. Davis, Asst. Historian; Thos. E. Thompson, Recorder Representative.

7. The Chair called for the adoption of the day's program which was so moved by A. J. Neilson, with the understanding that it was subject to change.

8. In the report on the Cooperative Program given by Dr. O. M. Seigler he set forth the strength of the cooperative plan and urged the churches to unite with the denomination in supporting this plan for the advancement of the cause of Christ at home and abroad.

The report was adopted upon motion of Dr. Seigler.

Report on Cooperative Program

Christ committed the world's greatest task to his followers when he said: "Go ye therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost; teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you and lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the ages." He provided a message and a power by which this might be done and left the method by which various groups might do this to the better

judgment of these groups. Some years ago our Southern Baptist people conceived the plan of voluntary cooperation by each Church in all the programs of the denomination and named the method of proceedure, "The Cooperative Program." Year by year this plan has grown in favor with our churches and people.

1. It is scriptural. All the causes included in the Great Commission are included in the Program and all the causes included in the program are found in the Great Commission.
2. The Cooperative Program is unifying. It seeks to enlist all the churches, agencies, **and members** in the whole program. It saves us from lopsidedness.
3. The Program is concrete. It is not a matter of giving to unknown objects but to something definite—to state, home and foreign missions, Christian education, orphanages, hospitals, ministerial relief.
4. This Program is Baptistic and democratic in that it recognizes the right and individuality of every church and person. No coercion is suggested or implied. It presents a fair plan for voluntary cooperation in carrying out the plan commanded of our Lord.
5. The Program is economical and business-like. It coordinates expenses and appeals. If information is presented, no object need suffer.

The past conventional year was an excellent one in our association, the State and the Southern Baptist Convention. This, our centennial year of the Southern Convention will likely be the greatest year in the history of the Convention from the standpoint of souls won and money raised. World needs are such that we will need to send missionaries and support work as never before, therefore, we urge the full cooperation of every Baptist to support our Cooperative Program to the limit of his ability.

For the sake of our churches and people, and for the adequate support of all causes included in the Cooperative Program we recommend the folowing:

1. That the fires of evangelism be kept burning brightly all the year.
2. That we stress continuously Christian stewardship with the tithe as the minimum standard of Christian giving.
3. That church budgets be arranged and every member canvasses be made to enlist as many of our people as possible in the regular support of Kingdom activities.
4. That a reasonable distribution of funds be observed between local support and denominational causes.
5. That all denominational funds be remitted promptly and properly marked each month to the state secretary-treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

O. M. SEIGLER.

9. The Chair introduced Mr. M. A. Huggins, Secretary of the State Convention, who spoke of the growth of our Baptist work under the cooperative plan. "Gifts reached a million dollars last year with a good chance of reaching two million this year," he said. "Our challenge and appeal must be double," he concluded. "We must look backward with gratitude for God's blessings during these one hundred years, in which we have grown from 325,000 in number to 5,493,270; in gifts, from $27,000.00 to $13,455,000.00. Looking forward, we face unparalleled opportunities and overwhelming needs, (1) for rebuilding the

work in devastated mission fields in the war zones, (2) for young people who will go with the message, (3), for reaching the unreached at home. Does it concern us that only fifty out of one hundred and sixty-five, representing the earth's millions, are Christian"?

10. The following committees were appointed to report later in the session:

TIME, PLACE, PREACHER: George Pennell, Chairman, H. H. Mace, Junius Huggins.

NOMINATIONS: D. G. Wilkie, Chairman, A. J. Neilson, N. B. Baldwin.

RESOLUTIONS: George Roberts, Chairman, J. E. Osteen, O. T. Howe.

RECEPTION OF NEW CHURCHES: N. B. Phillips, Chairman, N. A. Melton, J. E. Blythe.

11. Recognition of Pastors arriving late, and the introduction of Rev. J. Horace Brown of Anderson, S. C., who was welcomed.

12. Mr. M. A. Huggins spoke briefly, commending the Ministers' Retirement Plan to churches which have not yet adopted it.

13. D. G. Wilkie led the assembly in singing "The Light Of The World Is Jesus," after which the sermon was delivered by J. N. Shuford, Pastor of the Dana Church. Taking his text from the 16th chapter of Matthew, verses 15-18, Mr. Shuford spoke of the church as the institution which was founded by Christ and founded upon Christ and stressed the necessity of confession and faith in Christ on the part of the believer.

14. Rev. W. H. Davis led in prayer, after which the session adjourned for lunch, which was generously provided by the Horse Shoe Church.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

15. The afternoon session was opened with the song, "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms," led by D. G. Wilkie.

16. The devotional was led by A. C. Armstrong, who read the 8th chapter of First Thessalonians and the first two verses of the 12th chapter of Romans. He emphasized, (1) the injunction to hold fast to that which is good, (2) non-conformity to the world must be the Christian's way, and (3) we must be transformed by the renewing of our minds. He closed with prayer.

17. At this time Dr. Hoyt Blackwell of Mars Hill College, Mr. I. G. Greer, Superintendent of the Thomasville Orphanage, Rev. Meadows of Tennessee were recognized.

18. The report on Periodicals was read by Carl Blythe and adopted by the Association.

Report on Periodicals

It is the duty of Christians to choose with great care that which

they read. It is important that we, as a Baptist people, see to it that our homes are well provided with religious literature. Today there is so much printed that is degrading, that one must be quite careful in order to choose helpful reading matter.

Without question, the Bible heads the list of all religious literature. It is not claimed to be the best read book, but it has the distinction of being the world's best seller. Good religious literature makes us want to know more about the Bible , hence for this cause reading of religious literature should be encouraged.

We are happy that the report on the Biblical Recorder this year is very encouraging. The circulation of this paper for the past year has increased rapidly. The present circulation is about 34,000 which means a net gain for the past year of 7,500. The paper has also shown good progress financially. We are happy to report that the paper is now financially self-supporting.

Charity and Children brightens our homes each week as it gives us glimpses of the happy orphan children entrusted to our care. This paper should go into every Baptist home.

How can we be informed people unless we read the Biblical Recorder, Charity and Children, Royal Service, and our B. T. U. literature? How can we keep in touch with our Lord and not read His Word?

Let us not be satisfied with just the good literature, let us choose the best.

Respectfully submitted,

C. E. BLYTHE.

19. Dr. L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the Biblical Recorder, was then presented to the Association. He spoke of the progress of the Recorder in its increased circulation and in its influence in winning the lost and enlisting the people. Its influence will be felt to a greater degree if it is placed in more homes. There are only nine Recorder Clubs in the Carolina Association where there should be many more. "It is the only paper in the world that will keep North Carolina Baptists informed on Kingdom work in North Carolina."

20. The report on Christian education, as given by M. L. Kirstein, was adopted.

Report on Christian Education

It is with regret that we acknowledge the existence of an education that is not Christian. Since we earnestly believe in separation of church and state as one of the great principles of our way of life, the law of the state makes no religious requirements for its faculties and teachers. Doubtless, we are fortunate that there is no antagonism between the two.

Early in the history of our country this desire for complete religious freedom gave rise to a type of education distinctly Christian. The need arose for schools and colleges owned, controlled and supported by the church. Such institutions had the right to set their own standards of religious education without conflict or interference of state. In fact, until late in the history of this country all the colleges established were founded and maintained by Christian Churches for religious purposes, especially for the training of young men for the ministry.

Our Lord's Ministry on earth both taught and sanctioned Christian Education. He was found at the feet of the learned asking and answering questions. He spent a greater part of His earthly ministry teaching twelve men into whose hands the great task of writing and teaching the things concerning the Kingdom of Heaven were to be committed. As Baptists we must preach the right kind of education, whether the evil be alcohol, divorce or some other wrong, the right kind of education is a cure and not just a corrective remedy. Of all people, of any age, we can least afford to neglect Christian Education. Adoniram Judson once said, "If I had a thousand dollars to give away, I would give it to a Christian College in America where, in developing Christian character and training young men and women for service you are raising the seed corn of the earth."

So, may we prayerfully devote our time and money to this great cause which is so conducive to the right kind of teaching, preaching and healing.

Respectfully submitted,
REV. M. L. KIRSTEIN

21. The time allotted for the discussion of this phase of our work was given to Profesor Satterfield of Meredith College. He pointed out that Christian education is the keystone to our civilization and without it our civilization will not stand. He spoke of the dangers of divorcing Christianity from education. He called attention to the small percentage of Baptist boys and girls who attend Baptist colleges: not enough to produce faculty timber needed to man our colleges. He also emphasized the need for the best trained minds in the pulpit and on the mission fields. "No excuse for untrained men today," he said. "We must get into Christian education or get out."

22. Dr. Hoyt Blackwell, Mars Hill College, brought greetings from that institution and reported bright prospects for the future of the school. He said 'many boys and girls are being denied entrance because of inadaquate facilities,' and urged the need for an enlarged plant now.

23. Historian's report was given by W. H. Davis. Dr. Seigler moved its adoption with an expression of appreciation for the work done by Mr. Davis.

Report of Historian

The Carolina Baptist Association was organized at Double Springs Church near the South Carolina line in 1877.

Previous to this time the only association in the territory was the Salem Association. A little later the Henderson County Association was organized. This Association was merged into the Carolina in 1887.

The Baptist State Convention met at Boiling Springs Camp ground in 1843. This camp ground stood on the spot of ground where Sherman Patterson's faith tabernacle now stands, on the Kanuga road a few miles southwest of Hendersonville. On this same spot of ground the Western North Carolina Baptist Convention was organized in 1845. Through the medium of this convention the churches of the west carried on their mission and benevolent work until the year 1898 when it was dissolved and joined the Baptist State Convention at Greenville, N. C. When the Carolina Association was organized there were two or

more churches in upper South Carolina which went into the organization. The first officers of the association were from these South Carolina churches. The moderator who presided at the most sessions of the association was Rev. W. B. Johnson, who was a member of one of the South Carolina churches. He was elected moderator the first time in 1884, and the last time in 1900. He, therefore, presided at twelve sessions of the association. He was also clerk of the Association for one year and preached the introductory sermon at one session.

The man who served the association as clerk for the longest period in succession was Rev. T. A. Drake. He served from 1905 to 1912.

We give here a list of the oldest churches in the association according to the records and the dates when constituted: Mountain Page 1789 or 1790; French Broad, 1792; and now occupying its third location; Mud Creek, 1804; Ebenezer, 1813; Beulah, 1820; Refuge, 1827; Crab Creek, 1834; Mills River, 1835; Fletcher, which used to be old Salem, 1838; Mount Moriah, 1839; Hendersonville First, 1844; Cedar Springs, 1847; Liberty, 1848; Green River, date unknown.

The centennial celebration of one of the above churches, the Hendersonville First, was very fittingly observed last October under the leadership of her excellent pastor, Dr. O. M. Seigler. Under his leadership "her youth is being renewed like the eagle's."

Pastors' Salaries

Pastors' salaries in the early years of the association were very meager. The fact that a pastor needed to study to "divide the word of truth" had not been discovered by many people, consequently nothing was said about pastors' salaries or pastors' homes. Pastors were supposed to make their living any way they could, either by plowing corn or clerking in a store. As a matter of fact the man who plows corn all the week and tries to preach on Sunday will either have grassy corn or grassy sermons.

Some of our pioneer preachers were untrained in the schools, but they were men of God, and they knew God and the Bible. These men were evangelistic in spirit, held great meetings and had great ingatherings, but laid very little stress on missions or training for service. Now we have the B. T. U. and the W. M. U. for the training of our members for service.

Pioneer Preachers

In the early days of the Carolina Association, we had the following pioneer preachers: Rev. G. W. Mace, Rev. E. Allison, Rev. G. S. Jones, Rev. Jas. Blythe, Rev. D. B. Nelson, Rev W. J. Wilkie, Rev. N. Bowen, Rev. W .B. Johnson, Rev. J R Rhodes, Rev Joseph E Castor, Rev. A. I. Justice and others. These men were pastors in the association, but received very little pay for their work.

When Judson College was in existence, we had in our association the following preachers who were good men and did good work. Rev. J. B. Boone, President of the college and other preachers who were students, such men as Rev. A. B. Thomas, Rev. J. C. Owen, Rev. T. H. Plemmons, Rev. B. P. Robertson and others.

Pastors' Salaries Increased

Pastors' salaries have been greatly increased in the last few years. As late as 1902 one of the largest and oldest churches in the Association paid her pastor sixty-five dollars for the whole year's service, once a month preaching. That church paid her pastor last year one thousand dollars and had preaching every Sunday.

One of the youngest and smallest churches in point of membership in the association, under the influence and with the aid of the Lord's acre movement has built a new house of worship, dedicated it, built

a new parsonage, has pastor near the church and paid him a salary of $1,200.00 last year, and has preaching every Sunday.

A NEW CHURCH

A new church was organized several years ago at Barkers Heights, but for a time that church was inactive. It has recently been reorganized, a new house of worship is under construction, they have a regular pastor and preaching every Sunday. During the past year the Association has had a regular missionary in the field who has done good work. God is moving upon the hearts of our people and the outlook for the future is bright.

Respectfully submitted,
W. H. DAVIS, Assistant Historian.

24. Report on Promotion and Recommendations of the Executive Committee was read by N. B. Phillips and adopted by the Association.

Promotional Report and Recommendations of the Executive Committee

On a mountain in the ancient land of Galilee made sacred by His footprints, Jesus commissioned His followers to disciple all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things whatsoever He commanded.

Ever since the days of Pentecost groups of His disciples, even though they have been known by different names, have been faithful to their Master's command. Southern Baptists are allied with these groups. All that they are has grown out of evangelism; all that they hope to be in the future must come out of the evangelism of the present. They must evangelize today if they are to live tomorrow.

Christ committed His program of redeeming mankind to His church. Evangelism which is not Christ-centered and church-controlled is not of the New Testament type. Evangelism, to accomplish God's purpose, must burn brightly in the pulpit, the glow of which must pervade the pew and flashing forth, light the road to Calvary. Whether we tell the story of Jesus and His love in tent or in temple, on the highway or in the hedges, it must be charged with the dynamics of a crucified, risen, living, radiant and reigning Christ.

The Executive Committee is conscious of the fact that the Association is the most important unit beyond the local church. It is nearer the people and has a better understanding of their needs. It has been the desire of the committee to cooperate fully with the Centennial Program in winning the lost to Christ, training them in Christian living, church membership and utilizing them in building His program in our midst.

The committee, in cooperation with the Baptist State Convention, secured a full time Field Worker, whose final report is attached herewith*. It also appointed a committee on Evangelism and with their cooperation held one Preachers' Revival, which was well attended and assisted in organizing one church, known as the Barker Heights Church and held monthly meetings. It was the desire of the committee to coordinate the work of the Association and to this end we make the following recommendations for the coming year.

1. That we retain our Field Worker.
2. A stronger cooperation of the Pastors and the churches with the Field Worker and the Associational Program.
3. That a Preachers' School be established, the session to be held at a convenient time so that as many ministers as possible may attend.

4. Owing to the fact that there are within the bounds of the Association some twelve or fifteen thousand unsaved people for which we are responsible, we recommend that we major on evangelism the coming year.

We heartily commend the pastors and the churches for a greater unity and fellowship, and recommend that we strengthen our stakes and lengthen our cords for a more consecrated effort the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

N. B. PHILLIPS.

*Note: The Field Worker's report appears on page 30.

25. B. G. Henry presented the report on Revision of the Constitution, calling attention to several changes relative to the election of officers, the time they assume their duties, etc., as found in Article 3, Section 1. After the Body heard the reading of Article 11 by Noah Hollowell, dealing with plans, committees and policies the Association adopted the report. (See Constitution on page 9-10).

26. George Pennell, in speaking to the report, spoke of "the delicacy of handling this matter because it dealt with Baptist tradition, but the Committee felt that by so doing, the work would be enlarged and interest broadened by increasing the number of the Executive Committee and referring much of the routine to this committee."

27. O. M. Seigler moved that the Association at this time elect the Sunday School and B. T. U. Superintendents. The motion was carried and Roy Huggins was elected Superintendent of the Sunday School work, and O. J. Smith the superintendent of the Baptist Training Union work.

28. D. G. Wilkie read the report on the Orphanage which was adopted by the association. Following the reading of the report, Mr. I. G. Greer, Superintendent of the Thomasville Orphanage, stirred our hearts with the plea to give our children a fair chance by accepting our responsibility and privilege in providing a home which will help to eradicate the evils which have been made by the fathers and mothers of our generation. He urged that we (1) give the child a chance to use what he has, (2) recognize his individuality, (3) inspire the best in him and rededicate ourselves to the task of giving the children a chance to make a better world. Three hundred and thirty-eight boys from the Orphanage have been called into the service of our country and only three failed to qualify.

Report on the Orphanage

We feel that the support of our Baptist Orphanage is very essential and that its support is in keeping with Bible teachings and that every Baptist should count it not only his duty but a privilege to have a part in the maintenance of the plant and the care of the unfortunate children who are privileged to be admitted.

"Wars may come and go; we may sign treaties of peace and establish world tribunals, but the homeless child is ever with us. Wars

have always been hazardous to homes and childhood. During the past two years many children have been born into this country who have never seen and who will never see their fathers. These fathers have given their last full measure of devotion in the service of their country. Others, through dissipation and neglect, have shirked their responsibility as parents and left helpless children dependent on Christian citizens. Shall we be faithful to these children?

This condition is nothing new. It gave Christ, when he was in the world, great concern and caused Him to explain. "But whoso shall offend one of these little ones it were better for him that a millstone be hanged about his neck." Our orphanage is the most direct channel through which Baptists may render service to dependent children.

During the past year, in spite of the tremendous increased cost of living, we cared for approximately 700 children in the Mills Home and Kennedy Home, through Mother's Aid and in boarding homes. In addition to this, orphanage representatives rendered perhaps their best service to more than 300 children by helping families work out their domestic problems, thus preventing the necessity of having to take these children into the institution. Through these faithful efforts more than a thousand children were aided.

It costs $675.00 a day to care for the large family now in the orphanage. We cannot build orphanages large enough to care for all needy children. Christian people should in some way stimulate fathers and mothers, and prospective fathers and mothers to rededicate themselves to the task of building good homes. Wrecked homes are the greatest tragedies of the present generation. We win military victories in vain at the expense of our fine boys and girls, unless we can here at home win moral and spiritual victories that will unshackle the children of tomorrow." We would like to suggest that all of our churches adopt a plan of systematic giving once a month for our Baptist orphanage in addition to our Thanksgiving offering. If this could be done and stressed in all of our churches and Sunday Schools we feel that our needs would be amply taken care of and our churches spiritually blessed.

Respectfully submitted,

D. G. WILKIE

29. The Body expressed appreciation to the Horse Shoe Church for their hospitality in entertainment.

30. Rev. N. A. Melton led in the closing prayer, after which the meeting adjourned until the night session at Balfour.

TUESDAY NIGHT, AUGUST 7, 1945

Balfour Church

Session for Baptist Training Union and Sunday School Departments

31. O. J. Smith, B. T. U. Director of the Association, presided over the opening period of the evening session. Otto Parham and Junius Huggins led the congregation in the singing of the hymns, "Blessed Assurance" and "Praise Him, Praise Him."

32. The devotional was led by Rev. George Roberts, Pastor of the Refuge Church. He read from the Scripture, Acts 4:1-13,

emphasizing the thought that spiritual power comes through prayer and the life that practices being alone with God shows evidence of power in the Sunday School class, the pulpit and wherever one goes. He closed with a prayer that the lives of Christians might manifest this power in the world today.

33. Director O. J. Smith recognized Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Reel as visitors. Mr. M. L. Walker announced the meeting on Wednesday at the Balfour Church, and Mr. Smith announced that "Intermediate Week" would be observed in the Training Union in September.

34. The report of the work of the Training Union was read and adopted upon motion of Lawrence Erwin.

Baptist Training Union Report

The work of the Baptist Training Union in the Association has had an active year in which much work was done and much progress was made in the work. There were several inspiring and inspirational meetings held. We are happy to greet some of the returning Training Union Workers who have joined our armed forces and have served their country and have now returned to us, and we are looking forward to much inspirational help. We would be glad to have all of our Training Union Workers back with us as soon as possible. But those who remained here have kept the work going as inspirational and helpful as possible.

Meetings held:

4 associational

5 executive and program planning

On the night of the Association the program was rendered at Refuge by the Sunday School and Training Union. There was a very inspirational pageant in which a number of conversions and dedications to the Lord's work were accomplished.

In October the Association was visited by the State Training Union Director, Mr. Harvey Gibson, when supper was served to a large number of workers from about 15 churches.

A group of officers went to the State Training Union Leaders' Counsel at Morganton, at which time plans were made for the Southwide Simultaneous meeting, which was held April 24 at the First Baptist Church.

There was one Association-wide study course conducted at the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville March 25th through the 30th. There were about 9 churches represented, with about 75 requests for awards. The last night of the study course was given over to the elimination contest, at which time the Young People's Choir of the First Baptist Church rendered a very inspirational song festival.

All Regional and State-wide meetings were cancelled; therefore, we had no representation from the Carolina Association.

Respectfully submitted,

O. J. SMITH

35. Mr. O. B. Reel of Charlotte, was introduced to the group and spoke briefly on "The Training Union, A Vital Part In Our Church Program." This program, he said, is a program of growth and development and such growth is attained through

Bible study and prayer, both of which are strongly emphasized and encouraged in the Training Union.

35. Junius Huggins and M. Pressly Jr., sang a duet, "He Was Nailed to the Cross," accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Sinclair.

36. The report of the Sunday School work was read by Roy Huggins, Associational Superintendent, and adopted by the group.

Sunday School Report

Our Associational-wide meeting March 6th was perhaps the high spot in this year, featuring the felowship with the Sunday School Superintendents and their wives, for supper, followed by our Centennial Program, at which time Rev. J. W. McGuire gave us a backward and present look of the Baptist Sunday School progress. Rev. Lawrence Erwin and Rev. George Pennell brought the climax of the hour through inspiration, encouragement, and future challenge.

It is our conviction that a well-organized Sunday School can accomplish wonders in our important task of helping advance the cause of Christ. Bible teaching is basic and essential to any permanent progress.

Each officer and teacher is congratulated upon having been elected to this worthy position in the Sunday School work of his or her respective church. May you resolve now that you are going to acquire all the information you possibly can regarding the whole Christian program, and especially your own assignment. Every Bible doctrine must be taught if it is to be understood and accepted.

There are approximately 15,000,000 white people in the South above nine years of age who are unsaved. Fifty-two wide awake, Spirit-led Sunday Schools can save our Carolina Association from "isms" and dangerous doctrines. They can inspire our churches to minister to our men and women who are away in the service of our country, and at the same time help prepare the churches to receive them into a warm, rich fellowship on their return home.

The Daily Vacation Bible Schools this year have contributed greatly to the Bible knowledge and growth of the youth in their churches where held, but O, what a challenge to us for more schools to be conducted in all the other churches! 10,000 Baptist Churches in the South do not have Cradle Roll Departments.

May I earnestly request that we all accept our responsibility in the name of Christ and render the largest possible service to the churches and the unchurched communities of the Carolina Association during 1946?

Reported in the interest of better Sunday Schools.

Respectfully,

ROY HUGGINS

37. The hymn, "Standing on the Promises" was sung, led by Junius Huggins.

38. Roy Huggins introduced the speaker of the evening, Rev. James Ray, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Spindale. Mr. Ray took as his text Romans 8:37; "Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him that loved us." "To be 'more than conquerors' means to put the enemy under our feet; it means to be victorious through persecution and trials and tribulation. The Apostle Paul's life was the test of his claim.

He could sing praises while bleeding from stripes. No life since Jesus has left its impress upon the world like the Apostle Paul. We are not 'more than conquerors' because we have not been true to the heavenly vision. The secret of 'more than conquerors' is found in our dependence upon and our faith in God's will—to know His will. We are responsible for what we could have known." Mr. Ray closed his message with prayer.

39. Prayer of dismissal by N. B. Phillips.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1945

Balfour Church

Morning Session

40. The morning session of the second day was called to order by the Moderator, M. L. Walker. Otto Parham led the congregation in singing the hymn, "He Leadeth Me."

41. In the absence of J. W. McGuire, Pastor of the Valley Hill Church, George Pennell conducted the devotional. He brought a helpful message based on Matt. 10:16; "Behold, I send you forth as sheep in the midst of wolves, be ye therefore wise as serpents, and harmless as doves."

42. The Moderator recognized the following visitors: Forrest Maxwell, Little River Association, I. G. Skelton, North Greenville Association and C. E. Parker, Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem.

43. In the absence of J. E. Osteen, Chairman of the committee on obituaries, Bobo Hollingsworth was appointed to make that report at the afternoon session.

44. Mrs. O. J. Smith was recognized and reported on the work of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Association. She stressed the importance of a wholesome, wellrounded life for the young people and urged a more serious consideration of assuming our responsibility to them.

Report of Woman's Missionary Union

The Woman's Misisonary Union of the South has grown from just a small group of women working together to help the needy close by to a world organization reaching the lives of people everywhere.

It fosters the higher and better ways of life through the study of the Bible and world missions, prayer, devotion, clean living and Christian service. In fact, the Woman's Missionary Union promotes all types of activities that go to the development and growth of Christian character.

The Carolina Association consists of fifty-five churches. There are only sixteen organizations of any kind in this work. Very few of these have any work for young people.

We find it hard to get organizations to function in many of the churches for many reasons, but where they are going there has been great progress.

During 1944 the total gifts were $4,099.51. Most of the organizations have some community mission work, and some mission study. The number of tithers for 1944 was one hundred and seventy-eight, where in 1943 there were only eighty-five. The number of women taking part in this work was 365, and the number of young people 199. This is an increase of 134 over 1943.

We should do more for our young people because there are so many other forces bidding for their lives. Few people have our religious literature in their homes where every other kind of reading material can be found.

We held our annual meeting with Shaws Creek Church with a large attendance. Miss Roberta Pearl Johnson of Apex and China, and Miss Ruth Keller of Raleigh were the visiting speakers. There were nine pastors and ministers present.

May God help us to realize our responsibility and go forth to do greater work in the future.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. O. J. SMITH, Supt.

45. Rev. B. G. Henry spoke to the report, reminding us that even as women were used for practical service in New Testament times, so today the Woman's Missionary Societies in the churches are doing a practical work, and if the W. M. U. work in the local church were to cease the cause at home and abroad would suffer. He spoke in appreciation of the missionary efforts in his church and commended the work to every church in the Association. "It is our duty unto God to promote the missionary enterprise and this can be done best by cooperation between the pastor and the women. The church that is doing things is the church in which there is a strong missionary society. Interest in world-wide missions would increase a hundred percent if every church in the Association had a woman's missionary society."

46. Mrs. Smith presented Miss Thelma Drake, the Mission Study Chairman of the Association, who spoke of the need for Christian steadfastness and fortitude in face of today's problems, of the need for good literature and full time pastors in the churches.

47. The report was adopted upon motion by Dr. O. M. Seigler.

48. The report on the Baptist Hospital was adopted.

Associational Report of North Carolina Baptist Hospital—1945

The North Carolina Baptist Hospital was incorporated in 1922 and received its first patient May 28, 1923. Originally planned as a 100-bed institution, it was enlarged in 1942 to a capacity of 247 beds and 55 bassinets.

The underlying purpose of the Baptist Hospital has always been medical care for the poor. Since the day it received its first patient it has offered a high type of hospital care on a statewide basis. Its caliber of service was enhanced many times over when the Wake Forest Medical School became a four-year school in 1941 and was located adjacent to the Baptist Hospital. When the Baptist Hospital became a teaching hospital, its purpose became twofold—teaching and healing, twin endeavors of Christ.

The Baptist Hospital operates one of the fullest approved schools of nursing in the South, and at the present time has an enrollment of about 150 young ladies receiving professional training under Christian auspices. The students are selected under very high standards. These students come from all over North Carolina and represent the highest type of womanhood—mentally, physically and morally. While the most rigid scientific training is given the girls, the hospital takes great pride in the Christian and humane attitude it develops in these girls.

Of the 8,000 patients admitted as bed patients each year, slightly over 4,000 of these are service patients who pay no doctor's fee and who pay but a slight portion of their hospital expenses. During 1944 approximately 3,000 of these service patients paid absolutely nothing toward their hospital bill. It is toward the expense of these patients that the money given on Mother's Day each year is used. In addition to the free bed patients the hospital, as stated above, gives diagnostic examinations to approximately 20,000 free patients who are not admitted to the hospital each year. The cost to the hospital of free service rendered during 1944 was $198,648.92.

The hospital has developed into one of the top ranking hospitals of our nation in the caliber of its medical work. In developing its medical program care has been taken that the spiritual atmosphere of the hospital should develop to the same measure. Emphasis is given at every turn, in its educational program, in its employees, and with its patients to the spiritual needs of all coming in contact with the hospital. The religious program is under the direction of a full-time Chaplain and Student Secretary. This fine and fruitful service is made possible in part by the generosity of Mr. C. M. Scott of High Point, North Carolina, who contributes toward the cost of the program. Due to the close touch which the nature of sickness allows the Chaplain to have with the patients, we have had many conversions and rededications in the hospital.

North Carolina Baptists have developed in their hospital one of the greatest medical centers in our country, and at the same time one of the strongest influences for the cause of Christ that exists in any land. Its huge opportunities for serving as an agency of mercy, as a means of teaching and as a means of spreading the influence of Christ are a challenge to the generous heart of our great denomination that its program will not be restricted for lack of finances. All of its activities are operated on the highest of standards, and hence it requires a tremendous budget. It is self-supporting with the exception of its charity work, and it is for this merciful side of its program that North Carolina Baptists this year are giving over $100,000 through the Mother's Day program.

Respectfully submitted,

MALCOLM ROSS

49. Chas. E. Parker, a member of the staff of the Hospital in Winston-Salem was presented to the body. He spoke briefly on the state of the hospital and its ministry of usefulness. He pointed out that the Carolina Association had sent only five charity patients to the hospital for treatment during the year, but in contributions it had sent $2,000.00.

50. O. M. Seigler read the report on State Missions which had been prepared by F. M. Huggins. The report was adopted after a slight correction.

State Missions

The Work of the State Mission Board may be classified under the following activities:

1. General Missionaries. These are Rev. E. L. Spivey of Charlotte and Rev. J. C. Pipes of Asheville who are associated with Mr. M. A. Huggins, the general secretary. These missionaries have as their work the promotion of evangelism, visiting the churches, making of surveys for the organization of new churches, promoting schools of missions, holding stewardship revivals and otherwise promoting the State Mission Program.

2. Associational Missionaries. This is a new phase of State Mission Work but is proving to be of practical usefulness. The State Mission Board pays half the salary of the missionary and the churches pay the other half. Last year there were 19 Associational Missionaries including the one in the Carolina. These missionaries promote Sunday Schools, Training Unions, Schools of Missions, Vacation Bible Schools, and hold revival meetings.

3. Aid to Missionary Pastors. This is the oldest and perhaps the most fruitful of our missionary endeavors. Churches are aided by State Mission funds until they become self-supporting, then they contribute to the whole Baptist program. Some of the strongest churches of the state were at one time supported by the State Mission Board. As funds become available, this phase of state mission work should be extended.

4. Help on building and purchasing lots. The State Mission Board has aided in the favorable location of church buildings on State Highways, and in the purchase of lots. The Board has also aided in the erection of buildings near the campuses at Chapel Hill, Cullowhee and Boone. The debt on all these buildings is now paid, but more money is needed for this department of State Missions.

5. Christian Education in the Churches. The Sunday Schools, Baptist Training Union and Baptist Student Union are vital parts of State Missions.

6. Ministry to other races. The State Mission Board encourages work among negro Baptists by paying a part of the salary of the Executive Secretary and Director of Religious Education. The State Board also aids in the support of missionaries among the Indians in Robeson County.

7. Ministry to the sick. Rev. Otis J. Hagler is employed as chaplain at Oteen. A Christian ministry is also given to the patients at Western North Carolina Sanatorium at Black Mountain and at the Sanatorium at Aberdeen.

8. Pastor's Schools. The State Mission Board sponsors these schools and they have proven to be a great blessing to the increasing number of pastors who have attended.

9. Work around camps and defense areas. This ministry to our boys in uniform is timely and encouraging.

10. The support of the Allied League for the abolition of beverage alcohol is also an activity of the State Mission Board.

11. There are other activities of the State Mission Board, as cooperation with the Home Mission Board in City Mission Work, and the Radio Program.

What a wonderful list of activities. How it should thrill our hearts to cooperate with this great agency in giving it our financial, moral and spiritual support.

Respectfully submitted,
F. M. HUGGINS

51. Victor Rector submitted the following report on Home Missions which was adopted by the Association.

Home Missions

The Home Mission Board has done a good work in assisting weak churches, in aiding in Christian education, in increasing hospital facilities and in evangelizing colored people, Jews and foreigners located here in the homeland.

Since the churches at home are the sources from which come all our foreign workers, we would recommend that our Christian schools broaden their courses of study in languages to include the leading dialects spoken in Russia, China, and India. These languages are more important in extending the religion of Christ today than are Greek and Latin.

Since there is a growing tendency on the part of leading Christian nations to work out and adopt plans to give every citizen security from the cradle to the grave, we recommend that our churches broaden their health program, and begin to study the advisability of creating a school, or home, for the feeble minded, a group that no one appears to be interested in. Maybe old Fruitland could be used for such a school.

These feeble minded children grow into feeble minded adults. Such adults are given little or no consideration by either church or state, unless they are brought into a criminal court charged with a crime. Then the lawyer pleads mental weakness and asks for the mercy of the court.

Surely ,giving the feeble-minded a cup of cold water in His name would be a Christian act. These unfortunate people are not wanted in our orphanages, nor in our schools, and perhaps, not even in the homes that gave them birth. Separate schools under Christian teachers would be one solution.

Since scientific discoveries and modern inventions are giving the world so many deadly weapons, we recommend that our churches stress the importance of increasing spiritual power to the end that all men everywhere may learn to love and not hate; and thus learn to live in peace.

If the spirit of Christ does not control the lives of world leaders of tomorrow, World War III may sweep what is left of civilization from the earth.

Respectfully submitted,
VICTOR RECTOR.

52. George Pennell, Chairman of the Committee on Time, Place and Preacher for the next session, submitted the following report, which was adopted:

Tuesday, after the first Sunday in August 1946;
Oak Grove; Rev. Wayne Peek, Tuxedo, N. C.

53. The report on Resolutions, submitted by George A. Roberts, was adopted.

Report on Resolutions

Resolution No. I.

Be It Resolved: That this body express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to the Pastors and members of Horse Shoe and Balfour Baptist Churches for their many acts and kindness and hospitality ex-

tended to us during this heart warming session of this Association.

Be It Further Resolved: That the ladies of these churches be especially commended for their kindness in preparing the delicious meals served us each day during the session.

Resolution No. II.

Be It Resolved: That the 69th Session of the Carolina Baptist Association express their heartfelt thanks and deepest appreciation to the Hendersonville papers for their kindness and fidelity in printing the announcements of the churches of this Association.

Be It Further Resolved: That this body request our Clerk to forward a copy of this resolution to these papers.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE A. ROBERTS

54. D. G. Wilkie submitted the report on Nominations which was adopted after Mrs. O. J. Smith was named to represent the Woman's work.

Report on Nominations

Standing Committees: State Missions, Rev. Wayne Peek, Rev. N. B. Phillips; Home Missions, Rev. E. A. Kilstrom; Foreign Missions, Rev. J. W. McGuire; Ministers Relief and Retirement, Roy Bennett; Orphanage, John Sinclair; Baptist Training Union, O. J. Smith; Sunday Schools, Roy Huggins; Christian Education, J. E. Shipman; Temperance and Public Morals, C. M. Heyman; Periodicals, Mrs. John Perry; Hospitals, Junius Hugins; Promotion, George Pennell; Obituaries, Rev. J. E. Blythe; Women's Work, Mrs. O. J. Smith; Historian, Noah Hollowell.

Executive Committee is taken care of in Article 11 of the Constitution. (See page 4-5 for names).

Committee: D. G. Wilkie, N. B. Baldwin, A. J. Nielson.

55. N. B. Phillips, in his report on Reception of New Churches, recommended the reception of the Barker Heights Church and the Naples Church. So adopted and words of welcome were given to the representatives of these churches by the Moderator, M. L. Walker.

56. After the congregation sang "Rock of Ages" Lawrence Erwin delivered the morning sermon, using as his text, "If the Son, therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed," Jno. 8:36. The outstanding thought of his message was that Christ and His love operative in the world today is the only remedy for the ills of the human race.

57. N. B. Phillips led in prayer.

58. Otto Parham made an announcement concerning the lunch and after a prayer of thanksgiving by O. M. Seigler, the session was adjourned for lunch.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

59. M. L. Walker opened the afternoon session at 1:30 with the singing of the hymn, "To the Work," A. C. Armstrong leading.

60. The devotional was conducted by A. E. Edney who read from the third chapter of II Cor. and made some helpful com-

ments on the responsibility of Christians living as Epistles of Christ to be read by the world. He led in prayer.

61. Jacob Gartenhaus, Missionary to the Jews under the Home Mission Board, was recognized and a motion was made by B. G. Henry that the time allotted to the Pastors' hour be granted to Mr. Gartenhaus. Motion was carried.

62. The Assembly gladly heard Mr. Gartenhaus on the work which he is doing among the Jews in the Southland. He recommended Hyman Appleman as an evangelist of great power and expressed the desire that his services would be secured for a series of meetings in this Association.

63. Otto Parham made a motion that Mr. Appleman be invited to conduct an Associational revival; after a second to the motion it was carried.

64. At this time the Moderator called for report from the pastors of the churches. The following pastors gave encouraging and inspiring reports: Otto Parham, George Pennell, O. M. Seigler, George Roberts, J. N. Shuford, B. G. Henry, W. C. Huntley, Manning Vaughan, A. C. Armstrong, A. E. Edney, N. B. Phillips and Lawrence Erwin.

65. Thos. E. Thompson, Associational Worker, was recognized and gave the folowing report, which was adopted upon motion by O. M. Seigler.

Report of the Field Worker

(For eleven months and nine days, ending July 9, 1945)

Mesages delivered, 76, Hospital visits 213, Sick calls 268, Funerals conducted 4, Meetings attended, state, divisional, associational, church and otherwise 175, Mission programs conducted 1, Study Courses conducted 5, assisted in the organization of one church, tracts distributed 4,334, contacted ministers relative Mars Hill Preachers School by post card, Contacted pastors and Sunday School superintendents relative mission program by letter, miles traveled 11,373, Expenses $198.23, Salary received from Association $655.50.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. E. THOMPSON

Note—Monthly reports in hands of Moderator of Association for examination.

Mission Program Report

July 1-6, 1945

Attendance:			
July 1, Afternoon Session	54, Evening	59, Offering	$ 26.28
July 2, Afternoon Session	26, Evening	32, Offering	$ 10.84
July 3, Afternoon Session	17, Evening	49, Offering	$ 10.11
July 4, Afternoon Session	30, Evening	43, Offering	.51
July 5, Afternoon Session	19, Evening	20, Offering	9.13
July 6, Afternoon Session	100, Evening	154, Offering	50.79
Totals	246	357	$107.66

Total Attendance	603
Average attendance for each of the twelve sessions	50.25
Total Offering	$107.66
Total Expense	$102.25
Cash on Hand	$ 5.41
Subscriptions:	
Home Misssions	70
Biblical Recorder	None
Commission	No report

66. Upon motion by W. C. Huntley it was voted that the time allotted to the report on Temperance and Morals be given to Mr. L. E. Martin, who in turn, introduced R. M. Hauss, representative of the Allied Church League. Mr. Hauss spoke of the alarming situation in this country with reference to the liquor traffic. "It is the number one destructive agency in the world and users are increasing at an alarming rate annually." He suggested that the problem could be solved by converting the men who make it and sell it and by placing men of sobriety in the offices of the land. The matter of their periodical was brought before the body and Mr. L. E. Martin asked for cooperation in getting this into the hands of the people.

67. The Treasurer's report was read by Victor Rector and adopted by the Association.

Treasurer's Report

Balance on hand at last report $177.01

	Minute Fund	Student Fund	Associational Worker
Balfour	$ 6.00	$	$ 50.00
Bat Cave	3.00		25.00
Bear Wallow	1.50		
Berea	2.00		
Beulah	2.00		
Calvary			50.00
Cedar Springs	3.56		
Cross Roads	5.00		15.00
Dana	5.00	5.00	25.00
Double Springs	1.00		
East Flat Rock	10.00	11.00	100.00
Ebenezer	2.00		
Etowah			25.00
Fletcher	5.00		
French Broad	1.50		
Fruitland	5.00		40.00
Hendersonville First	15.00	35.00	205.00
Horse Shoe	2.00		
Hoopers Creek	5.00		
Liberty	2.00		
Locust Grove	2.00		
Middle Fork	1.50		
Mills River	5.00		15.00
Mountain Home	2.00		

Mountain Page	2.50		
Mt. Moriah	2.00		
Mt. Zion	1.00		
Mt. Gilead	5.00		
Mt. Olivet	1.00		
Mud Creek	10.00		30.00
Oak Grove	3.00		5.00
Pacolet	5.00		
Pleasant Grove	2.00		15.00
Refuge	5.00		25.00
Saluda	5.00		30.00
Shaws Creek	10.00		30.00
Tryon First	5.00	22.50	25.00
Tryon Second	3.00		
Tuxedo	10.00	5.00	50.00
Valley Hill	6.00		25.75
West Hendersonville	2.00		7.00
Zion Hill			32.00
	5.00		
	3.14		
Crab Creek	3.00		
Totals	$175.70	$78.50	$824.75

In addition to above we received at the Association last year a check for $25.00 from French Broad Church for the Cooperative Program, which we mailed direct to Raleigh instead of running it through our account.

Balance on hand at last report	$177.01	
Receipts from Minute Fund	175.70	
For Associational Worker	824.75	
Student Fund	78.50	
Special Offering	90.04	$1,346.00

Disbursements

Associational Worker	$845.32	
Printing	230.80	
Rev. A. V. Reece, Clerk	100.00	
Rev. J. C. Pipes	7.40	
Dr. Jacob Gartenhaus	17.85	
Bank-Service Charge	3.40	
Stamps, A. V. Reese	3.00	
Student Fund	70.00	$1,277.77
Balance on Hand		68.23

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. SINCLAIR, Treas.

68. The report on Foreign Missions was adopted by the Association.

Foreign Missions

As we celebrate our Centenial Year, our Foreign Mission Board faces a glorious future. At present, it is true, our work has been curtailed in some countries due to the war, but we are not neglecting our main job as we prepare for the future.

Southern Baptist have now 540 missionaries under appointment, 227 of these are on active duty, and the others are in the homeland engaged in Schools of Missions or Deputation work. The Board has work established in 19 countries with Paraguay our very newest foreign mission station opened this year.

This year's report brings us unparalleled interest and growth in mission fields untouched by war.

In Hawaii 23 missionaries are now on active duty with 6 churches established. This work has been started since the war.

In the 7 Latin American countries our work has gone forward without interruption. We have now 222 missionaries working in these lands of great opportunity. We are happy to report at this time that the restrictions against the entrance of new missionaries to these South American countries have been lifted. The two new mission countries, Colombia and Paraguay are receiving the gospel more readily than any other countries in the history of Southern Baptists.

In Africa the doors are wide open with 71 missionaries under appointment and needing that many more.

In unoccupied China we have a dozen missionaries still on duty and one Baptist hospital is still functioning.

Palestine sends enthusiastic reports of the work in that very difficult territory.

The work in Japan has temporarily ceased as well as most of that in Europe. The financial report shows a remarkable increase in gifts.

$2,747,207	General income for 1944
950,000	Lottie Moon Offering
323,315	Relief

As Southern Baptist look to Post War days, we look forward to a glorious opportunity. Intensive and prayerful plans are now being made to meet that challenge. The Board has a **big** job ahead. It will take **more men** and **more money.** The Board wishes to send out 200 new missionaries as soon as conditions permit. More money is needed over and above the regular budget to replace property destroyed by war, for the enlargement program in all our mission stations, and for the emergency reserve fund.

Let us in Carolina Association do our part to give this gospel to the world; the gospel of true peace to all the world.

"He will not fail or be discouraged, till he has set justice in the earth; and the isles shall wait for his law . . . Look unto me, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth; for I am God, and there is none else." Isaiah 42; 4. 45:22.

Respectfully submitted

MRS. A. W. DRAKE

69. The report on the Ministers' Retirement Plan was submitted by Otto Parham and adopted by the body.

Report on Ministers' Retirement Plan

In the autumn of 1916 Dr. William Lunsford appeared before the Baptist Pastors' Conference, Nashville, Tenn., and made an impassioned appeal for adequate support of the aged, disabled and retired ministers. In May 1917, the Southern Baptist Convention appointed a committee of twelve ministers and laymen to consider ministerial relief and annuities. On May 18, 1918, the Relief and Annuity Board became a corporate reality by the action of the Convention and late in that year was chartered by the commonwealth of Texas. The finan-

cial status of this newly born organization was reinforced by a gift of one thousand dollars from the Sunday School Board.

In twenty-seven years it has become an outstanding benevolent institution, ranking first among all denominational retirement boards of the nation in numbers of active members, having a membership of nearly eleven thousand, as of June, 1945.

During the year of 1945 the Southern Baptist Convention is observing its centennial. This century of glorious achievement was made possible by the manifold blessings of God.

The Ministers' Retirement Plan holds a significant place in the future development of our denomination. It aims at security for each and every Baptist Minister and Church employee in the event of physical disability, and worthy annuities upon retirement and it is a safe guard to loved ones in the event of death. It is thoughtfully planned, timely proved and financially safe, ethically balanced and merits the support of Pastors, church employees and churches.

Respectfuly submitted,
OTTO PARHAM

70. The report of the Obituary Committee was read by Bobo Hollingsworth, at the close of which the congregation stood in respect to those who had passed on, while Mr. Hollingsworth led in prayer.

IN MEMORIAM

"Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord."
(Revelation 13:14)

Balfour—Pfc. Lewis Johnson, Mr. C. R. Staggs.

Bat Cave—Mrs. Hattie Dotson.

Bear Wallow—Corpl. Lee Bradley.

Broad River—Mr. T. R. Nanney.

Calvary—Miss Dicy Covington.

East Flat Rock—Mrs. Elizabeth Hartwell, Mrs. H. O. Condry, Mr. R. L. Heggie, Jr. (killed in action); Mr. Boyce Thompson (killed in action).

Ebenezer—Miss Ellen Gilbert.

Etowah—Mrs. Margaret Capps, Mr. A. C. McKinna.

Fletcher—Mrs. Jane Riddle.

French Broad—Brother J. Heffner.

Fruitland—Mrs. John Lanning, Mrs. Frank Beddingfield.

Green River—Rev. C. C. Reese.

Hendersonville First—Deacon J. Foy Justice, Mrs. S. K. McCulloh, Deacon T. H. Mullinax, Mrs. S. S. Rozier, Andrew Rhymer, Lt. Edward Shytle, Harry E. Stevens.

Hoopers Creek—Mrs. Reva Gosnell, Mrs. Elisha Drake.

Mt. Gilead—Mrs. Bessie Marlowe.

Mt. Moriah—Mrs. Maggie Ruth Ledbetter, Mr. Edward Ledbetter, Mrs. Ben Merrell, Mr. Frank Hill, Deacon G. B. Hill.

Naples—Mrs. Della Ballenger.

Refuge—Aaron Williams, (killed in action); Lowell Lane (killed in action).

Saluda—Mr. E. B. Guice.

Shaws Creek—Mr. E. O. Allen, Mrs. W. A. Merrill, Mr. J. V. Voncannon, Mr. Alex Sizemore.

Tryon First—Mrs. James Jackson.

Valley Hill—Deacon Ben R. Smith, Charlie Heffner (U. S. Army), Nathanial Jones (U. S. Army), Fred Williams (U. S. Army), Elbert Jackson (U. S. Navy).

West Hendersonville—Mr. Udell Adams.

(Submitted by Rev. Bobo Hollingsworth in the absence of Rev. J. E. Osteen).

71. The closing feature of the sixty-ninth session of the Carolina Baptist Association was an inspirational message by Dr. O. M. Seigler, who stressed the importance of the Association as a unit in the organization, and one which had as its purpose (1) fellowship (2) conference (3) plans. Its motive is preaching, teaching, promotion and soul winning. He challenged the body to a greater dedication and consecration to the task of carrying the gospel to the far corners of the Association and thus to the world. The session was closed with a prayer of dedication to this task, led by Dr. Seigler.

Minutes of the Executive Committee

The Executive Committee of the Carolina Association met August 27, 1945, in the First Baptist Church, Hendersonville. M. L. Walker, Moderator of the Association, was elected Chairman of the Committee, N. B. Phillips, was elected Vice-Chairman and Mrs. E. M. Bostick, Secretary.

Motion was made and passed that the body organize as outlined by the new Constitution.

Voted: That the Chairman appoint a nominating committee. The following were so appointed: N. B. Phillips, Chairman, George Pennell, N. A. Melton, Otto Parham and Thos. E. Thompson.

This committee nominated the following, who were elected by the body:

Committees for Association

PROGRAM	MISSIONS	FINANCE
O. M. Seigler	Otto Parham	John Sinclair
Thos. E. Thompson	N. B. Phillips	Wayne Peek
Mrs. O. J. Smith	Noah Hollowell	Junius Hugigns
	Carl Blythe	
	*George Pennell	

*See Section 15 in Quarterly meeting minutes, page 39.

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
QUARTERLY MEETING
OF THE
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
HELD IN
The Ebenezer Baptist Church, Sept. 30, 1945.

1. The first quarterly meeting of the Carolina Baptist Association was held Sept. 30, 1945 in the Ebenezer Church with M. L. Walker, Moderator, presiding.

2. The meeting was opened with the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers," after which N. A. Melton led in prayer.

3. The devotional was conducted by A. T. Howard, who spoke briefly on the scripture, "For we are laborers together with God." He closed with prayer.

4. After the Moderator, M. L. Walker, welcomed the representatives from the various churches, he recognized the chairman of the committees and each gave a brief outline of his work.

5. O. M. Seigler, Chairman of the Program Committee, in outlining the program plans for the year stressed three goals, (1) the development of the local church in every phase of its life, (2) emphasizing denominational activities, (3) strengthening Christian fellowship among the brethren of the Association.

6. Otto Parham, Chairman of the Missions Committee, submitted the following plans which were to be carried out in cooperation with the Associational Missionary: (1) The completion of the Executive Committee as soon as possible; (2) Monthly reports of the Associational Missionary to the Missions Committee; (3) Contact the most responsive pastors; (4) Prayer meetings be organized wherever needed with the view of holding revivals at the proper time; (5) Assist pastorless churches in securing pastors; (6) Attend all Associational meetings including Sunday School, Training Union and W. M. U. meetings; (7) To make plans for a Preachers' school.

7. George Pennell made an announcement of the tent meeting which is to be held June 24, and conducted by Hyman Appleman. He stressed the great need for a real heart-searching revival.

8. Recommendations of the Finance Committee were read by John Sinclair. An amendment, offered by O. M. Seigler to the effect that in order to take care of the expense of guest speakers who would appear on the program from time to time, a special offering be taken at each quarterly meeting. This

amendment was accepted and the recommendations were adopted by the body.

Recommendations

We, the Finance Committee, recommend a budget of $1,200.00 to be used as follows:

One half of Field Worker's salary	$ 750.00
Field Worker's estimated expense for year	240.00
Clerk's salary	50.00
Additional needs for minutes	50.00
Printing, postage and incidentals	110.00
	$1,200.00

As a basis for determining how much each church should contribute to this program your committee decided that in order that all churches be treated equal, a plan, based on a percentage of total salaries paid would be satisfactory and acceptable to all churches. We, the committee, therefore, recommend that each church in the Association be requested to support the program by paying as their share 5% of the total amount paid the pastor during the previous year. With this plan in operation each church will be sharing in the much needed missionary work in our Association and no church will be overburdened with more than its share of the load.

We recommend that 50% of this amount be paid at once. The other 50% to be paid during the month of January.

We recommend that another letter be mailed this year to the pastor, the Sunday School Superintendent and Treasurer explaining the duties of our Field Worker and the advantages our churches should derive from this program. We recommend that money be turned over to our Moderator of the Association, Mr. M. L. Walker, and that he, in turn, make his reports to the Treasurer of the Association.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN A. SINCLAIR
REV. WAYNE PEEK
JUNIUS HUGGINS

9. A special musical number, "Purer In Heart" was rendered by the East Hendersonville Quartet composed of D. G. Wilkie, Charlie Collins, Ralph Guice, and Clyde Jackson.

10. Roy Huggins, Sunday School Superintendent of the Association, suggested plans for a better Sunday School Program through visitation, preparation and training leaders to fill the places of leadership in the Sunday Schools.

11. O. J. Smith reported new signs of life in the B. T. U. work. New Unions are being organized and old ones are being reclaimed. In compliance with the request of the State Training Union Director, Harvey T. Gibson, the Association set apart Friday after the first Sunday in December for participation in the Southwide Simultaneous Rally.

12. Mrs. O. J. Smith, reporting on the W. M. U. work of the Association, urged that our people assume the full responsibility of the people in the community, and that Missionary Societies be organized in the churches so that the cause of missions might be strengthened.

13. M. L. Walker then spoke on behalf of the Associational work as a whole, urging that the evangelistic fervor be kept alive in the churches, a more consecrated effort in the services of the local church and a loyal support of the cause of Christ in the Association.

14. Upon motion by O. M. Seigler, seconded by N. B. Phillips, the Association voted to hold its next Quarterly meeting in the Etowah Baptist Church on the fifth Sunday in December.

15. Voted: That Carl Blythe and George Pennell be added to the Missions Committee.

16. O. J. Smith submitted the Training Union Officers for election for the ensuing year. They were elected by the Association. (See Associational Directory).

17. The Moderator recognized Pastors, Sunday School Superintendents and Sunday School Teachers.

18. The roll call of the churches revealed that there were forty churches represented.

19. The Quartet rendered a selection, "Thy Will Be Done" as an offertory, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. John Sinclair.

20. The guest speaker for the inspirational hour was Rev. Nane Starnes, pastor of the West Asheville Baptist Church, Asheville, N .C.

21. The meeting was closed with prayer by Finley Orr.

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION
HELD WITH
SHAWS CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH
June 12, 1945

(See Associational Directory for W. M. U. Officers)

The annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Carolina Baptist Association met with the Shaws Creek Church June 12, 1945, with Mrs. O. J. Smith, Superintendent, presiding.

The devotional was led by Miss Della Garren. Her subject was "The Crown Awaits the Conquest." She based her remarks on the 13th chapter of Joshua.

The Chair recognized the pastors, preachers and public school teachers. There were nine teachers and nine pastors and preachers present. The visitors included Miss Pearl Johnson, Missionary to China, Miss Ruth Keller, State Field Worker, Mrs. J. R. Morgan, Divisional Superintendent, and Mrs. West of Alabama.

The following committees were appointed: Obituary, Mrs. Daniel Hart, Miss Gladys Bruce and Mrs. Heaton; Time and Place, Mrs. T .L. Mann, Mrs. John Sinclair and Miss Irene Mitchell; Literature, Mrs. E. M. Bostick.

Reports on the various phases of the Associational work were given. Mrs. E. L. Marshall reported on the work of Community Missions. Mrs. F. M. Huggins spoke on Stewardship, followed by Mrs. L. E. Jaekel. Mrs. A. B. Bonsteel represented the Training School in the absence of Mrs. J. R. Stewart. Miss Thelma Drake submitted the report on Mission Study and Mrs. M. K. Sinclair gave the report of the student fund.

It was voted to accept these reports as read.

Rev. Thos. E. Thompson announced the group meetings to be held during the week of special missionary endeavor in July.

The Chair recognized Miss Ruth Keller and Mrs. J. R. Morgan who brought greetings and spoke briefly of the accomplishments of the past year and the goals for the coming year.

The address of the morning was given by Miss Pearl Johnson who has spent many years in Shanghai, China, as a missionary.

The afternoon session opened by singing "Bring Them In" followed by the devotional led by Mrs. Robert Hall. Mrs. M. K. Sinclair led in prayer.

Mrs. M. L. Walker gave an inspiring talk on the work of the Young People. The program of the Young People's work was prepared by the Auxiliaries from the different churches. Mrs. B. G. Henry, Young People's leader gave her report.

Reports on Time and Place, Literature, and Resolutions were adopted.

The meeting closed with the singing of "Blest be the Tie That Binds."

ORDAINED BAPTIST MINISTERS OF THE CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

Name, Work and Church	Address
ALLMAN, H. J., Pastor, Tryon Second	Mill Springs, N. C.
ARMSTRONG, A. C., Pastor, Horse Shoe	West Asheville, N. C.
BALLENGER, P. R., Pastor, Mt. Gilead	Hendersonville, N. C.
BANNING, RALPH, Pastor, Etowah and Pleasant Grove	Horse Shoe, N. C.
BARNWELL, ODELL, Evangelist, Hoopers Creek	Fletcher, N. C.
BLACKWELL, W. M., Member West Hendersonville	Hendersonville, N. C.
BLYTHE, C. E., Pastor, Ebenezer and Mountain Page	Hendersonville, N. C.
BLYTHE, J. E., Pastor, Beulah and Berea	Hendersonville, N. C.
BOSTICK, E. M., Missionary	Hendersonville, N. C.
BURRELL, C. P., Member, Tryon Second	Tryon, N. C.
CORN, QUAY, Pastor, Locust Grove	Hendersonville, N. C.
COX, T. P., Member, Mt. Gilead	Asheville, N. C.
DAVIS, H. M., Member, Valley Hill	Black Mountain, N. C.
DAVIS, W. H., Member, Calvary	Hendersonville, N. C.
DUFFY, H. Y., Member, Calvary	Hendersonville, N. C.
EDNEY, A. E., Pastor, Jones Gap, Mills River	Flat Rock, N. C.
ERWIN, LAWRENCE, Pastor, Shaws Creek	Hendersonville, N. C.
GREEN, J. H., Member, Ebenezer	Hendersonville, N. C.
HARDAWAY, J. L., Pastor, Double Springs	19 B St. Poe Mills, Greenville, S. C.
HENRY, B. G., Pastor, Tryon First	Tryon, N. C.
HEYMAN, C. M., JR., Pastor, French Broad	Hendersonville, N. C.
HILL, BLYTHE, Local Preaching, Oak Grove	Flat Rock, N. C.
HOLBERT, LLOYD, Pastor, Mt. Moriah	Hendersonville, N. C.
HOLLINGSWORTH, BOBO, Member, Pleasant Grove	Hendersonville, N. C.
HOLTZCLAW, W. P., Member, Etowah	Brevard, N. C.
HOWARD, A. T., Pastor, Cross Roads and Green River	Landrum, S. C.
HUGGINS, F. M., Pastor, Saluda	Hendersonville, N. C.
HUNTLEY, B. E., Pastoral, Middle Fork	Bear Wallow, N. C.
HUNTLEY, DAVID, Pastoral, Middle Fork	Fair View, N. C.
HUNTLEY, S. F., Member, Ebenezer	Hendersonville, N. C.
HUNTLEY, W. C., Pastor, Hooper Creek	Biltmore, N. C.
JACKSON, J. W., Pastor, Naples	Arden, N. C., Rt. 1
JUSTICE, A. I., Member, Hendersonville First	Hendersonville, N. C.
KILSTROM, E. A., Pastor, Bear Wallow, Holly Springs	Penrose, N. C.
KIRSTEIN, M. L., Pastor, Fletcher	Biltmore, N. C.
KUYKENDALL, P. E., Evangelist, Pastor, Member	West Hendersonville, N. C.
KUYKENDALL, R. M., Member, Oak Grove	Flat Rock, N. C.
LAUGHTER, ALBERT, Member, Valley Hill	Hendersonville, N. C.
LINDSEY, W. G., Member, Refuge	Hendersonville, N. C.
MACE, H. H., Pastor, West Hendersonville	Hendersonville, N. C.
MAINWARING, C. W., Member, Hendersonville First	Hendersonville, N. C.
McGUIRE, J. W., Pastor, Valley Hill	Brevard, N. C., Rt. 2
MELTON, N. A., Pastor, Fruitland	Hendersonville, N. C.
MIDDLETON, JOHN, Pastor, Liberty	Fletcher, N. C.
MIDDLETON, J. B., Member, Mountain Page	Saluda, N. C.
MOORE, M. M., Member, Ebenezer	Hendersonville, N. C.
NEILSON, A. J., Member, Hendersonville First	Hendersonville, N. C.
ORR, FINLEY, Pastor, Oak Grove	Etowah, N. C.
OSTEEN, J. E., Pastor, Crab Creek	Hendersonville, N. C.
OWENBY, J. W., Pastor, Middle Fork	Flat Rock, N. C.
PARHAM, OTTO, Pastor, Balfour	Balfour, N. C.
PEEK, WAYNE, Pastor, Tuxedo	Tuxedo, N. C.
PENNELL, GEORGE, Pastor, Calvary	Hendersonville, N. C.
PHILLIPS, N. B., Pastor, East Flat Rock	East Flat Rock, N. C.

POPLIN, FRED R., Teacher, Member, First Baptist.....Hendersonville, N. C.
QUINN, R. P., Member, Valley Hill.....Hendersonville, N. C.
REECE, A. V., Evangelist, First Baptist.....Hendersonville, N. C.
RICE, CLAUDE, Member, Naples.....Arden, N. C.
ROBERTS, GEORGE, Pastor, Refuge.....Asheville, N. C.
ROBERTSON, EDWARD, Evangelist, Hoopers Creek.....Fletcher, N. C.
ROSS, M. J., Pastor, Pacolet.....Tryon, N. C.
SEARCY, D. D., Member, West Hendersonville.....Hendersonville, N. C.
SEIGLER, O. M., Pastor, Hendersonville First.....Hendersonville, N. C.
SOUTHER, H. L., Pastor, Cedar Springs.....Pisgah Forest, N. C.
SHUFORD, J. N., Pastor, Dana.....Hendersonville, N. C.
STANBERRY, J. H., Pastor, Zion Hill.....Saluda, N. C.
THOMPSON, THOS. E., Associational Missionary.....Hendersonville, N. C.
VAUGHAN, MANNING, Pastor, Barker Heights.....Hendersonville, N. C.
VAUSE, CHAS. B., Pastor, Bat Cave.....Chimney Rock, N. C.
WALL, J. O., Member, Bear Wallow.....Gerton, N. C.
WESSON, D. C., Pastor, Broad River.....Old Fort, N. C.
WILKIE, W. W., Evangelist, Hoopers Creek.....Fletcher, N. C.

ORDAINED DURING THE YEAR

Name and Church	Address
ROBERTSON, EDWARD, Hoopers Creek Church	Fletcher, N. C.
WILKIE, W. W., Hoopers Creek Church	Fletcher, N. C.
BARNWELL, ODELL, Hoopers Creek Church	Fletcher, N. C.
HUNTLEY, B. E., Middle Fork Church	Bear Wallow, N. C.
LAUGHTER, ALBERT, Valley Hill Church	Hendersonville, N. C.

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Name	Address
FIELD, WM. A.	United States Army

ASSISTANT PASTORS OR EDUCATIONAL DIRECTORS

Name, Work and Church	Address
MELTON, N. A., Assistant Pastor, East Flat Rock	Columbus, N. C.
ROZIER, MISS ROSE ALICE, Financial Secretary, First Baptist	Hendersonville

PRESIDENTS OF BROTHERHOODS

Name, Church	Address
GEORGE W. COMER, Tryon First	Tryon, N. C.
E. T. BROWN, Hendersonville First	Hendersonville, N. C.

CHOIR DIRECTORS

Church and Name	Address
BALFOUR—Harvey H. Erwin	Balfour
BARKER HEIGHTS—Frank Kelly	Hendersonville
BAT CAVE—Mrs. Carrie Cannon	Bat Cave
BEAR WALLOW—Foy Wall	Gerton
BEREA—N. J. Saltz, Jr.	Hendersonville
CRAB CREEK—G. J. Patterson	Penrose

CROSS ROADS—C. L. Osteen ..... Zirconia
DANA—Mrs. L. V. Lyda ..... Flat Rock
DOUBLE SPRINGS—Dean Ward ..... Zirconia
EAST FLAT ROCK—D. G. Wilkie ..... Hendersonville
ETOWAH—G. W. Allison ..... Etowah
FLETCHER—C. R. Cunningham ..... Fletcher
FRENCH BROAD—Mrs. Walter Hooper ..... Horse Shoe
FRUITLAND—Junius Huggins ..... Hendersonville
GREEN RIVER—Essie Levi ..... Zirconia
HENDERSONVILLE FIRST—Mrs. P. F. Sudduth ..... Hendersonville
LOCUST GROVE—Mrs. Belle Griffin ..... Hendersonville
MOUNTAIN PAGE—Levi C. Pace ..... Saluda
MUD CREEK—Mrs. John Perry ..... Hendersonville
OAK GROVE—Newill Hill ..... Flat Rock
REFUGE—Carroll Pettett ..... Hendersonville
SHAWS CREEK—A. J. Nanney ..... Hendersonville
TRYON FIRST—Dr. R. A. Laslett Smith ..... Tryon
TRYON SECOND—Herman Burns ..... Tryon
TUXEDO—S. W. Bane ..... Tuxedo
VALLEY HILL—Carl Brown ..... Hendersonville
WEST HENDERSONVILLE—J. B. Westall ..... Hendersonville
ZION HILL—J. C. Pace ..... Zirconia

HISTORICAL TABLE
Carolina Baptist Association

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith	.....	.....	.....
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text Gen. 35:24
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Saluda	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Fruitland	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Beulah	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Conner	J. T. Freeman	Hoopers Crek	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Riverside	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Fruitland	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Mt. Gilead	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	E. H'dersonville	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	F. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthon	Salem	K. W. Cawthon
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mount Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	East Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargent	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	East Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy C. Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Roy C. Bennett	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Mrs. J. L. Redden	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Chas. Vause	H'd'rs'ville First	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Fletcher and East Flat Rock	W. W. Worley Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek and Refuge	O. M. Seigler B. G. Henry
1945	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Horse Shoe and Balfour	J. N. Shuford L. A. Erwin

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE I—CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, ETC., CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1945

CHURCHES	Is It in a Village, Town, City, or Country?	When Constituted	PASTORS AND POST OFFICES	Days of Meeting	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP											Weekly Prayer Meetings	Revival Meetings Held During Year	Observances of Lord's Supper During Year	Families Receiving State Baptist Paper	Does Church Have Musical Director?	Does Church Have Library?
					Total Members Reported Last Year	GAINS				LOSSES				Total Present Members (Inc. Non-Resid.	Non-Resident Members						
						Baptisms	Letters	Statements	Restorations	Letters	Exclusions	Erasures	Deaths								
1. Balfour	Town	1908	Otto Parham, Balfour	Each S.	382	15	14	2	.....	20	.....	6	2	385	.....	2	2	4	.....	No	No
2. Barker Heights	Village	1944	Manning B. Vaughan, Hendersonville	Each S.	18	2	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	59	.....	Yes	1	No	No	Yes	No
3. Bat Cave	Village	1892	Chas. B. Vause, Chimney Rock	2, 4	.....	1	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	123	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4. Barnwell	Country	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5. Bear Wallow	Country	1868	E. A. Kilstrom, Penrose	2, 4	67	No	No	No	No	1	.....	.....	1	65	20	1	1	1	1	Yes	No
6. Berea	Country	1921	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1, 3	85	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	86	.....	.....	1	No	.....	Yes	.....
7. Beulah	Country	1820	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1, 3	276	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	269	.....	Yes	1	1	12	.....	.....
8. Broad River	Country	1866	D. C. Wesson, Old Fort	1,3	98	.....	°2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	99	37	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	No
9. Calvary	City	1937	George T. Pennell, Hendersonville	Each S.	450	53	28	4	1	30	.....	.....	1	475	100	52	2	4	5	No	Yes
10. Cedar Springs	Country	1847	H. L. Souther, Pisgah Forest	1, 3	157	17	1	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	168	70	.....	1	2	.....	No	No
11. Crab Creek	Country	1834	J. E. Osteen, Hendersonville	2, 4	205	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	202	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	Yes	.....
12. Cross Roads	Country	1912	A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.	1, 3	105	5	4	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	111	.....	.....	1	1	.....	Yes	.....
13. Dana	Country	1936	J. N. Shuford, Hendersonville, Rt. 1	1, 2, 3, 4	108	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	108	29	52	1	4	10	Yes	No
14. Double Springs	Country	1871	J. L. Hardaway, Poe Mill, G'nville, S.C.	1, 3	99	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	96	.....	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....
15. East Flat Rock	Town	1910	N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock	Each S.	226	12	12	2	.....	6	.....	.....	4	242	125	Yes	1	4	10	Yes	Yes
16. Ebenezer	Country	1817	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	2, 4	310	1	6	3	.....	6	.....	.....	1	313	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
17. Etowah	Country	1926	Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe	2, 4	173	20	9	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	2	197	55	Yes	2	2	.....	Yes	.....
18. Fletcher	Village	1838	M. L. Kirstein, Biltmore	Each S.	253	2	2	2	1	4	.....	.....	1	255	53	52	1	4	1	Yes	.....
19. French Broad	Country	1792	C. M. Heyman, Jr., Hendersonville	Each S.	76	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1	74	39	.....	.....	3	.....	Yes	.....
20. Fruitland	Counrty	1875	N. A. Melton, Hendersonville	2, 4	255	7	4	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	2	259	.....	No	2	1	12	Yes	No
21. Green River	Country	1944	A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.	2, 4	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	99	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
22. Hendersonville First	City	1844	O. M. Seigler, Hendersonville	Each S.	1462	50	75	.....	.....	61	.....	.....	7	1519	.....	Yes	1	4	55	Yes	.....
23. Holly Springs	Country	1860	E. A. Kilstrom, Penrose	1, 3	64	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	68	.....	.....	No	No	1	No	No
24. Hoopers Creek	Country	.....	W. C. Huntley, Biltmore	Each S.	200	35	9	9	2	3	2	.....	2	248	.....	2	1	1	.....	Yes	No
25. Horse Shoe	Village	1888	A. C. Armstrong, West Asheville	Each S.	111	5	2	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	113	.....	Yes	1	3	.....	.....	No
26. Jones Gap	Country	1913	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock	1, 3	122	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	119	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

27. Liberty	Country	1911	John Middleton, Fletcher																	
28. Locust Grove	Country		Quay Corn, Hendersonville	2, 4	68	1							69		1		1			
29. Middle Fork	Country		J. W. Owenby, Flat Rock	2, 4	71								17		Yes	1	1			
30. Mills River	Country	1835	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock	2, 4	123		2						125	50	No	1	No		No	Yes
31. Mount Gilead	Country	1883	P. R. Ballenger, Hendersonville	Each S.	212	2	8			2			219		Yes	1	3			
32. Mountain Home	Country	1892	Silas Bradley, Mountain Home																	
33. Mount Moriah	Country	1896	Lloyd Holbert, Hendersonville	Each S.	186	19	4			5			199		No	1	1		No	No
34. Mount Olivet	Country		J. E. Blythe																	
35. Mountain Page	Country	1790	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1, 3	258	7	1	1		3			264		1	1			Yes	
36. Mountain Valley	Country		Paul Ballenger, Hendersonville			No							94							
37. Mount Zion	Country	1900																		
38. Mud Creek	Country	1804	Manning B. Vaughan, Hendersonville	Each S.	473	11	2			7			479	304	Yes	2	4	6	Yes	Yes
39. Naples	Country	1942	J. W. Jackson, Arden, Rt. 1	Each S.		No	12			1		1	81		Yes	1	1	No		
40. Oak Grove	Country	1868	Finley M. Orr, Etowah	1, 3		23	8			3			160	50		1	4			
41. Pacolet	Village	1910	M. J. Ross, Tryon	Each S.	164	1	8			2			171		Yes	2	4	2	No	No
42. Pleasant Grove	Country	1914	Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe	1, 3		4	3						90			1	2			
43. Pleasant Hill	Country	1894		2, 4	75								75							No
44. Refuge	Country	1837	George Roberts, Asheville	Each S.	315	13	7			1		2	332	45	Yes	2	1	10	Yes	No
45. Saluda	Town	1882	F. M. Huggins, Hendersonville	Each S.	157	6	10	1	2	5		1	169	49	Yes	1	4	12	No	No
46. Shaws Creek	Country	1881	Lawrence Erwin, Hendersonville	Each S.		12	1	1		5		4	153	69	Yes	1	4	12	Yes	No
47. Tryon First	Town	1891	B. G. Henry, Tryon	Each S.	217	1	9			3		1	223	47	Yes	1	4	16	Yes	No
48. Tryon Second	Village	1924	H. J. Allman, Mill Springs	Each S.	80					4			76		52	1	3		Yes	No
49. Tuxedo	Village	1910	Wayne Peek, Tuxedo	Each S.	351	4	10			8			357		2	1	3	10	Yes	Yes
50. Valley Hill	Country	1908	J. W. McGuire, Brevard, Rt. 2	Each S.	266		1			7		5	255		Yes	No	1			
51. West Hendersonville	City	1934	H. H. Mace, Hendersonville	Each S.	124	5	18			14		1	132	6	50	2	3	5	Yes	No
52. Zion Hill	Village	1914	J. H. Stanberry, Saluda	Each S.	119	25	11	17		1			171			2	1		Yes	No
TOTALS					8661	361	328	42	6	245	2	7	48	9717	1115		44	87	180		

TABLE II—SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1945

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS AND POST OFFICES	Sunday School Enrollment												Special Information					V. B. S.		
		Cradle Roll 3 Years and Under	Beginners 3-5 Years	Primaries 6-8 Years	Juniors 9-12 Years	Intermediates 13-16 Years	Young People 17-24 Years	Adults 25 Years and Up	Extension Department	General and Department Officers	Have You a Mission Sunday School?	Enrollment of Mission Sunday School	Total Enrollment—Main School & Mission, Inc. All Off. Teach. & Pupils	What is Your Average Attendance?	Baptisms from Sunday School	Is the School Graded?	Is It Standard A-1?	Teachers Holding Diplomas (New Series)	Enrollment of Vacation School	Average Attendance of Vacation School	No. of Departments Vacation School
1. Balfour	Mrs. C. R. Stagg, Hendersonville		20	25	40	45	36	70	12	4	No		252	186		No	No				
2. Barker Heights	Mrs. J. W. Brown, Hendersonville			19	6	7	15	20			No		67			Yes	Yes				
3. Bat Cave	W. H. Garvin, Bat Cave										No			25							
4. Barnwell																No	No				
5. Bear Wallow	W. L. Huntley, Gerton	2	2	2	4	4	4	20			No		38	26		No	No				
6. Berea	Dewey Davis, Hendersonville		6		8	10		10		2	No		36	25		No	Yes				
7. Beulah	Otis Huggins, Hendersonville		15	15	15	12	30	24			No		111			No	No				
8. Broad River	W. P. Searcy, Bat Cave										No			20		No	No				
9. Calvary	M. M. Hoots, Hendersonville	25	15	20	40	20	18	70	50		No		258	125	31	No	No	7	125	87	
10. Cedar Springs	C. F. Ward, Zirconia		15		20		35	25		3	No		98	44		No	No				
11. Crab Creek	Mrs. J. F. Griffin, Hendersonville		12		17			21			No		50	25		No	No				
12. Cross Roads	G. B. Corn, Zirconia		10		8		14	14			No		46	45		No	No				
13. Dana	W. E. Lowe, Flat Rock, Rt. 1	9	8	7	7	9	15	22		4	No		81	52		Yes	No	2			
14. Double Springs	Dean Ward, Zirconia	3	4	10	8	6	10	12		7	No		60	40		No	No	1			
15. East Flat Rock	M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	24	27	25	52	20	66	54	20		No		288	131		No	No		35	30	
16. Ebenezer	Homer Whitesides, Hendersonville										No					No	No				
17. Etowah	R. N. Sentelle, Etowah	12	20	19	17	26	9	48		3	No		154	63	14	No	No				
18. Fletcher	T. H. Riddle, Fletcher		15	13	22	19	24	22		13	No		128	105		Yes	No				
19. French Broad	W. G. Hooper, Horse Shoe		18	18		8	11	15			No		70			No	No				
20. Fruitland	Howard Pryor, Hendersonville		6	8	11	16	5	32			No		78	56	7	Yes	No				
21. Green River	Clyde Morgan, Zirconia	5	3	8	9	4		25			No		54	25		No	No				
22. Hendersonville First	W. B. Sinclair, Hendersonville	90	40	68	138	110	76	269	56	5	No		*980	401	33	Yes	No	12	151		
23 Holly Springs	Mrs. Belle Early, Penrose		5	8	8	5	2	14			No		42	20		No	No				
24. Hoopers Creek	W. S. Riddle, Fletcher		50		46	30	40	66		2	No		234	170		Yes	No				
25. Horse Shoe	H. P. Houk, Horse Shoe		5	5	6	16	12	14		5	No		63	37		No	No				
26. Jones Gap	Mrs. Louise Levi, Hendersonville		15	15			10	25			No		65	35		No	No				

27. Liberty										No					No	No					
28. Locust Grove	Lee Corn, Balfour		8	8		14	15	12			No		57	33		No	No					
29. Middle Fork	R. C. Messee, Edneyville										No					No	No					
30. Mills River	W. M. Sitton, Horse Shoe		15		20	18	15	20			No		88	37		No	No					
31. Mount Gilead	C. C. Ballard, Fletcher		20	16	15	11	33	43			No		138	80		No	No					
32. Mountain Home	Sidney Justice, Mountain Home										No					No	No					
33. Mount Moriah	Clannie Laughter, Edneyville	7	10	10	7	7	15	45			No		101	65	14	No	No					
34. Mount Olivet	J. E. Osteen, Hendersonville										No					No	No					
35. Mountain Page	O. B. Metcalf, Saluda		10	6	25		45	16			No		125	40		No	No					
36. Mountain Valley	Grant Mabin, Zirconia										No		45			No	No					
37. Mount Zion											No					No	No					
38. Mud Creek	Arthur Freeman, Hendersonville	21	15	15	24	30	15	62			No		182	85	11	Yes	No		54	42		
39. Naples	G. B. Robinson, Hendersonville		15	10	20	25		30			No		100			No	No					
40. Oak Grove	Newell Hill, Flat Rock	8	11		26	19		18		8	No		90	50		No	No		65	50		
41. Pacolet	Harris Chapman, Lynn		25		20	20	18	30		9	No		122	80		No	No					
42. Pleasant Grove	Bobo Hollingsworth, Hendersonville			6	6	10	15	8			No		45	40		No	No					
43. Pleasant Hill	Mary Freeman, Hendersonville	5	8	4	5	5	8	10			No		45	30		No	No					
44. Refuge	W. J. Ballard, Flat Rock	8	18	11	31	22	31	74	67	2	No		264	125		Yes	No					
45. Saluda	Roy L. Johnson, Saluda	11	5	5	12	9	4	13	38		No		97	27	6	Yes	No	2				
46. Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville		19	13	21	18	25	37		14	No		147	73	12	Yes	No					
47. Tryon First	W. L. Wilson, Tryon	19	11	31	22	25	21	43	20	3	No		195	96		Yes	No					
48. Tryon Second	C. T. Whitmire, Tryon		13		15		12	15		10	No		65	55		No	No					
49. Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	7	14	19	14	35	29	33	5	13	No		169	89	4	Yes	No		30	27		
50. Valley Hill	Russell Hazeltine, Hendersonville	12	18	18	24	30	24	50		15	No		191	85		Yes	No					
51. West Hendersonville	John Rollins, Hendersonville		19	16	23	17	23	50			No		148	60		Yes	No					
52. Zion Hill	C. L. Gordon, Zirconia	6	8	11	19		35	37		2	No		118	95		Yes	No					
TOTALS		274	573	484	831	682	815	1538	268	124			5785	2901	132			24	460	236		

*Note—Hendersonville First reports 128 of their S. S. enrolment in the armed services.

TABLE III—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1945

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND POST OFFICES	Adult Unions	Young People's Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Total Unions and Story Hours	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	General and Departmental Officers	Total Enrolled Unions and Story Hours	Number Study Course Awards	Training Unions Standard For One Quarter	Number Unions & Story Hrs. Standard for 1 Quarter	Was Youth Week Observed?	Was Christian Home Week Observed?	Was Intermediate Emphasis Week Observed?
1. Balfour	Vergil D. Jones, Balfour	1		1	1	1	4	14		20	20	7		61				No	No	
2. Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Flat Rock	1	1	1	1	1	5							58	32			Yes	Yes	
3. East Flat Rock	E. L. Porter, E. Flat Rock	1		1	1	1	4	20		9	17	9		55	24			No	No	
4. Fletcher	Mrs. Abner Garren, Fletcher	1		1		1	3	9		12		7		28				No	No	
5. Hendersonville First	C. F. Jervis, Hendersonville	2	2	2	4	1	11	33	26	40	52	12		163	49			No	No	
6. Mount Gilead	J. E. Lyda, Arden	1												28	2			No	No	No
7. Mud Creek	Edith Bollinger, Hendersonville		1	1	1	1	4		15	19	14	5		53	27			No	No	No
8. Refuge	Grady Walker, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1		4	16	25	6	8			55	39			No	No	
9. Saluda	Bob Savage, Saluda			1	1		2			8	4			12	8			No	No	No
10. Shaws Creek	Lee Wright, Hendersonville		1	1		1	3		16	10		8		34				No	No	No
11. Tuxedo	Robert Erwin, Tuxedo	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	16	6	13	13		60				No	No	
12. Valley Hill	Mrs. Clinton Smith, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	6	12	15	12	8		53				No	No	
13. West Hendersonville	Harvey Laughter, Hendersonville	2			1	1	4	22			20	10		52				No	No	No
14. Calvary	Miss Jessie Shipman, Horse Shoe	1	1	1	1	1	5						30	103	30			No	No	No
TOTALS		13	9	13	14	11	59	132	110	145	160	79	30	815	211			No	No	

TABLE IV—W. M. U. ORGANIZATIONS AND GIFTS OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1945

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND POST OFFICES	Number of Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Y.W.A.'s	Number of G.A.'s	Number of R.A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Tota W.M.U. Organizations	W.M.S. Members	Y.W.A.'s Members	G.A.'s Members	R.A.'s Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled in Mission Study Courses	Contributions (Local Work) Given by W. M. U.	Contributions (Missions) Given by W. M. U.
1. Balfour	Mrs. C. R. Stagg, Hendersonville	1					1	16					16	16	$	$ 25.00
2. Bat Cave	Mrs. T. L. Mann, Bat Cave	1					1	8					8		60.25	
3. Calvary	Mrs. Perry Gibbs, Hendersonville	1					1	20					20			
4. Dana	Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Dana	1	1	2	2	1	7	21	7	7	7	7	49	28	101.30	319.31
5. East Flat Rock	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	1	1	1	1	1	5	18	10	23	12	18	81	57		457.74
6. Ebenezer																
7. Etowah	Mrs. R. N. Sentelle, Etowah	1					1	16					16		68.06	48.60
8. Fletcher	Mrs. N. B. Baldwin, Fletcher	1					1	15					15		5.00	21.00
9. Fruitland	Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, Hendersonville	1					1	15					15			202.45
10. Hendersonville First	Mrs. J. R. Stewart, Hendersonville	1	1	2	1	1	6	152	22	39	8	24	245	227	202.44	3,366.29
11. Mud Creek	Mrs. John Percy, Hendersonville	1					1	14					14			173.49
12. Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lois Wilson, Hendersonville	1					1	10					10			5.00
13. Refuge	Mrs. T. P. Garrett, Flat Rock	1	1	1		1	4	14	16	8		12	50	14	660.75	287.90
14. Saluda	Mrs. D. W. Pace, Saluda	1					1	10					10	8		116.85
15. Shaws Creek	Mrs. J. V. Voncannon, Hendersonville	1					1	17					17			127.11
16. Tryon First	Mrs. W. R. Hoots, Tryon	2		1	1	1	5	42		7	8	34	91	85	56.08	195.88
17. Tuxedo	Mrs. W. W. Worley, Tuxedo	1					1	7					7		2.48	55.65
18. West Hendersonville	Mrs. Fred Corn, Hendersonville	1					1	12					12		125.00	32.00
TOTALS		18	4	7	5	5	39	407	55	84	35	95	676	435	$1,281.63	$5,434.27

TABLE V—MEN'S BROTHERHOOD OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1945

CHURCHES	Give Location: In City Town, or County?	When Constituted	DIRECTOR OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND POST OFFICES	Total Men in Church 21 and Older	No. Men Working In Church Now	Men Regular In Attendance and Gifts	Does Church Have A Brotherhood?	Give Brotherhood's Enrollment	How Many B-H Meetings Held Last Year?
1. Hendersonville First	City	1888	E. T. Brown, Hendersonville	300	74	200	Yes	95	11
2. Tryon First	City	1891	Geo. W. Comer, Tryon	63	25	35	Yes	25	11
TOTALS	.....	.....	.....	363	99	235	Yes	120	22

TABLE VI—CHURCH PROPERTY OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1945

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS AND POST OFFICES	Does Your Church Own Its House of Worship?	When Was It Built?	What Materials Were Used?	How Many Persons Can Be Seated?	Number of Rooms	Department Assembly Rooms	Number Separate Class Rooms	Value of Church House and Grounds	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value All Church Property	Indebtedness on All Church Property	Amount of Insurance Carried
1. Balfour	L. R. Brown, Hendersonville	Yes	1908	W & B	400	10	10	10			$ 14,000	$	$ 10,000
2. Barker Heights	Mrs. Quay Nelson, Hendersonville	Yes	1944	Wood	225	Adt			$ 1,500		1,500		
3. Bat Cave	W. H. Garvin, Bat Cave	Yes	1892	Wood	300	5	4	4	5,000		5,000		4,000
4. Barnwell													
5. Bear Wallow	Mrs. Modeen Bradley, Gerton	Yes	1920	Wood	250	3			3,600		3,600		
6. Berea	G. Saltz, Hendersonville	Yes	1921	Wood		1			1,000		1,000		
7. Beulah	Clarence Ridden, Hendersonville	Yes	1910	Wood	250	3		3	2,800		2,800		
8. Broad River	Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mountain	Yes	1900	Wood	300	1			2,000		2,000		
9. Calvary	Ethel MacMurray, Hendersonville	Yes	1905	B & S	1000	13		10	35,000	8,000	43,000	1,800	10,000
10. Cedar Springs	W. P. Bane, Zirconia	Yes	1900	Wood	100	3	2	2	1,500		1,600		
11. Crab Creek	G. J. Patterson, Penrose	Yes	1857	Wood	300	1			1,800		1,800		
12. Cross Roads	Sue Jones, Zirconia	Yes	1912	Wood	250	1			2,000		2,000		
13. Dana	X. Ray, Flat Rock	Yes	1937	Brick	300	9	1	8	15,000	5,000	20,000		7,500
14. Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia	Yes	1826	S & W	500	11		10	10,000		10,000		
15. East Flat Rock	John A. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	Yes	1911	Wood	400	3	3	9	10,000		10,000		3,000
16. Ebenezer	B. E. Marlowe, Hendersonville	Yes	1940	Brick	600	5			10,000		10,000		6,000
17. Etowah	Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Hendersonville Rt4	Yes	1926	Brick	200	1		8	2,000		2,000		
18. Fletcher	Mrs. C. F. Dockings, Fletcher	Yes	1926	Brick	350	10	1	9	20,000	5,000	25,000		3,000
19. French Broad	E. W. Heyman, Hendersonville	Yes	1926	Brick	250				5,500		5,500		3,000
20. Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, Hendersonville	No											
21. Green River	Mrs. U. S. Staton, Zirconia	Yes	1927	Wood	500	1			1,000		1,500		
22. Hendersonville First	J. M. Stewart, Hendersonville	Yes	1888-9	Brick	600	23	7	23	82,000	10,000	92,000		33,000
23. Holly Springs	I. S. Kirkpatrick, Penrose, Rt. 1	Yes	1860	Wood	150	1	1	1	1,000		1,000		
24. Hoopers Creek	Cecil A. Worsham, Fletcher	Yes		B & W	500	7		6	6,000		6,000		
25. Horse Shoe	Mrs. H. P. Houk, Horse Shoe	Yes	1906	Wood	250	4	4	4	2,500		2,500		
26. Jones Gap	A. F. Finlay, Hendersonville		1913		130	1			3,000		3,000		
27. Liberty		Yes	1911						1,000		1,000		

28. Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel	Yes		Wood	150	1	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	.....
29. Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow	Yes	1925	Wood	150	1	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	.....
30. Mills River	G. C. Field, Horse Shoe	Yes	1902	Wood	200	3	1	3	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	.....
31. Mount Gilead	Ray M. Crawford, Horse Shoe	Yes		B-Vnr	250	1	.....	.....	3,000	.....	3,000	.....	2,000
32. Mountain Home	.....	Yes	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,400	.....	2,400	.....	.....
33. Mount Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville	Yes	1896	Wood	500	1	.....	.....	3,500	.....	3,500	.....	.....
34. Mount Olivet	.....	Yes		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	400	.....	.....
35. Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda	Yes	1938	Stone	400	1	.....	.....	3,000	.....	3,000	.....	.....
36. Mountain Valley	.....	Yes	1931	Wood	180	1	.....	1	1,500	.....	1,500	.....	.....
37. Mount Zion	.....	Yes		Logs	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	500	.....	.....
38. Mud Creek	J. B. Williams, Hendersonville, R5	Yes	1900	Wood	500	12	1	12	5,000	.....	5,000	.....	2,250
39. Naples	L. D. Capps, Hendersonville	Yes	1942	.....	300	3	3	2	3,500	.....	3,500	.....	.....
40. Oak Grove	R. M. Kuykendall, Flat Rcok	Yes	1875	Wood	200	3	3	2	1,500	.....	1,500	.....	.....
41. Pacolet	Mrs. Jess Foster, Lynn	Yes	1910	Wood	200	10	2	10	5,000	.....	5,000	.....	3,000
42. Pleasant Grove	Walter H. Gray, Hendersonville	Yes	1912	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	.....
43. Pleasant Hill	Ethel Fisher, Hendersonville	Yes	1890	Wood	100	1	.....	6	3,000	.....	3,000	.....	.....
44. Refuge	Mrs. M. M. Marshall, Hendersonville	Yes	1885	Wood	500	16	2	14	6,000	.....	6,000	.....	6,000
45. Saluda	E. B. Hall, Saluda	Yes	1882	Wood	200	5	1	4	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	2,000
46. Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville	Yes	1928	Brick	300	10	1	9	10,000	.....	10,000	.....	6,250
47. Tryon First	Miss L. K. Jackson, Tryon	Yes	1891	Wood	200	14	3	14	17,500	5,000	22,500	1,250	11,000
48. Tryon Second	Gertrude Howard, Tryon	No	1924	Tile	300	.....	5	5	4,000	.....	4,000	.....	.....
49. Tuxedo	S. W. Bayne, Tuxedo	Yes	1926	Wood	250	14	14	14	10,000	.....	10,000	.....	5,000
50. Valley Hill	Clinton Smith, Hendersonville	Yes	1908	Wood	360	15	2	15	4,000	.....	4,000	.....	4,000
51. West Hendersonville	Mrs. Walter Allison, Hendersonville	Yes	1936	Wood	350	3	3	3	3,150	.....	3,150	.....	2,000
52. Zion Hill	J. C. Pace, Zirconia	Yes	1914	Wood	320	.....	.....	4	3,500	.....	3,500	.....	.....
TOTALS	.....		.....	.....	14015	233	74	225	$ 323,650	33,000	$ 369,250	$ 3,050	$ 123,000

TABLE VII—GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1945

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Pastor's Salary Paid This Year	Other Salaries	Ministerial Help and Supply	Building and Repairs Spent This Year	Church Debt and Interest	Incidentals	Literature for Church Use, Sunday School, Etc.	Help Given to Local Poor	For Printing Minutes and Clerk of Association	Building Reserve Fund	Other Objects	(Local Work) Total for Local Purposes Given by the Church and All Its Organizations
1. Balfour	D. R. Lyda, Hendersonville	$2,210.00	.....	$ 376.03	$ 102.86	.....	$ 328.29	128.03	$ 30.00	$ 6.00	$.....	$ 398.50	$ 3,579.7
2. Barker Heights	Miss Edna Hyder, Hendersonville	200.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....	233.0
3. Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	569.74	.....	84.37	395.00	.....	130.65	19.83	50.00	3.00	.....	81.25	1,333.8
4. Barnwell		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5. Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrell, Gerton	214.41	.....	97.14	.....	.....	32.85	20.71	.....	2.00	.....	5.15	372.2
6. Berea	Joseph More, Hendersonville	100.00	25.00	.....	.....	.....	12.60	12.00	.....	.....	174.00	.....	323.6
7. Beulah	Clarence Redden, Hendersonville	382.29	.....	11.00	.....	.....	52.65	27.06	.....	2.00	.....	5.00	480.0
8. Broad River	Ben Owenby, Black Mountain	220.00	.....	.....	500.00	.....	.....	4.22	.....	1.25	98.00	.....	823.4
9. Calvary	M. M. Hoots, Hendersonville	2,600.00	.....	650.00	125.00	.....	372.00	100.00	150.00	5.00	.....	1,500.00	5,502.0
10. Cedar Springs	T. J. Ward, Zirconia	.....	.....	.....	898.41	.....	5.45	40.49	.....	3.50	.....	.....	947.8
11. Crab Creek	J. F. Griffin, Hendersonville	128.82	.....	9.74	.....	.....	.....	26.00	.....	3.00	21.88	.....	189.4
12. Cross Roads	M. L. Jones, Zirconia	293.84	.....	96.37	.....	.....	28.00	25.00	.....	3.00	115.00	.....	561.2
13. Dana	George Hill, Hendersonville	1,689.02	119.92	.....	512.52	.....	217.31	58.94	.....	5.00	.....	29.75	2,632.4
14. Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia	207.06	30.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.00	.....	.....	239.0
15. East Flat Rock	H. D. Morrison, Hendersonville	1,200.00	120.00	.....	24.00	.....	147.01	313.25	57.82	10.00	2,466.23	10.00	4,348.3
16. Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Hendersonville	623.98	79.00	75.05	.....	.....	152.00	139.16	.....	2.00	.....	.....	1,071.1
17. Etowah	Felix Weese, Etowah	646.19	.....	55.17	.....	.....	36.92	43.47	.....	5.00	1,010.10	208.06	2,004.9
18. Fletcher	Mrs. Lloyd Waldrop, Hendersonville	1,808.79	.....	236.93	106.70	.....	237.20	102.72	70.00	10.00	.....	129.80	2,702.1
19. French Broad	Mrs. Tommy Justus, Hendersonville	520.00	.....	.....	1,230.50	.....	116.72	36.25	.....	1.50	.....	.....	1,904.9
20. Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Hendersonville	433.00	.....	164.31	.....	.....	104.75	67.30	.....	5.00	.....	9.15	783.5
21. Green River	Mrs. U. S. Staton, Zirconia	105.50	.....	39.00	15.00	.....	20.60	6.25	48.46	3.00	.....	10.00	247.8
22. Hendersonville First	B. B. Massagee, Hendersonville	4,200.00	2,438.50	175.00	421.81	1,516.88	3,058.65	941.37	197.59	15.00	14,344.25	3,072.39	30,381.4
23. Holly Springs	Mrs. M. Hamilton, Penrose	150.00	.....	.....	120.00	.....	12.00	14.40	.....	1.00	.....	.....	297.4
24. Hoopers Creek	Brownlow Garren, Fletcher	2,064.76	.....	273.93	1,348.75	.....	395.32	.....	277.74	.....	1,014.00	.....	5,374.5
25. Horse Shoe	Mrs. William M. Williams, Horse Shoe	445.44	.....	97.13	125.00	.....	16.50	40.00	15.00	2.00	.....	108.87	849.9
26. Jones Gap	Mrs. M. S. McCarson, Hendersonville	250.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.00	.....	.....	252.0
27. Liberty		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
28. Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hendersonville	150.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....	180.0

29. Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow	168.40					12.00	16.00	11.40	2.00			209.80
30. Mills River	Chas. Sitton, Horse Shoe	377.15		50.00			10.00	35.72		5.00		175.00	652.87
31. Mount Gilead	Posey Glenn, Arden	1,040.00	8.15	135.64	1,725.40		163.94	66.96	10.00	5.00		251.77	3,406.86
32. Mountain Home													
33. Mount Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville	740.84	9.00	121.38			51.36	57.18	57.59	4.00	2,000.00	58.40	3,099.75
34. Mount Olivet													
35. Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda	320.25						32.00	6.96	8.01			367.22
36. Mountain Valley													
37. Mount Zion													
38. Mud Creek	Mrs. Lula Kent, Hendersonville	1,113.63		319.29			324.20	153.01		10.00		382.76	2,302.89
39. Naples	R. E. Beddingfield, Naples	750.00		15.00	506.90			15.00	50.00	1.00	25.00	50.00	1,412.90
40. Oak Grove	Lewis Roper, Flat Rock	200.00		53.00	345.14	56.15	39.20	19.22	96.95	10.00	78.62	25.00	923.28
41. Pacolet	Miss Jennie Ballard, Lynn	744.00		63.00	548.04		129.32	52.00	20.00	5.00	600.00	53.52	2,214.88
42. Pleasant Grove	Merman Shuford, Hendersonville	362.20			37.50		41.60		63.48	2.00			506.78
43. Pleasant Hill		50.00	25.00				60.00	20.00					155.00
44. Refuge	Carroll Pettit, Hendersonville	920.79		345.32	186.23		351.03	146.58		5.00	419.71	52.08	2,498.74
45. Saluda	R. L. Savage, Saluda	1,115.00					86.65	60.63	10.00	5.00	250.00	64.69	1,591.97
46. Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville	1,787.37		78.37	202.08		230.98	111.84	98.02	10.00	425.00	105.76	3,049.42
47. Tryon First	R. E. Brantley, Tryon	2,725.00			419.43	437.50	913.09	219.15		10.00	1,515.39	10.00	6.249.56
48. Tryon Second	Gertrude Howard, Tryon	700.00	85.00				120.00	50.00	200.00	5.00			1,160.00
49. Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	2,065.00	7.00	204.22			312.22	338.97	10.50	10.00		18.00	2,965.91
50. Valley Hill	Henry Brookshire, Jr., Hendersonville	1,162.77	25.75		625.95		232.67	160.55		10.00			2,217.69
51. West Hendersonville	Mrs. Horace Jones, Hendersonville	822.99		181.21			201.74	157.65	49.86	2.00	824.80	474.08	2,714.33
52. Zion Hill	Mrs. Nora Anders, Zirconia	612.00		135.00	440.21		24.45	38.56		3.00			1,253.22
TOTALS		39,190.23	2,972.32	4,142.60	10,962.43	2,010.53	8,781.92	3,976.47	1,581.37	208.26	25,453.98	7,288.98	106,569.09

SPECIAL INFORMATION—Pledged to Cooperative Program: Bat Cave, $75.00; Bear Wallow, 25.00; Dana, 600.00; Fletcher, 100.00; French Broad, 25.00; Hendersonville First, 7,635.00; Mills River, 100.00; Oak Grove, 10.00; Saluda, 150.00; Shaws Creek, 200.00; Tryon First, 520.00; Tuxedo, 312.00—Total $9,752.00. Pledged to Associational Missions: Calvary, 100.00; East Flat Rock, 100.00; Etowah, 25.00; Hendersonville First, 200.00; Mills River, 15.00; Oak Grove, 15.00; Refuge, 25.00; Saluda, 30.00; Shaws Creek, 35.00; Tryon First, 50.00; West Hendersonville, 2.00 (monthly)—Total 597.00. Number of Tithers: Balfour, 20; Barker Heights, 10; Bear Wallow, 7; Calvary, 50; East Flat Rock, 30; Etowah, 5; Fletcher, 35; Fruitland, 12; Green River, 7; Hendersonville First, 210; Hoopers Creek, 4; Mills River, 3; Mud Creek, 9; Oak Grove, 6; Refuge, 20; Shaws Creek, 20; Tryon First, 12; Tuxedo, 13; Valley Hill, 20; West Hendersonville, 33—Total 526. Members Subscribed to Church Budget: Calvary, 200; French Broad, 5; Hendersonville First, 350; Mud Creek, 6; Oak Grove, 50; Saluda, 47; Tryon First, 125; Tuxedo, 54—Total 837. Every-Member Canvass for Annual Budget: Barker Height, Yes; East Flat Rock, No; Fletcher, No; Hendersonville First, Yes; Mills River, No; Mud Creek, No; Oak Grove, Yes; Saluda, Yes; Shaws Creek, No; Tryon First, Yes; Tuxedo, Yes; West Hendersonville, Yes. Value of Food and Clothing Given to Orphanage: East Flat Rock, 160.00; Etowah, 78.56; Fletcher, 11.22; Mills River, 7.00; Saluda, 117.14; West Hendersonville, 25.00—Total 398.92. Church Enrolled in Ministers' Retirement?: Barker Heights, No; Dana, Yes; Fletcher, No; Hendersonville First, Yes; Mills River, No; Mud Creek, No; Tryon First, Yes.

NOTE—The following gifts are included in the totals above: Balfour, House rent, **$240.00; Flowers, $35.00.**

TABLE VIII—GIFTS FOR MISSIONS, EDUCATION & BENEVOLENCES OF CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1945

CHURCHES	REGULAR TREASURERS AND POST OFFICES	Total to Co-Operative Program	Special to Associational Missions	Special to State Missions	Special to Home Missions	Special to Foreign Missions	Special to Schools and Colleges	Special to Orphanage	Special to Hospitals	Red Cross and Foreign Relief	Other Objects	All Missions: Total Given for Missions & Benevolences by Church & All Departments	Grand Total All Purposes Local Work & Missions Given by Church & All Its Organizations
1. Balfour	D. R. Lyda, Hendersonville, Rt. 2	$	$	$105.00	$ 25.00	$	$	$ 156.00	$ 100.00	$	$ 79.35	$ 465.35	$ 4,045.06
2. Barker Heights	Miss Edna Hyder, Hendersonville					5.00		37.05	4.00			46.05	279.05
3. Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	106.93		32.11				167.12	26.00		25.00	357.16	1,691.00
4. Barnwell													
5. Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrell, Gerton	25.00		7.70				29.86	22.15	23.50		108.21	480.47
6. Berea	Joseph More, Hendersonville		3.00				1.50	3.00		10.00		17.50	341.10
7. Beulah	Clarence Redden, Hendersonville	76.52						76.52	22.41			175.45	655.45
8. Broad River	Ben Owenby, Black Mountain								7.50			7.50	830.97
9. Calvary	M. M. Hoots, Hendersonville		50.00								300.00	350.00	5,852.00
10. Cedar Springs	T. J. Ward, Zirconia	9.00						49.82	22.20			81.02	1,028.87
11. Crab Creek	J. F. Griffin, Hendersonville							41.74	11.60			53.34	242.78
12. Cross Roads	M. L. Jones, Zirconia							12.00	8.60			20.60	581.81
13. Dana	George Hill, Hendersonville	620.10	25.00	40.56	197.05	50.83	49.00	71.77	40.00			1,094.31	3,726.77
14. Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia												239.06
15. East Flat Rock	H. D. Morrison, Hendersonville	339.49	110.00	41.20	93.31	286.00		1,048.61	150.52		53.00	2,069.13	6,417.44
16. Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Hendersonville								100.00			100.00	1,171.19
17. Etowah	Felix Weese, Etowah		25.00		75.00	13.60		251.06	34.98		78.56	478.20	2,483.11
18. Fletcher	Mrs. Lloyd Waldrop, Hendersonville	120.04						79.68		21.20		220.92	2,923.06
19. French Broad	Mrs. Tommy Justus, Hendersonville	25.00						27.10	17.00		115.91	185.01	2,089.98
20. Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Hendersonville	50.95	42.00	47.00	64.00	104.00	18.75	208.00	75.50	95.00	12.50	717.70	1,501.21
21. Green River	Mrs. U .S. Staton, Zirconia								11.85			11.85	259.66
22. Hendersonville First	B. B. Massagee, Hendersonville	6,052.84	200.00			2.50	50.00	794.56	164.34	109.38	~~869~~ 869.55	8,723.17	39,104.61
23. Holly Springs	Miss M. Hamilton, Penrose												297.40
24. Hoopers Creek	**Brownlow Garren, Fletcher**				99.10				57.00	23.00		179.10	5,553.60
25. Horse Shoe	Mrs. Willie M. Williams, Horse Shoe					14.58		55.08	15.00	10.00		94.66	944.60
26. Jones Gap	Mrs. M. S. McCarson, Hendersonville												252.00
27. Liberty													

28. Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hendersonville								10.00			10.00	190.00
29. Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow							10.00	18.50			28.50	238.30
30. Mills River	Chas. Sitton, Horse Shoe	123.81	15.00					122.31	27.36			288.48	941.35
31. Mount Gilead	Posey Glenn, Arden			25.00	64.00			45.00	25.00			159.00	3,565.86
32. Mountain Home													
33. Mount Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville							17.00	4.33	63.00		84.33	3,184.08
34. Mount Olivet													
35. Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda							30.00	47.39			77.39	444.61
36. Mountain Valley													
37. Mount Zion													
38. Mud Creek	Mrs. Lula Kent, Hendersonville	222.69	30.00	20.00	48.28	18.28		146.16	46.20			531.61	2,834.50
39. Naples	R. E. Beddingfield, Naples												1,412.90
40. Oak Grove	Lewis Roaper, Flat Rock		5.00					92.12	17.25			114.37	1,037.65
41. Pacolet	Miss Jennie Ballard, Lynn				8.00	17.00			25.00		5.00	55.00	2,269.88
42. Pleasant Grove	Merman Shuford, Hendersonville												506.78
43. Pleasant Hill						10.00		12.00	15.00	5.00		42.00	197.00
44. Refuge	Carroll Pettit, Hendersonville	239.20	25.00	91.25	64.00	22.00		179.20	93.00		17.50	731.15	3,229.89
45. Saluda	R. L. Savage, Saluda	150.00	30.00	9.55	5.00	64.76		117.14	15.84	6.59		398.88	1,990.85
46. Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville	327.84	40.00			24.41	2.00	41.70	21.07	17.02		474.04	3,523.46
47. Tryon First	R. E. Brantley, Tryon	309.13	29.16					71.36	48.00		48.00	505.65	6,755.21
48. Tryon Second	Gertrude Howard, Tryon							48.00	22.00			70.00	1,230.00
49. Tuxedo	J. W. Bradey, Tuxedo	286.00				35.49		156.00	45.00			522.49	3,488.40
50. Valley Hill	Henry Brookshire, Jr., Hendersonville					24.25		89.70	53.91			167.86	2,385.55
51. West Hendersonville	Mrs. Horace W. Jones, Hendersonville	170.56	8.00	19.50	12.36	5.40		180.80	29.65	34.08		460.35	3,174.68
52. Zion Hill	Mrs. Nora Anders, Zirconia				32.00			51.00	23.00			106.00	1,359.22
TOTALS		$9,255.10	$637.16	$438.87	$787.10	$698.10	$121.25	$4,518.46	$1,478.15	$ 417.77	$1,424.37	20,383.33	126,952.42

NOTE—Special to Ministers' Retirement Fund from Hendersonville First, $480.00.

NOTE—Tuxedo contributions do not include gifts amounting to $58.13 made by the W. M. U.

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ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTORY

OFFICERS

M. L. WALKER, Moderator	Hendersonville, N. C.
F. M. HUGGINS, Vice-Moderator	Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. E. M. BOSTICK, Clerk	Hendersonville, N. C.
M. K. SINCLAIR, Treasurer	East Flat Rock, N. C.
NOAH HOLLOWELL, Auditor and Historian	Hendersonville, N. C.
W. H. DAVIS, Asst. Historian	Hendersonville, N. C.
ERSKINE PLEMMONS, Recorder Representative	Hendersonville, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

(Composed of the Pastors and a duly elected layman from each church)*

M. L. WALKER, Chairman	Hendersonville, N. C.
N. B. PHILLIPS, Vice-Chairman	East Flat Rock, N. C.
MRS. E. M. BOSTICK, Secretary	Hendersonville, N .C.
ROY HUGGINS	Hendersonville, N. C.
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D. R. LYDA, Balfour	Hendersonville, N. C.
ODELLE POOLE, Barker Heights	Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. D. F. CANNON, Bat Cave	Bat Cave, N. C.
CLAUDE COVIL, Calvary	Hendersonville, N. C.
W. P. BANE, Cedar Springs	Zirconia, N. C.
A. L. McDOWELL, Crab Creek	Hendersonville, N. C.
BLAKE CORN, Cross Roads	Zirconia, N. C.
W. K. HYDER, Dana	Hendersonville, N. C.
JOHN SINCLAIR, East Flat Rock	East Flat Rock, N. C.
R. N. SENTELLE, Etowah	Etowah, N. C.
N. B. BALDWIN, Fletcher	Fletcher, N. C.
JUNIUS M. HUGGINS, Fruitland	Hendersonville, N. C.
R. H. LEVI, Green River	Zirconia, N. C.
VICTOR Rector, H'ville First	Hendersonville, N. C.
H. P. HAUK, Horse Shoe	Horse Shoe, N. C.
PAUL CLINGENPEEL, Locust Grove	Hendersonville, N. C.
P. C. SEARCY, Middle Fork	Bear Wallow, N. C.
CLANNIE LAUGHTER, Mt. Moriah	Edneyville, N. C.
ARTHUR FREEMAN, Mud Creek	Hendersonville, N. C.
L. L. MOORE, Naples	Mountain Home, N. C.
T. H. M. TABOR, Oak Grove	East Flat Rock, N. C.
EDGAR COVIL, Pacolet	Lynn, N. C.
MRS. M. M. MARSHALL, Refuge	Hendersonville, N. C.
LLOYD TUCK, Saluda	Saluda, N. C.
MRS. L. E. JAEKEL, Shaws Creek	Hendersonville, N. C.
B. L. BALLENGER, Tryon First	Tryon, N. C.
CURTIS HART, Tuxedo	Tuxedo, N. C.
R. M. HAZELTINE, Valley Hill	Hendersonville, N. C.
HARVEY LAUGHTER, West H'ville	Hendersonville, N. C.

* See Table I for names of Pastors.

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY

ERSKINE PLEMMONS	Hendersonville, N. C.

STANDING COMMITTEES

State Missions ..... George Roberts, Hendersonville, N. C.
Home Missions ..... Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe, N. C.
Foreign Missions ..... A. J. Nielsen, Hendersonville, N. C.
Ministers' Retirement ..... F. M. Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.
Orphanage ..... Thos. E. Thompson, Hendersonville, N. C.
Baptist Training Union ..... O. J. Smith, Hendersonville, N. C.
Sunday School ..... Roy Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.
Christian Education ..... Fred Poplin, East Flat Rock, N. C.
Temperance and Public Morals ..... Victor Rector, Hendersonville, N. C.
Periodicals ..... T. G. Proctor, Hendersonville, N. C.
Hospitals ..... W. H. Davis, Hendersonville, N. C.
Promotion ..... Otto Parham, Balfour, N. C.
Obituaries ..... Finley Orr, Flat Rock, N. C.
Woman's Work ..... Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock, N. C.
Historian ..... Noah Hollowell, Hendersonville, N. C.
Layman's Work ..... Roy Bennett, Hendersonville, N. C.
Program Committee ..... O. M. Seigler, Hendersonville, N. C.
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, E. Flat Rock, N. C.
Erskine Plemmons, Hendersonville, N. C.
Mission Committee ..... N. B. Phillips, E. Flat Rock, N. C.
Carl Blythe, Hendersonville, N. C.
Otto Parham, Balfour, N. C.
A. V. Reese, Hendersonville, N. C.
Frank Neville, Hendersonville, N. C.
Finance Committee ..... John Sinclair, E. Flat Rock, N. C.
Wayne Peek, Tuxedo, N. C.
Junius Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.

OFFICERS OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Auxiliary to the Carolina Baptist Association

MRS. M. K. SINCLAIR, Superintendent ..... East Flat Rock, N. C.
MRS. O. J. SMITH, Asso. Superintendent ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. F. M. HUGGINS, Young People's Leader ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. W. R. HOOTS, Asst. Young People's Leader ..... Tryon, N. C.
MRS. W. A. BENNETT, Sec'y & Treas. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. W. F. BOWMAN, Asst. Sec'y & Treas. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. E. L. MARSHALL, Chairman Community Missions ..... Dana, N. C.
MISS THELMA DRAKE, Chairman Mission Study—
Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. A. B. BONSTEEL, Chairman Margaret Fund & Training School ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. E. M. BOSTICK, Chairman Stewardship ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. R. L. SAVAGE, Chairman Literature ..... Saluda, N. C.
MRS. M. K. SINCLAIR, Chairman Student Fund—
East Flat Rock, N. C.
MRS. R. D. SUTTENFIELD, Member Divisional Nominating Committee ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. BROADUS PHILLIPS, Pianist ..... East Flat Rock, N. C.
MRS. R. D. SUTTENFIELD, Chorister ..... Hendersonville, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Missionary, E. V. Plemmons.....Route 2, Hendersonville
Superintendent, Roy Huggins.....Hendersonville, N. C.
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Training, Rev. T. G. Proctor—
Hendersonville, Rt. 4
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Evangelism, Rev. J. N. Shuford.....Dana, N. C.
Sec'y-Treas., Miss Rachel Kuykendall.....Hendersonville
Pianist, Mrs. Roy Huggins.....Hendersonville
Miss Othello Westall.....Hendersonville
Chorister, Mrs. John Perry.....Hendersonville, Rt. 3

GROUP SUPERINTENDENTS

Mrs. H. L. F. Drake.....Hendersonville, Rt. 1
Mrs. E. F. Dockings.....Fletcher, N. C.
Mr. Clarence Redden.....Hendersonville, Rt. 3
Mr. Rafe Huggins.....Tuxedo, N. C.
Rev. F. M. Huggins.....Hendersonville
Mrs. Clinton Smith.....Hendersonville, Rt. 4

DEPARTMENT LEADERS

Beginners—Mrs. Junius Huggins .....Hendersonville, N. C.
Intermediate—Miss Izorah Reece .....Hendersonville, N. C.
Vacation Bible School Leader—Mrs. Donies Justus—
Hendersonville, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL BAPTIST TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

O. J. SMITH, Director .....Hendersonville, N. C.
D. G. WILKIE, Associate Director .....East Flat Rock, N. C.
LOUISE CAGLE, Sec.-Treas. .....Hendersonville, N. C.
JUNIUS HUGGINS, Chorister .....Hendersonville, N. C. Rt. 1
MISS REBA STAGGS, Pianist .....Hendersonville, N. C.
GEORGE ROBERTS, Pastor-Adviser .....Hendersonville, N. C. Rt.

DEPARTMENT LEADERS

FRED POPLIN, Adult Leader .....E. Flat Rock, N. C.
FRANK NEVILLE, Young People's Leader .....Hendersonville, N. C.
MRS. L. V. LYDA, Intermediate Leader .....E. Flat Rock, N. C.
MRS. VIRGIL JONES, Junior Leader .....Balfour, N. C.
MRS. W. E. BALDWIN, Story Hour Leader .....Fletcher, N. C.

GROUP DIRECTORS

Group No. 1—MRS. J. N. SHUFORD .....Hendersonville, N. C.
Group No. 2—ROBERT BRYSON .....Horse Shoe, N. C.
Group No. 3—A. J. FREEMAN .....Hendersonville, N. C.
Group No. 4—ROBERT ERWIN .....Tuxedo, N. C.
Group No. 5—MRS. F. M. HUGGINS .....Hendersonville, N. C.
Group No. 6—BLANCHE SEARCY .....Hendersonville, N. C. Rt. 1

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

BROTHERHOOD WORK

There are two Brotherhood Organizations in the Association: one in the Hendersonville First Church, George W. Justice, President, and one in the Tryon First Church, Demas Chapman, President.

CAROLINA MEMBERS OF STATE BOARD

O. M. Seigler, Hendersonville, N. C. and B. G. Henry, Tryon, are members of the State Mission Board. B. G. Henry is also a member of the State Training Activities Committee.

MINISTERS' CONFERENCE

The Baptist Ministers of the Association meet every Monday morning in the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville. N. B. Phillips, president; J. N. Shuford, vice-president; A. V. Reese, secretary.

ROLL OF MESSENGERS

Balfour—Rev. Otto Parham, Mr. F. M. McCarson, Mrs. F. M. McCarson, Mr. W. D. Glazener, Mrs. C. R. Staggs, Mrs. D. R. Lyda.

Barker Heights—Mrs. Quay Nelson, Mrs. J. E. Barnwell.

Barnwell—Mrs. Edgar Barnwell, Mrs. Loyd Barnwell, Rev. Virgil Jones.

Bat Cave—Mrs. Carrie F. Cannon, Mrs. Ada Dodson, Mr. W. H. Garvin, Mrs. A. S. Wheeler.

Bear Wallow—Bob Merrell, J. O. Wall, David Huntley.

Berea—Judson Capps, Mrs. Gladys Saltz, Raymond Ward, Mary Beddingfield.

Beulah—P. L. Cantrell, T. A. Drake, J. W. Cantrell, W. C. Raines, Sol Cantrell.

Broad River—Mrs. Lillian Ledbetter, Mrs. Gertrude Ledbetter, Mr. Clyde Ledbetter, Mr. Rector Ledbetter, Mr. Luther Ledbetter.

Calvary—Claude Covil, John Morris, Loyd Connor, Miss Dorothy Pace, Mrs. M. M. Sparks.

Cedar Springs—C. F. Ward, J. A. Capps, W. P. Bane.

Crab Creek—G. J. Patterson, Hubert McCarson, Robert Hurt, Lawrence Barnwell, Seldon Osteen.

Cross Roads—G. B. Corn, C. L. Osteen, G. C. Burrell, J. C. Burrell.

Dana—Herbert Pace, W. K. Hyder, Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Miss Vada B. Lyda, Mrs. Lee Hill.

Double Springs—Mrs. W. T. Scott, W. T. Scott, Elbert Peace, Nellie Peace, Mrs. Clyde Ward.

East Flat Rock—Mrs. Eldora Jackson, Mrs. Nora Nanney, Mrs. E. L. Porter, Mr. D. G. Wilkie, Miss Edith Hart.

Ebenezer—Joe Hudgins, Virgil Smith, R. V. Love, E. L. Levi, Roy Saltz.

Etowah—George Weese, Mrs. Annie Mae Parker, Mrs. Ralph Nicholson, G. W. Allison, Mrs. W. A. Morgan.

Fletcher—Mr. N. B. Baldwin, Mrs. Joe Morgan, Mrs. C. F. Dockings, Mrs. N. B. Baldwin, Mr. T. H. Riddle.

French Broad—Mrs. Olga Hooper, Mrs. Nell Hooper, Walter Constant.

Friendship—

Fruitland—Howard Pryor, Ray Jones, Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, Juanita Pitillo, H. L. F. Drake, D. G. Moody.

Green River—C. R. Morgan, U. S. Staton, R. H. Levi.

Hendersonville First—C. F. Jervis, Noah Hollowell, M. L. Walker, J. E. Shipman, Mrs. E. M. Bostick, Mrs. A. P. Cox, A. V. Reese, Thos. E. Thompson, Roy Martin, A. J. Nielsen, J. S. Sargent, Mrs. H. L. Granger, Miss Audrey Saunders, Mrs. J. R. Stewart, Victor Rector, W. B. Sinclair, Roy Huggins, W. M. Garren.

Holly Springs—

Hoopers Creek—W. C. Huntley, Cecil Worsham, W. S. Riddle.

Horse Shoe—Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hauk, Mrs. Carson Lewis, Mrs. Gladys Amick.

Jones Gap—

Laurel Springs—

Liberty—

Locust Grove—

Middle Fork—Mr. R. C. Messee, Mrs. R. C. Messee, Mr. Luther Hill, Mrs. Luther Hill.

Mills River—Robert Bryson, Mrs. Robert Bryson, Mrs. Myrtle Gillespie, G. C. Field.

Mount Gilead—Mr. E. L. Lanning, Mr. Winford Hughes, Mr. Mack Lance, Mr. B. J. Hill, Miss Doris Butler.

Mount Moriah—Mrs. Foy Hill, Mrs. Athel Holbert, Mrs. Raymond Jackson, Mrs. Elsie Enloe, Mrs. Sidney Hill.

Mount Olivet—

Mount Zion—

Mountain Home—Willie Williams, Claude Justus.

Mountain Page—R. W. Bell, Mrs. L. B. Revis, Ted Ward.

Mountain Valley—

Mud Creek—Manning B. Vaughan, Mr. Arthur Freeman, Mr. J. V. Queen, Mrs. John Perry, Sr., Mrs. Alec Hollingsworth.

Naples—Rev. John Middleton, L. L. Moore, Mrs. Jim Heatherly, Miss Margaret Goins, Mrs. L. L. Moore.

Oak Grove—

Pacolet—Rev. and Mrs. M. J. Ross, Mrs. Lewis Blackwell, Harris Chapman, Mrs. A. D. Foster, Mrs. Ruppy Capps, Mrs. Jesse Foster.

Pleasant Grove—Richard Hamilton, Rev. Bobo Hollingsworth, Coy Blythe, Lois Wilson, Leland Capps.

Pleasant Hill—

Refuge—Marie Case, W. J. Ballard, B. K. King, Mrs. B. K. King, Mrs. Ida Jackson.

Saluda—Rev. F. M. Huggins, Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Mr. R. B. Staton.

Shaws Creek—Rev. T. G. Proctor, Mr. W. A. Drake, Miss Della Garren, Mrs. Lee Wright, Mrs. M. K. Garren.

Tryon First—B. G. Henry.

Tryon Second—Mrs. W. F. Cantrell, Mrs. Lessie Gillespie, Mrs. Sallie Wilson, Mr. Bradshaw, Mr. Frank Wilson.

Tuxedo—Mr. S. W. Bayne, Mrs. W. E. Crawford, Mrs. Lavada Lindsey, Mr. W. N. Garren.

Valley Hill—Russell Hazeltine, Mrs. Russell Hazeltine, Mrs. Lee Newman.

West Hendersonville—Miss Othella Westall, Miss Delno Clayton, Mrs. Roxie McCrary, Mr. John Rollins, Mr. Luther Tweed.

Zion Hill—Mr. Vernon Waters, Mr. George Freeman, Mr. Wade McAbee, Rev. W. B. Morgan, Mrs. Nora Anders.

CONSTITUTION

Mell's Parliamentary Practice Followed:

Article 1—Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Carolina Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers of Missionary Baptist Churches in Henderson and Polk Counties, and any other Missionary Baptist Churches which may wish to unite with them.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members in excess of one hundred. Only the names of the messengers attending the meeting shall be printed in the minutes.

Article 2—Objects

Section 1. The object of this Association shall be to devise and recommend measures for the increasing of mental and spiritual power of the churches, and for developing and directing their energies, their resources and gifts in advancing the Master's Kingdom throughout the entire world.

Article 3—Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational B. T. U. Director, all of whom shall be elected by a majority vote by ballot, at each annual meeting. These officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall, by fraternal visitation, counsel and advise with the churches regarding their work through the year.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches in the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment. His annual compensation shall be $50.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall have charge of all the funds which may be raised by the Association, of which he shall give an account at the Annual meeting.

Article 4

Section 1. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as from time to time be deemed advisable.

Article 5

Section 1. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ and the ordinances of His house as accepted by Missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, by a majority vote.

Section 2. Any church in good standing in this Association may, on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

Article 6

Section 1. The Association at any meeting may withdraw fellowship from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

Article 7

Section 1. This Association regards each Baptist Church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body for furthering the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity, the preaching the gospel, and promoting Christian education.

Article 8

Section 1. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion or resolution of the body, except to amend the constitution which shall require a two-thirds vote of the members.

Article 9

Section 1. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the beginning of each day and corrected, if necessary. Before final adjournment the entire minutes shall be read and approved.

Article 10

Section 1. The Association shall, before its final adjournment, fix a place for the next meeting and select one of the ministers of the body to preach the annual sermon.

Article 11

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the pastor and one layman from each church, said layman to be duly appointed or elected by the church annually, and in addition thereto, the following: the Moderator of the Association, the Clerk, the Associational Field Worker or Missionary, the Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union, the Associational Sunday School Superintendent, the Associational Baptist Training Union Director.

A quorum shall consist of all the members of the Executive Committee present after due notice has been given by card or letter.

2. Program Committee Duties:

A. Work with the program committee of the pastors' conference in correlating the programs of the two groups.

B. Assume responsibility for programs for meetings of the Association in which objectives of the State and Southern Baptist Denominational calendar shall be given proper emphasis.

C. Cooperate with the Field Worker or Associational Missionary, the Sunday School, Training Union, and Woman's Missionary Union departments of the Association so as to co-ordinate the Associational work.

D. Arrange all special Associational meetings when desired.

E. Prepare and publish programs for the quarterly and annual meetings of the Association.

F. Prepare the Association's calendar of meetings and general activities for the year or shorter periods.

3. Mission Committee Duties:

A. Direct and work with the Association's Missionary in cooperation with the State and Home Mission Board.

B. Survey the field for more effective action.

C. Establish missions where deemed advisable.

D. Conduct revival meetings when deemed advisable with pastorless or non-self-supporting churches, or communities without a Baptist Church.

E. Organize new churches when and where the Executive Committee deems advisable.

F. Conduct Daily Vacation Bible Schools.
G. Conduct Bible Classes.
H. Conduct Association-wide Sunday School revivals.
I. Aid pastorless churches, etc.

4. Finance Committee Duties:

Prepare the Associational budget for proposed work to be done by the Executive Committee through all committees and secure necessary funds to accomplish the proposed programs.

POLICIES

Distribute the activities of the Association throughout the year by holding quarterly afternoon or night sessions. Organize the work of the Association so that it will be broader in scope with a set-up ample to take care of the average situation. Aid pastorless churches and establish and sponsor missions, Sunday Schools and hold revivals outside of our organized churches when such is deemed advisable by our Executive Committee.

By changing our annual program and having the addresses from those representing our Hospital, Orphanage, Biblical Recorder, Home and Foreign Missions, Temperance, and other causes presented at our quarterly sessions, we can give more deliberate and intelligent thought to these matters than when they are properly spaced in between our local program. This would permit more discussion, freedom of spirit, and greater inspiration to a less crowded program of our annual session.

If the customary program should crowd the annual session too much for one day and not permit free and liberal discussion where desired, reports such as that of the historian, and that on temperance and morals, the orphanage, hospitals, periodicals and other subjects not directly dealing with our local Association's activities might be made topics for discussion by visiting speakers at our quarterly meetings rather than at our annual session. Such arrangement would become a part of the duty of the Program Committee under this proposed set-up.

This would reduce the burden of preparing food for two days instead of one and would maintain a good attendance as we have now on the first day.

By distributing the quarterly meetings among the different churches we would place our sessions in closer proximity to the people and also enlist more interest in such gatherings.

The night session of the second day of our Association, which is devoted to the work program of the B. T. U. and Sunday School, would be held at the afternoon quarterly meetings.

Under this plan the minutes of the quarterly meetings would be embraced in the annual published minutes of the Association.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The Association shall convene at 10:00 A. M. on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year.
2. The Association shall open and close with prayer each day. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all meetings of the body.
3. The rules of order may be changed at any session by a vote of the majority of the members present.
4. That reports be limited to 500 words.
5. All questions of order shall be decided by Mell' sParliamentary Practice.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE ANNUAL MEETING

TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 6, 1946

Oak Grove Church

1. The Carolina Baptist Association opened its seventieth session at 9:45 A. M. August 6, 1946 in the Oak Grove Church with M. L. Walker presiding. D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in the opening hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers."

2. The devotional was led by George Roberts, Pastor of the Refuge Church. He read from the fourth chapter of Ephesians, verses 1-24, and led in prayer.

3. The roll of the churches was called by the Clerk and the messengers present were duly elected to constitute the body upon motion by O. M. Seigler.

4. The following visitors, new pastors, and associational workers were recognized: R. M. Haus, Shelby, representing the Allied Church League; M. H. Kendall, Mars Hill College; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill, T. C. Grant, Ocala, Fla.; E. M. Walker, student at Wake Forest; new pastors include: E. M. Chilton, Fred Poplin, T. G. Proctor, L. G. Redding, Wade Sinclair and Paul Wright. Associational Officers were: Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, W. M. U. Superintendent; Erskine Plemmons, Missionary; Roy Huggins, Superintendent of Sunday Schools and O. J. Smith, Training Union Superintendent.

5. The following officers were elected: M. L. Walker, Moderator; F. M. Huggins, Vice-Moderator; Mrs. E. M. Bostick, Clerk; M. K. Sinclair, Treasurer; Noah Hollowell, Auditor and Historian; W. H. Davis, Assistant Historian; Erskine Plemmons, Recorder Representative; Roy Huggins, Sunday School Superintendent; O. J. Smith, Training Union Superintendent.

6. The Moderator presented the day's program for adoption. Victor Rector moved the adoption, subject to change, seconded by N. B. Phillips and the motion carried.

7. Erskine Plemmons, Associational Missionary, made the report on Associational Missions and in speaking of his plans for the year, urged a greater Pastor's Conference; a greater Training Union growth; the Biblical Recorder in every home and the support of the Relief and Rehabilitation program throughout the Association.

Report

I hereby give a brief summary of my work as Associational Field Worker in the Carolina Association from June 1, 1946 to July 30, 1946, a period of two months.

I have worked in twelve churches and one mission, doing the following work:

Preaching (5).
D. V. B. S. (8).
B. T. U. Study Course (1).
Revival (1).
Sunday School work (3).

I have attended the following general meetings:
Chief usher in Appleman revival.
Field Worker's School, Meredith College.
Aided in an Ordination Service.
Pastors' School, Mars Hill.
Southwide B. T. U. Conference, Ridgecrest.
Baptist State Convention, Greensboro.
W. M. U. Associational Meeting.

I have driven 2126 miles, visited 21 homes and published and mailed the first edition of the **Carolina Baptist.**

As we look forward to the coming year, we do so with hope and confidence that, if we are true to Him and to the trust He has committed to us, we shall have His abiding presence and leadership.

Respectfully submitted,
ERSKINE V. PLEMMONS,
Associational Field Worker.

8. J. W. McGuire, pastor of the Valley Hill Church, submitted the report on Foreign Missions which was adopted by the Association.

Foreign Missions

As we come to view Foreign Missions in a world of confusion and destruction, two great facts stand out that should stir the soul of every Southern Baptist in the Carolina Association. The first of these is the indestructibility of Christian Character, which is one development growing out of Christian Missions. Missionaries on the field, Chaplains in the armed services and our Secretaries who have visited the mission fields all over the world tell us of the living witness to the sustaining and adequate Christ in the lives of Christians. This stands as a testimony to the conquering Christ in the midst of destruction. Quoting from a recent letter from Dr. M. T. Rankin, Executive Secretary of the Foreign Mission Board, he says: "Many of our Christian workers are getting food enough to keep them from being objects of relief; however, they are living far below the level of a healthy standard; the energies of their lives are almost wholly consumed in making their means cover their needs." Truly, "the Word of God is not bound."

The second fact that we must face is that Southern Baptists are not doing enough to meet the pressing needs on the mission fields today; they must do more. We stand before open doors all over the world. These words of a Chaplain in Japan are typical, "If Southern Baptists ever faced an open door in Foreign Missions they do today in Japan; if we fail to enter this door we will forever forfeit the right to ask God's blessing on any missionary endeavor there." Hear the words of a Baptist College President: "The present miserable conditions are

caused by the lack of a strong Christian spirit among the people. Nothing could give us more joy than to welcome a number of qualified missionaries NOW. I pray that Southern Baptists will send them quickly."

In our denomination there are twenty-six thousand churches with a membership of five and a half million, but there are only five hundred and fifty missionaries on the foreign fields, where we need a thousand. In 1945 the Foreign Mission Board wanted fifty missionaries, but only thirty-eight could be found. The Board has committed itself to the appointment of fifty or sixty in 1946, but it is doubtful if that many will be found. It is unthinkable that five and a half million Southern Baptists would have so few on the foreign fields.

The receipts for Foreign Missions in 1945 reached the figure of $3,592,000.00. The Lottie Moon Christmas offering was $1,200,000.00. An annual budget of $3,500,000.00 is not enough to rebuild our schools, churches and hospitals and at the same time maintain a sufficient missionary force. Foreign Missions is the way to peace. It can and must play a major part in preventing another world war. We face the biggest task ever placed before us. It is judgment day for us. If we fail to offer the Only Hope to the world we shall be traitors to Christ, our country and our children.

Christ has commissioned us to preach the Gospel to all nations. It would appear from these sober facts that we are agreed on the going, but when it comes to the "go ye" we need to bow and hear Him say: "If ye love me you will keep my commandments."

Respectfully submitted,
J. W. McGUIRE.

9. Recognition of pastors and visitors arriving late. H. S. Sinclair, Chester, S. C., was introduced and welcomed by the Moderator.

10. R. M. Haus, representative of the Allied Church League, was recognized at this time and responding to the invitation to speak, he gave us some very interesting, but alarming, facts about the alcohol problem confronting our nation today. He said, "Last year there were a half million places in the land where alcohol was sold, which means that there were two places for every church and five places for every school. There are fifty million drinkers in the nation, twenty of whom are women; three and a half million excessive drinkers and one million alcoholics . . . . The Christian Church must arise and take the leadership in correcting this evil. Jesus Christ is the greatest force in dealing with alcoholics and the Christian Church is the institution which can and will love men into a better life."

11. The Moderator appointed the following committees to report later in the session: Reception of Churches: Fred Poplin, George Pennell, Finley Orr; Time, Place, Preacher: Otto Parham, W. J. Ballard, Malcolm Ross; Nominations: O. M. Seigler, J. N. Shuford, Wayne Peek; Resolutions: B. G. Henry, T. G. Proctor, C. E. Blythe.

12. Due to the delayed arrival of M. A. Huggins of Raleigh, A. J. Nielsen moved that the order of the program be reversed, placing the sermon first, followed by the message from Mr. Huggins. The motion was carried.

13. Fred Poplin led the congregation in singing "Amazing Grace," after which Wayne Peek, pastor of the Tuxedo Church, delivered the introductory sermon, using the subject, "Giving God Our Best." He read Gen. 22:1-3 and from this passage he preached his sermon, stressing the following points: First, God calls for the best of our love; Second, God calls for the best of our gifts; Third, When we give our best we make new discoveries about God.

14. The congregation joined in singing "O, How I Love Jesus," led by Fred Poplin.

15. M. A. Huggins of Raleigh, and Lawrence Erwin and Gibson Davis of Spartanburg, S. C., were recognized by the Chair.

16. M. A. Huggins, Secretary of the Baptist State Convention spoke to the Association on the general cooperative work of the State Convention. He reported an increase of $200,000.00 in receipts for all purposes over last year. He emphasized the efforts of Southern Baptists in the relief and rehabilitation program and earnestly urged the churches to wholeheartedly support this effort, so that the work of Foreign Missions may be restored. With reference to Fruitland Institute, he reported that the property was being repaired in preparation for the Preachers' School which is anticipated in the fall, and for the near future, a Baptist Summer Assembly. In closing, he challenged the people with the devotional thought: "The Lord hath put my feet in a large place" (Psalm 38:8). If leadership is to come to the world, it will come from our country or not at all. The world is in need of a little moral idealism. Our feet are in a large place and it is time for us to stop talking democracy and do some practicing. No generation that ever lived occupied a greater place than our generation. God give us grace to accept the responsibility."

17. The Chair recognized N. A. Melton, who presented the following resolutions to the body and moved the adoption, which was seconded by Victor Rector, and accepted by the Association.

Resolutions

In view of the large investment which the membership of the Carolina Association has made in past years to the Building of Fruitland Institute, and in view of the fact that its ministry has been stopped for the last eight years, and in the light of the serious need for more trained leaders in our Churches and Communities,

Therefore, Be It Resolved: That the messengers of the Association in session August 6, 1946, at the Oak Grove Baptist Church, do hereby express to Dr. M. A. Huggins, Executive Secretary of the North Carolina Baptist Convention and the General Board of the Convention our generous approval that the Baptists of North Carolina have acquired complete ownership of the property at Fruitland, and that they are now planning an intensive program for aiding in training leadership for greater Christian service, this program to include a School for pastors and Church leaders, Bible Conferences, and summer assemblies.

Resolved Further: That we register our conviction that this type of program is exceedingly opportune. Many of the preachers who are unable to get into some of our schools because of the crowded conditions express a genuine desire to take advantage of periodic plans for further study, while adult leadership in so many of our Churches are conscious of a clearer understanding of the Christian responsibilities in the world of today. All over the South young people are flocking to religious summer assemblies for further training in Christian service and for Christian fellowship. The program designed for Fruitland will aid greatly in meeting these needs.

Be IT Still Further Resolved: That we, the messengers to this association pledge to the leadership of this movement our whole-hearted support, and that we will seek to enlist every Church in our Association to take advantage of the great service provided. That as pastors, we will use and stress the great values provided in this program, and that we will encourage full attendance from every Church at the group assemblies conducted from year to year. Our prayer shall be that Fruitland may again come into a full ministry to meet an acute need in this great section of North Carolina.

This done in the regular 1946 session of the Carolina Association.

18. M. A. Huggins introduced R. F. Jarrett of Dillsboro, a member of the State Mission Board, who spoke in commendation of the State Board's action in reviving Fruitland Institute. Rev. W. N. Cook, Clerk of the Tuckaseigee Association, was also recognized.

19. L. G. Redding led in the closing prayer, after which the session adjourned for lunch which was served on the grounds by the Oak Grove Church.

THE AFTERNOON SESSION

20. The afternoon session was opened by singing "Rock of Ages," led by Virgil Jones, with M. L. Walker in the Chair.

21. Fred Poplin, pastor of the Horse Shoe Church, read for the devotional Scripture, Jno. 8:28-34, followed by prayer. Mr. Poplin spoke briefly on the 32nd verse: "He shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free." He said, "Eternal life begins with the New Birth, and Jesus would have use know the truth about eternal life. Our daily life is linked up with the truth in God, and those who live a full life, a life of happiness find lasting joy, not in material possessions, but in those things which endure. Jesus would have us understand also the true meaning of love; love flowing from the heart of God to the heart of man." C. F. Gaddy of Raleigh led in prayer.

22. The report on the Hospital was read by Junius Huggins and accepted by the Association.

Report of the Hospital

The hand of the good Samaritan was extended to 7,699 patients within the Baptist Hospital during the year which has just passed. In addition, 17,000 sick and injured were given complete diagnostic examinations without any or at a reduced charge in the Out-Patient Clinic of the hospital. Of those admitted to the hospital, 4,000 were free and part pay. These also paid no doctor's fee.

Baptist Hospital Day in the churches brought in a great part of the funds used in bringing relief from suffering, and restoring people to a life of usefulness and self-support. In many cases new life has been given to a host of sick people who were without means.

But the many days of free care and the thousands of dollars spent on this free care does not tell all the story. The quality of the care has always been a point of pride at the Baptist Hospital. The parade of brilliant specialists grouped here to serve the medical school and the Hospital, the equipment and the trained personnel means that the Hospital is able to give the patient the most skilled care known to medical science.

The Hospital's outstanding scientific achievements do not tell the full story. As a Christian hospital it rejoices in the fact that Christ, the supreme Healer, is no stranger on its halls.

Let every church determine to do more next year for this great cause, healing the sick in Christ's Name.

Respectfully submitted,
JUNIUS HUGGINS.

23. John Sinclair submitted the report on the Orphanage and the Association adopted it. W. H. Davis, speaking to the report, related his experiences in a recent visit to the Orphanage and testified to the joy that has been his through the years in supporting the Institution.

Orphanage

Therefore to him that knoweth to do good and doeth it not to him it is a sin," James 4:17.

What excuse can North Carolina Baptists give for not supporting the Orphanage? Can they say it is not worthwhile? No. Can they say it is not substantiated by the teachings of Jesus? No. Can they say the Holy Spirit directs against it? No. Then, why? We do not know why any Christian would not support the Orphanage, but we know why so many people do support it. It is love for the unfortunate child, love for the church and love for Christ that impels North Carolina Baptists to give the child a chance.

The Scriptures tell us that unless we have love in our hearts our work is in vain, so then, if we have love for the unfortunate child we will want a share in supplying his need and a share in making more adequate provision for those who now must be turned away.

One reason, on the part of some, for not supporting the Orphanage is a lack of information. They do not read the Orphanage paper, "Charity and Children," nor do they have any other way of gaining information about this phase of our work, thus they miss the inspiration which contact with this Institution brings.

The child is the heir of the past, the happiness of the present and the hope of the future. The training of the child is a duty, and this training must set his feet in the path of right living by holding before him the noblest ideals, the ideals that are found in Christ alone. This, the Orphanage seeks to do.

We are truly grateful for the spiritual leadership that has faithfully governed our Baptist Orphanage. Let us support it with our prayers and our monthly contributions.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN SINCLAIR.

24. The Association adopted the report on Promotion and Recommendations of the Executive Committee as submitted by George Pennell.

Promotional Report and Recommendations of the Committee

The whole Bible is a story of a seeking God, a God who is seeking for those who are lost. Sometimes we are very critical of the unsaved because they do not come to our church services. But the Scripture says: "There is none that understandeth, there is none that seeketh after God" (Romans 3:11). Lost men do not seek the Lord; they never have. The lost has always run away from God and has always tried to hide from Him.

To me, some of the most touching words in the New Testament are found in the closing verses of the 9th chapter of Matthew where the Scriptures say: "But when He saw the multitudes, He was moved with compassion on them because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd. Then saith He unto His disciples, the harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few; pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that He will send forth labourers into His harvest."

One of the most tragic things through all the Christian era even until today, is the fact that the labourers are so few. It is the same today as it was that day when Jesus gave the heartbroken appeal for labourers in the harvest. They have always been so few.

It is estimated that there are from ten to fifteen thousand people

who are lost in the Carolina Association. Do you know why all this multitude is going to hell? It is because so few people really care. Jesus saw the multitude as sheep without a shepherd.

The Association has secured a full time field worker. Brother Plemmons has made a good start. It seems to this committee that his monthly publication will meet a great need in keeping our people informed concerning the work from month to month.

We make the following recommendations:

1. That we retain our Field Worker for the next twelve months.

2. It is urged, with the approval of the Pastors' Conference, that we take a religious census in cooperation with the other denominations, so that it may be as complete as possible and that this census be taken the first week in October.

3. It is the desire of this committee that this census be followed with the most painstaking, prayerful work possible.

4. That we undertake to reach those unreached multitudes by an intensive weekly visitation program. The lost are not coming to our churches any more so we must take the Gospel to them where they are.

5. We recommend that the Quarterly Meeting of September 29th be given to the discussion of the liquor traffic.

May we highly resolve that we shall do something very definite in the twelve months which are ahead about the alarming conditions in regard to sin and profanity, as well as the indifference and lack of spiritual power in the churches.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE T. PENNELL.

25. Otto Parham, Chairman of the Committee on Time, Place and Preacher, submitted the following report, which was adopted by the Association:

The annual session of the Association will be held Tuesday, after the first Sunday in August, 1947 (Aug. 5), at Mud Creek Church, Rev. Fred R. Poplin, Preacher; Alternate, T. G. Proctor.
The Quarterly Meeting in September to be held in the Naples Church.

26. George Pennell moved that the same Executive Committee serve for another year unless otherwise stated by the church; seconded by N. B. Phillips and the motion was carried.

27. John Sinclair submitted the report of the Finance Committee. Adopted by the Body.

Report of the Finance Committee

We, the finance committee, recommend the plan which was adopted last year as the plan for financing the work this year. Even though we will have to raise more money in order to meet our budget, we want the churches to continue to use the 5 per cent plan.

We request the secretary to include a copy of the plan* as submitted last year in the minutes, with a budget of $1,500.00 as follows:

Field Worker	$1040.00
Field Worker's estimated expense	240.00
Clerk's salary	50.00
Minutes (additional need)	50.00
Printing, postage, incidentals	120.00
Total	$1500.00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. SINCLAIR
WAYNE PEEK
JUNIUS HUGGINS

***Financial Plan Used Last Year**

"As a basis for determining how much each church should contribute to this program, your committee decided that in order that all churches be treated equal, a plan based on a percentage of total salaries paid would be satisfactory and acceptable to all churches. We, the committee, recommend that each church in the Association be requested to support the program by paying as their share 5 per cent of the total amount paid the pastor during the previous year. With this plan in operation each church will be sharing in the much needed missionary work in our Association and no church will be overburdened with its share of the load.

"We recommend that 50 per cent of this amount be paid at once. The other 50 per cent to be paid during the month of January.

"We recommend that the money be turned over to the Moderator of the Association, M. L. Walker, and that he, in turn, make his reports to the Treasurer of the Association."

28. In the absence of the Treasurer, the Clerk read the report which was adopted.

Treasurer's Report

List of Contributions Made by Churches This Year

	Minutes	Associational Worker	Co-Operative Program	Student Fund
Balfour	$ 6.00	$ 50.00		
Barker Heights	2.00			
Bat Cave	3.00			
Bear Wallow	2.00	10.72		
Beulah	2.00	18.00		
Broad River	1.25	11.00		
Cedar Springs	3.50			
Crab Creek	3.00			
Cross Roads	3.00	5.00		
Dana	5.00	25.00		
Double Springs	2.00			
Ebenezer	2.00	19.20		
E. Flat Rock	10.00	66.00		
Etowah	5.00	25.00		
Hendersonville First	15.00	100.00		25.00
Fletcher	5.00	45.00		
French Broad	1.25		25.00	
Fruitland	5.00	25.00		
Green River	3.00			

Holly Springs	1.00			
Horse Shoe	2.00	21.52		
Jones Gap	2.00			
Locust Grove	2.00	7.50		
Middle Fork	2.00			
Mills River	5.00			
Mt. Gilead	5.00			
Mt. Moriah	4.00			
Mt. Page	8.01			
Mud Creek	10.00	55.68		
Naples	1.00	11.00		
Oak Grove	10.00	10.00		
Pacolet	5.00	40.80		
Pleasant Grove	2.00			
Refuge	7.50	25.00		
Saluda	5.00	45.00		
Shaws Creek	10.00			
Tryon First	10.00	50.00		
Tryon Second	5.00			
Tuxedo	10.00	50.00		5.00
Valley Hill	10.00	13.74		
West Hendersonville	2.00			
Zion Hill	3.00			
Quarterly Meetings		101.00		
	$200.51	$831.16	$25.00	$30.00

Cash Statement — Year Ending August 3, 1946

On hand at beginning of year	$ 68.23	
Cash received for minutes	200.51	
Cash received for Student Fund	30.00	
Cash received for Associational Warker	831.16	
Cash received for Co-Operative Program	25.00	
Cash received not designated	1.25	$1,156.15
Disbursements:		
Paid out for Minutes and other printing	$236.40	
Paid out for Associational Worker	637.76	
Paid out for Expense	43.49	
Paid out for Clerk	50.00	967.65
Balance on hand		$ 188.50

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. SINCLAIR, Treas.

Financial Statement — Dr. Hyman J. Appelman Evangelistic Campaign

Total contributions received		$5,086.10
Disbursements:		
T. D. James	$ 12.50	
Dr. Hyman J. Appelman, Expense	105.06	
Rex Freeman—Hauling	100.00	
Kermit Edney, Sec. work and use of car	100.00	
J. F. Corn, Custodian	22.50	
J. T. Holmes, Custodian	17.50	
D. G. Wilkie, Expense	4.95	
J. P. O'Dell, Drayage	19.50	
Rev. J. Horace Brown, Supplies and labor	125.54	
R. C. McCall, Rent on Tent	250.00	
Geo. T. Pennell, Tel. & Tels. & Expense	93.46	

Henry Brookshire, Lumber	232.96	
Virgil McCrary, Elec. wire	60.00	
David Huff, Pianist	100.00	
Rev. Preston Garrett, Line Charge & Exp.	179.00	
Rev. Alvin Jones, Line Charge & Exp.	65.00	
J. T. Fain, Advertising	332.25	
Fred Fleming, Drayage	9.00	
A. C. Gallimore, Carpenter	12.00	
Devon Sparks, Carpenter	15.00	
Hendersonville Lumber Co., Lumber	3.60	
Victory Tract League, Gospels	18.00	
Corn Sign Shop, Adv.	4.50	
Homer Britton, Choir Director	200.00	
Harold Laster, Rent on tent	100.00	
The Tribune, Adv.	12.25	
Dr. Hyman J. Appleman, Love Offering	2,000.00	
Special Jewish Fund	411.41	
Sou. Ry. Co., Freight on Song Books	6.23	
Skyland Hotel, Expense	116.15	
J. T. Stewart, Hauling	30.75	
Kermit Edney, Adv.	3.40	
Gossett Furniture Co., Repairs on Piano	25.00	
Duke Power Co., Lights	18.15	
J. F. Stokes, Repairing tent	6.35	
Star Dray, Drayage	5.00	
Labor—Taking down tent	5.00	
L. L. Bane, Drayage	15.00	4,837.01
Balance		$ 249.09

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. SINCLAIR, Treas.

29. Otto Parham made a few brief remarks on the work of the Missions Committee.

30. N. B. Phillips, speaking on the Relief and Rehabilitation Program, placed our responsibility before us, noting that the Carolina Association's quota of the State's apportionment was $4,300.00. He urged the churches to be liberal in responding to this call.

31. Report on Periodicals was read by Mrs. John Perry and adopted by the group.

Report on Periodicals

"Read not to contradict and confute, nor to believe and take for granted, nor to find talk and discourse, but to weigh and consider." This quotation from Francis Bacon expresses the purpose of our periodicals—to weigh and consider and also evaluate their usefulness to our people, for they impart to us an interpretation of the Bible and the work of the Baptist in all fields.

The Biblical Recorder, our state paper, is a rich source of information on work of the North Carolina Baptists. Its circulation, which has increased rapidly through the years, is of profound value both to the pastors and laymen.

What Baptist would miss a publication of Charity and Children with its news of our children's home in Thomasville. It is an inspiration for every Christian to read of these young lives under the noble influence of Dr. Greer.

For the women of the W. M. U., the Royal Service is a guiding light, with its varied store of information on home and foreign missions.

Other of our monthly magazines are, The Window of the Y. W. A., The Carolina Baptist, World Comrades, and the Southern Baptist Home Missions. The materials given in these periodicals enable us to understand and cooperate with the work of our missionary program at home.

"The Commission," published by the Foreign Mission Board in Richmond, Va., helps us to see our world mission.

"Ye are our epistle written in our hearts, known and read of all men."

—2 Cor. 3-2.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. JOHN PERRY, SR.

32. L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the Biblical Recorder, was recognized and spoke of the increased usefulness of the Recorder, its multiplied circulation and the various plans for placing it in the homes of North Carolina Baptists.

33. Professor M. H. Kendall of Mars Hill College was introduced and spoke briefly on the work of the College, emphasizing the crowded conditions of the school brought about by the entrance of returned service men. He brought greetings from the college and pressed upon us the importance of teaching. "Not to know how can be cured by teaching," he said.

34. C. F. Gaddy, Secretary of the Department of Christian Education of the State Mission Board, was presented to the body and spoke briefly on the purpose of his work.

35. The Moderator called for reports from the pastors. All the reports were gratifying; many reported the best year in the history of the churches and witnessed to the blessings of the Lord upon the work. Those reporting were Virgil Jones, N. B. Phillips, L. G. Redding, George Pennell, George Roberts, F. M. Huggins, Finley Orr, Otto Parham, Wade Sinclair, Wayne Peek, John Middleton, Charles Vause and Ralph Banning.

36. W. H. Davis gave expression to his zeal in and his love for preaching the Gospel and his joy in teaching the Bible. He offered himself for use in the work of the Kingdom throughout the Association.

37. After an expression of appreciation for the hospitality of the Oak Grove Church by the body, C. W. Mainwaring led in a closing prayer and the meeting adjourned until the evening session.

TUESDAY NIGHT, AUGUST 6, 1946

Oak Grove Church

Session for Baptist Training Union and Sunday School Departments

38. The evening session was called to order by the Moderator, M. L. Walker. The congregation joined in the singing of the hymn "Jesus Paid It All," led by Otto Parham.

39. In the absence of Virgil Jones, J. N. Shuford read for the devotional the 23rd Psalm, after which he led in prayer.

40. O. J. Smith submitted the report on the work of the Training Union and moved its adoption; seconded, and adopted by the body.

Baptist Training Union Report

The Training Union Department reports a very active and inspirational year in which much has been accomplished.

Eight training unions have been organized in churches where there was no training work and a large number of new unions have been formed in churches where training work was already established.

Three associational-wide mass meetings and five executive program-planning meetings have been held; one study course was conducted in the First Baptist Church, Hendersonville, in which the Unions of the Association participated. Other churches in the Association conducted their study courses.

The Juniors from our Association entered the State Junior Memory Work Contest in which Connie May Parham of Balfour won first place.

Looking to the coming year, plans for an Associational enlargement campaign are being made in which the state officers will cooperate by providing a trained worker for every church which will participate in the plan.

Respectfully submitted,
O. J. SMITH.

41. Roy Huggins, Superintendent of Sunday Schools, gave an encouraging report of the work which has been done and announced the plan for study courses for the coming year and asked for volunteer workers to teach in these classes.

Sunday School Report

Before giving any report of the Sunday School work of the Association for the past year, I wish to recognize the following workers, who by their loyal and unselfish efforts have helped to make this report possible: Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Jones, Mrs. Donies Justus, Miss Velma Huggins, Miss Charlotte Stredwick, Mrs. Alfred Karling, Rev. Thos. E. Thompson, Mr. Frank Neville, Miss Emma Sample, Mrs. Noah Hollowell, Rev. Erskine Plemmons, Miss Evelyn Stewart and Miss Rachel Kuykendall. There are many names which, if space would permit, should be listed, but these have helped in various churches and communities in promoting Sunday School work throughout the Association, in addition to that done in their own respective churches.

1. Hours spent in teaching and promotional work	177
2. Visits and aid in holding services	64
3. New Sunday Schools and Churches opened to Services	1
4. Mission Sunday Schools sponsored	1
5. Aid in sponsoring and advertising revivals	1
6. Cards and letters to Pastors, Superintendents and Officers	300
7. Vacation Bible Schools held	15
8. Enrollment in Vacation Bible Schools	784
9. Study Courses	3
10. Total Evergreen Sunday Schools	52
11. Total Enrollment of Association	6,589
12. Total Associational Sunday School Meetings	1
13. Sunday Schools revived	2
14. Mission Sunday Schools	2

Respectfully submitted,
ROY HUGGINS.

42. Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Superintendent of the W. M. U. was recognized and read the report on the Woman's work. In speaking on the report, Mrs. Sinclair asked for the cooperation of the Pastors and offered her services to the churches.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION FOR PERIOD ENDING AUGUST 3, 1946

With joy and gratitude to Him who has guided and blessed the work of eighteen Missionary Unions in our Carolina Association, I am happy to bring you this report.

The growth of the work, under the untiring leadership of Mrs. O. J. Smith, together with the faithful workers in each Union where they have been carrying on, make this report possible.

If all the churches were enlisted it would not only make it possible to bring a much better report but would also mean that we had come to understand the meaning of the Great Commission to go into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature. Not until every Christian has come to see the need, and under the leadership of the Holy Spirit be led to do something about it, can He use us as He wills to do.

It is of vital importance that we have a Missionary Union in every church in our Association. In this way we would be training leaders which are sorely needed. The lack of consecrated leadership is a serious handicap in our work for never before have conditions been so serious and the need so great for workers who know Him and who are willing to be used in His service. This means that there is a deep need for consecration and a deeper spiritual life. He does not use any other type of leaders, for we are told in His word: "Where there is no vision the people perish." We are sure that there is much room for us to improve along this line and not to be satisfied to render anything to Him but our very best service.

We are grateful, and thankful, that we have been used of God to help carry the Good News to various mission fields, both at home and in far away lands; but while this is true in a small way, we must also be reminded that multitudes have perished for the lack of workers and for the need of means to carry on in a greater way. The need is very great, but let us take to our hearts new courage and ever keep in mind that we are under the marching orders of a great God. He is equal to our every need. The fields are white unto harvest and we

have been entrusted with the remedy for this disturbed, perplexed needy world. Jesus is the only hope of this day in which we live; He is the panacea for every ill, every troubled heart, every blighted life. He has said if He is lifted up from the earth He will draw all men unto Himself. It is our business to lift Him up, to make Him known as we tell out the message of redeeming love.

Our gifts for 1945, for all causes, totalled $5,421.71. There were 180 tithers reported. There is room for improvement here.

Our annual meeting was held, this year, with Ebenezer church. Mrs. P. W. Hamlet of Morganton and China was our visiting speaker. Our next annual meeting will be held with Saluda church in June 1947.

Great possibilities lie ahead of us and there is a deep need of interested, willing hearts. May we pray more earnestly for those who are now on the fields and for those who are in training, getting ready for the doors that are now open and that are calling for our help. May we also give more freely, live more humbly and trust God more fully, that we might undertake greater things, through the leadership of His Spirit, and be encouraged to expect greater results, that He might be honored as we do our part in telling out the Good News "that Christ came into the world to save sinners."

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. M. K. SINCLAIR, Supt.

43. O. M. Seigler introduced S. F. Dowis, Superintendent of City Mission work of the Home Mission Board of Atlanta, Ga., as the inspirational speaker of the evening. Mr. Dowis spoke on the subject of "Growing A Church" and based his remarks on Ephesians, 2:20; "Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner stone."

44. O. M. Seigler presented the report on Nominations which was accepted by the Association.

Report on Nominations

Standing Committees: State Missions, George Roberts; Home Missions, Ralph Banning; Foreign Missions, A. J. Nielsen; Ministers' Relief and Retirement, F. M. Huggins; Orphanage, Thos. E. Thompson; Baptist Training Union, O. J. Smith; Sunday Schools, Roy Huggins; Christian Education, Fred Poplin; Temperance and Public Morals, Victor Rector; Periodicals, T. G. Proctor; Hospitals, W. H. Davis; Promotion, Otto Parham; Obituaries, Finley Orr; Woman's Work, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair; Historian, Noah Hollowell; Layman's Work, Roy Bennett.

Committees: Program Committee, O. M. Seigler, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair; Erskine Plemmons; Mission Committee, N. B. Phillips, Carl Blythe, Otto Parham, A. V. Reese, Frank Neville; Finance Committee, John Sinclair, Wayne Peek, Junius Huggins; Executive Committee (see Page 4 for names).

45. Mrs. Junius Huggins submitted the officers of the Baptist Training Union which were approved by the Association. (See Page 6 for officers).

46. Upon a motion by George Pennell that such a committee be appointed, the following were appointed by the Chair as a committee to work in the churches and communities on a religious census: Erskine Plemmons, George Pennell, Wayne Peek, Otto Parham, George Roberts, M. L. Kirstein, F. M. Huggins.

47. The report of the Obituary Committee was given by N. B. Phillips, who spoke in tender appreciation for the life and work of the late A. I. Justice and S. F. Huntley. The congregation stood in respect to all who had passed on since we met and Mr. Phillips led in a prayer, which closed the session.

IN MEMORIAM

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord"
(Revelation 14:13)

Balfour—Mr. T. J. Dill, Mr. Olen Fletcher, Mrs. S. J. Suttles.

Barker Heights—Mrs. James Heaton.

Bat Cave—Mr. Lester Dodson, Mr. James Dodson.

Bear Wallow—Mrs. Sarah Blythe.

Beulah—Mrs. Emma Justus, Mr. John Dalton, Mr. J. W. Revis.

Broad River—Mr. S. B. Hudgins.

Cedar Springs—Mrs. Susan Capps, Mrs. D. A. Bane.

Crab Creek—Mrs. Lonesear Hamilton, Mr. Joe McCall, Mr. Grady Rhodes.

Calvary—Mrs. Sam Turner.

Double Springs—Mrs. Huttie Anderson, George Anderson, Mrs. Lennie K. Morgan.

East Flat Rock—Mr. Hubert Hyder, Mr. J. B. Ward, Mr. M. S. Shipman.

Ebenezer—Rev. S. F. Huntley.

Fletcher—Miss Jerusha Lance.

French Broad—Jacob Heffner (Deacon).

Fruitland—Deacon W. P. King, Mrs. Ellen Laughter.

Hendersonville First—Rev. A. I. Justice, Mr. H. L. B. Shields, Miss Grace Ann Shipman, Mrs. C. E. Ward, Mrs. J. L. Henderson, Major T. C. Jowitt, Mrs. R. K. Orr, Mrs. I. E. Griffen, Mrs. Lennis French, Mrs. S. C. Yates.

Hoopers Creek—Mrs. E. G. Souther, Mrs. Julia Barnwell.

Locust Grove—Miss Katherine Corn.

Middle Fork—Mrs. Drucilla Conner.

Mills River—Miss S. A. Edmundson.

Mount Gilead—Mrs. Daisy Butler.

Mount Moriah—Mr. Arthur Laughter.

Mud Creek—Deacon Fralo Kuykendall, Mr. Dewey Thompson, Mrs. Ike Cooper.

Pleasant Grove—Mr. Samuel Cooper, Mr. Lawrence Nesbitt.

Pleasant Hill—Mrs. Bobbette Anders Schell, Mr. W. L. Johnson

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Refuge—Mr. J. L. Case, Miss Rosa Lee King, Mrs. Ida Case, Deacon J. N. Guice.

Shaws Creek—Mrs. Rachel Dalton, Mrs. T. P. Barnwell, Mr. J. S. Bruce, Sr., Mrs. Jane Jones.

Tryon First—Mrs. S. E. Watson, H. L. Shelnutt.

Tuxedo—Miss Ruth Boone, Mrs. Hester Bradley.

Valley Hill—Mrs. Edith Lewis, Mr. Clarence Lewis, Miss Thursa Bowen.

West Hendersonville—Mr. Loyd Justice.

PROCEEDINGS

Of The

QUARTERLY MEETING

Of The

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Held In

The Etowah Baptist Church, Dec. 30th, 1945

1. The quarterly meeting of the Carolina Association was held Sunday, Dec. 30th, 1945, in the Etowah Baptist Church. The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, M. L. Walker.

2. The congregation joined in singing "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name," led by D. G. Wilkie with Mrs. John Sinclair at the piano.

3. D. G. Wilkie led the devotional, reading Psalm 119:1-16, after which prayer was offered by Bobo Hollingsworth.

4. During the business session, John L. Sinclair, Chairman of the finance committee, was recognized and reported that the churches had responded to the call for funds with which to finance the Associational program and that nearly half the year's budget had been raised.

5. It was voted to continue the salary of the Associational Field Worker through January and that the Chair appoint a committee to confer with Mr. Thompson regarding the future of his work. The following committee was appointed: N. B. Phillips, B. G. Henry, Otto Parham, Roy Huggins and Mrs. E. M. Bostick.

6. It was voted to accept the invitation to meet with the Saluda Church in March.

7. A motion was made to the effect that a committee be appointed to frame resolutions of appreciation and esteem for the life and work of the late A. I. Justice, and that a copy be sent to the family and one to the Biblical Recorder. The following committee was appointed: N. A. Melton, A. V. Reese and Noah Hollowell.

8. M. L. Walker recognized the pastors, ministers, superintendents of the Training Union, Sunday Schools and Woman's Missionary Union. There were 17 pastors present.

9. The theme for the afternoon program was "Getting The Word Out To The People." M. L. Walker introduced Wayne Peek, pastor of the Tuxedo Church, who spoke on the subject, "Getting The Word Out Through Preaching." Mr. Peek read the 4th chapter of II Timothy, emphasizing, in his remarks, the 2nd verse, "Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine." "In order to be faithful to the call to preach one must be sure of the call," said Mr. Peek, "and he must also be faithful in that the Word is preached. Much of the condition about us today is brought about by a failure to preach the Word."

10. Dr. L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the Biblical Recorder, was presented to the group and spoke on the subject, "Getting The Word Out Through Teaching," bringing to our attention that much of Jesus' ministry was spent in teaching and stated that much of our ministry must likewise be through the medium of teaching. "If more people were in the Sunday School, the teaching service of the church, we would not have so much sin and shame," he said. He stressed the importance of preparation on the part of the pastor. "God can use the Holy Spirit in the preparation of a message as well as in the presentation," he said, thus pointing out that it is important that a preacher or teacher prepare himself for the task of getting the Word out.

11. At this time the men of the East Flat Rock Sunday School rendered a special musical selection.

12. Mrs. E. M. Bostick spoke on "Getting the Word Out Through Missionary Endeavor," after which the hymn, "Take My Life," was sung and a call for reconsecration and a new dedication to the cause of Christ was responded to by a large number.

13. The meeting was closed with prayer by H. H. Mace, pastor of the West Hendersonville Church.

PROCEEDINGS

Of The

QUARTERLY MEETING

Of The

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Held In

The Saluda Baptist Church, March 31, 1946

1. The Quarterly meeting of the Carolina Baptist Association was held March 31, 1946, in the Saluda Baptist Church. The meeting was opened by singing "Onward Christian Soldiers," followed by the first stanza of "Stand Up For Jesus," led by D. G. Wilkie.

2. The devotional was given by George Roberts, pastor of the Refuge Church. He read the 12th chapter of Luke, verses 16-20, and spoke briefly on "The Folly Of Planning Without God," basing his remarks on the parable of The Rich Fool.

3. M. L. Walker introduced C. F. Smith, the representative of Dr. Hyman Appleman, Evangelist, who spoke briefly on the approaching revival and urged a full cooperation in and a thorough preparation for the revival; he emphasized the challenge that this nation presented in its evangelistic need and added that in order to experience a revival God's people must meet the conditions. "If my people which are called by my name, shall humble themselves and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land," II Chron. 7:14. "If you will, I will," said God.

4. The Moderator recognized the Pastors of the Association, the Field Worker, Thos. E. Thompson, Superintendent of Sunday Schools, Roy Huggins, O. J. Smith, Superintendent of Training Union and Mrs. O. J. Smith, Supt. of the Woman's Work.

5. Roll call of the churches revealed that 26 churches were represented.

6. George Pennell presented plans for the Appleman Meeting which is to be held in June. These plans included time and place of the meeting, the estimated cost and the general organization. They were endorsed by the Association.

7. A collection was taken during the singing of the hymn, "Higher Ground."

8. It was voted to meet with the East Flat Rock Baptist Church at the next meeting, June 30th.

9. Otto Parham announced the Evangelistic Meeting in the First Baptist Church, Asheville, and urged that this Association send a representation to this meeting.

10. The Moderator introduced J. Henry Burnett, Recording Secretary of the Southern Baptist Convention, as one of the guest speakers of the afternoon. Mr. Burnett spoke on the Stewardship of Money and emphasized the ownership of God and the stewardship of man. He pointed out that the program of the Kingdom of God included ways and means for financing that program through tithes and offerings. "Covetousness is idolatry," he said, "and the Christian who doesn't know what to do with his money should stay on his knees until he finds out what he should do. We can't trifle with God and get away with it."

11. The East Flat Rock Quartet sang "Thy Will, Not Mine, O Lord, Be Done." They were accompanied at the piano by Mrs. John Sinclair.

12. M. L. Walker turned the Chair over to B. G. Henry, Vice-Moderator, who called for a hymn. D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in the singing of "Must I Go And Empty Handed?"

13. Dr. Hoyt Blackwell of Mars Hill College was introduced by B. G. Henry. He spoke on "The Manifold Grace Of God." Reviewing the situation in our world today, he said "the times in which we live should make us good stewards of the manifold grace of God, if ever. Stewardship goes out to the perimeter of human life; it lays claim upon every phase of human personality and every Christian should fit his life in harmony with the will of God."

14. The meeting was closed with a prayer by F. M. Huggins.

PROCEEDINGS

Of The

QUARTERLY MEETING

Of The

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Held In

The East Flat Rock Baptist Church, June 30, 1946

1. The Quarterly meeting of the Carolina Association met June 30th, 1946, at the East Flat Rock Church, M. L. Walker, Moderator, presiding.

2. The meeting was opened by singing "Onward Christian Soldiers."

3. In the absence of W. W. Worley, J. W. McGuire, pastor of the Valley Hill Baptist Church, conducted the devotional. After reading the 19th Psalm, he commented on the all-knowledge of God and the help that would come to us if we would avail ourselves of this knowledge. He led in prayer.

4. Otto Parham spoke briefly on the Appleman meeting. "In respect to co-operation," he said, "it was good; the attendance was excellent and the results were gratifying." More than seven hundred people made a public manifestation, either in rededication of life or in conversion.

5. M. K. Sinclair reported on the expenses of the Appleman meeting.*

A. J. Nielsen moved a vote of thanks to all who helped to make the revival a success. The motion was carried.

7. N. B. Phillips, speaking on World Relief, reported excerpts from the Foreign Mission program of the Southern Baptist Convention, and spoke of the plan of Southern Baptists to raise $3,500,000.00 by September, $400,000.00 of which is North Carolina's quota. "This is our opportunity to lend to the Lord, for it is said, 'He that giveth to the poor lendeth to the Lord,'" said Mr. Phillips. "It is also an opportunity to demonstrate the love of Christ and to aid the missionaries in preaching the Gospel to needy people."

8. Upon recommendation of Mr. Phillips, J. W. McGuire moved that a committee be appointed to direct this relief work throughout the Association, under the supervision of Erskine Plemmons. It was so voted. The following were appointed to constitute this committee: N. B. Phillips, Chairman, Erskine Plemmons, N. B. Baldwin.

9. Miss Evelyn Stuart, Worker of the State Mission Board, was recognized as a visitor, and the new Pastors in the Association, which included C. C. Sharpe, Assistant Pastor at Bat Cave, Paul Wright, of Laurel Springs, Wade Sinclair, Mt. Gilead, Malcolm Ross, Zion Hill and J. L. Hardaway, Cedar Springs were also welcomed. Recognition of Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Superintendent of the Women's Work, Roy Huggins, Sunday School Superintendent, and O. J. Smith, Training Union Director was made.

10. Mrs. O. J. Smith expressed appreciation for the co-operation of the churches while she held the office of Superintendent.

11. M. L. Walker announced the Annual Meeting at Oak Grove Church and urged a full attendance.

12. Voted: To extend the call to Erskine Plemmons as Associational Missionary which was recommended by the special committee appointed for that purpose and that the call be effective until August 1947.

13. O. M. Seigler announced the meeting of the Baptist State Convention and moved the appointment of messengers to this convention. This was supported by B. G. Henry and seconded by Chas. Vause. Motion was carried and the appointment of the messengers was delegated to the Moderator, M. L. Walker.

14. At this time the choir of the East Flat Rock Church sang a special number, conducted by D. G. Wilkie and accompanied by Mrs. John Sinclair.

15. Erskine Plemmons, the newly elected Associational Missionary, was introduced by M. L. Walker. He spoke briefly on the plans of the Associational work, stressing the value of Daily Vacation Bible Schools in every church in the Association. He reported that five schools had already been held and three more were soon to be conducted. He also emphasized promotional work through the Sunday Schools, Training Union and the Woman's Missionary Union. He announced a program of Christian training in the churches through these channels.

16. After the singing of the hymn "Stand Up For Jesus," B. G. Henry introduced I. G. Greer, Superintendent of the Baptist Orphanage in Thomasville as the guest speaker.

17. By way of introduction, Mr. Greer spoke in terms of appreciation for the support of the Orphanage from the Association and especially for the loyalty of the East Flat Rock Church. Reading from Luke 1:66, "What manner of child shall this be?", he said, "Every child has a right to this question, and every child should be thought of in the light of his potentialities." Discussing the rights of the child, he pointed out that every child should have the right to good parents, a good home and the right to be taken as he is. "The writing of international agreements is in vain unless parents dedicate themselves to the building of good homes."

18. After singing the hymn, "Blest Be The Tie That Binds," Erskine Plemmons led in a closing prayer, after which the meeting was adjourned.

* See Treasurer's report page 21-23.

PROCEEDINGS

OF

THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

HELD WITH

The Ebenezer Baptist Church, June 11, 1946

The Annual Meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Carolina Association met with the Ebenezer Church June 11, 1946.

The program for the day was begun by singing "Jesus Calls Us" followed by an inspiring devotional by Mrs. Dan Pace of Saluda.

Miss Thelma Drake, Mission Study Chairman, gave some very interesting experiences of her past year's work.

A special song was rendered by Misses Mary and Marie Orr.

Mrs. Earl Marshall, Community Missions Chairman, made suggestions as to how one could best serve her community and the immediate world.

Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Stewardship Chairman, spoke on the subject of "Our Debt To The World" and pointed out that our greatest blessings do not come from material gifts. "Tithing is only one part; He that is faithful in a little is faithful in much. A tither never quits."

Dr. O. M. Seigler led in prayer after which the hymn, "Jesus Saves" was sung. Dr. Seigler asked to be allowed time to present the pressing need of World Relief, stating that the Southern Baptist Convention would try to raise $3,500,000.00 by September 1, and that the fifty-five churches in the Association would urge every organization to do its best in helping to raise a worthy offering.

The report of the Nominating Committee was read and accepted and the following officers were elected: Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Superintendent; Mrs. O. J. Smith, Asso. Superintendent; Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Young People's Leader; Mrs. W. R. Hoots, Asst. Young People's Leader; Mrs. W. A. Bennett, Sec'y-Treasurer; Mrs. W. F. Bowman, Asst. Sec'y-Treasurer; Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Chairman Community Missions; Miss Thelma Drake, Chairman Mission Study; Mrs. A. B. Bonsteel, Chairman Margaret Fund and Training School; Mrs. E. M. Bostick, Chairman Stewardship; Mrs. R. L. Savage, Literature Chairman; Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Student Fund; Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield,

Member Divisional Nominating Committee; Mrs. Broadus Phillips, Pianist; Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield, Chorister. (The Nominating Committee is to be appointed).

The following recommendations from the Executive Committee were read and approved: (1) We recommend that a part time worker be appointed at the annual session to cooperate with the Associational Missionary, Mr. Plemmons, to organize and help foster new W. M. U. Organizations, especially among the young people; (2) that the W. M. U. resume its former plan of group meetings, rallies and conclaves among its young people in order to stimulate more interest; (3) that Schools of Missions be resumed; (4) that the Young People's Superintendent endeavor to promote Y. W. A., G. A., and R. A. Camps in the Association, using the facilities of Fruitland.

Mrs. L. E. Jaekel requested that the group be thinking of a new stewardship Chairman for the Division as she would resign this office in the fall.

The following committees were appointed:

Resolutions: Mrs. L. E. Jaekel, Mrs. W. G. Egerton, Mrs. H. J. Lindsay.

Obituary: Mrs. A B. Bonsteel, Mrs Clay Hyder, Mrs. J. N. Shuford.

Mrs. Elva Drake, Misses June Bostick and Betty Smith gave an interesting and helpful demonstration of good literature.

Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield sang "Speak To My Heart," after which Mrs. E. M. Bostick introduced Mrs. P. W. Hamlett, a former co-worker in China. Mrs. Hamlett told of the tragic conditions of the people in China, the physical and spiritual starvation, the warphans (war orphans) and the refugee camps. She also informed us that as many Bibles were sold in China as were sold in all the rest of the world. She paid high tribute to the loyalty of the Chinese Christians.

Afternoon Session

Mrs. E. M. Bostick presided over the afternoon session and the following program was rendered:

After singing "Send The Light," Allard Garren spoke on the subject, "Signal Lights." He read from Matt. 28:19-20 and stressed the command of Jesus to "Go."

Mrs. A. B. Bonsteel gave an interesting report on the Margaret Fund and the Training School.

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair reported on the Student Fund.

Reports were made from the Resolutions and Obituary Committees. Special appreciation was expressed to Mrs. O. J. Smith for her many years of faithful service to the W. M. U. work of the Association and regrets were voiced over her retirement.

Mrs. M. L. Walker spoke briefly of the type of work in Community Missions that counted. Nancy Walker and June Bostick gave a glimpse of camp life.

Rev. Erskine Plemmons, Associational Missionary, asked that more effort be made on the part of the active organizations in churches where there are no missionary societies.

Rev. L. G. Proctor, Pastor of Shaw's Creek Church, urged an awakening of our people to the realization that our boys need the training and interest of the missionary organizations.

ORDAINED BAPTIST MINISTERS OF THE CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

NAME, Work and Church	Address
ALLMAN, A. J., Pastor, Tryon Second	Mill Spring, N. C.
ARMSTRONG, A. C., Member, Bear Wallow	West Asheville, N. C.
BANNING, RALPH, Pastor, Etowah, Pleasant Grove	Horse Shoe, N. C.
BARNWELL, ODELL, Evangelist, Hoopers Creek	Fletcher, N. C.
BLACKWELL, W. M., Member, West Hendersonville	Hendersonville, N. C.
BLYTHE, C. E., Pastor, Ebenezer, Mountain Page	Hendersonville, N. C.
BLYTHE, J. E., Pastor, Beulah, Berea	Hendersonville, N. C.
BOSTICK, E. M., Missionary	Hendersonville, N. C.
BRADLEY, S. H., Pastor, Mountain Home	Tryon, N. C., Rt. 1
BURRELL, C. P., Member, Tryon Second	Tryon, N. C.
CABLE, VINSON, Member, Oak Grove	Flat Rock, N. C.
CHILTON, E. M., Pastor, Double Springs	Tigerville, S. C.
CORN, QUAY, Pastor, Locust Grove	Hendersonville, N. C.
COX, T. P., Member, Mt. Gilead	Asheville, N. C.
CRAWFORD, FRANK, Member, Mt. Gilead	Arden, N. C.
DAVIS, W. H., Member, Calvary	Hendersonville, N. C.
DUFFY, H. Y., Member, Calvary	Hendersonville, N. C.
EDNEY, A. E., Pastor, Jones Gap and Green River	Flat Rock, N. C.
GREEN, J. H., Member, Ebenezer	Hendersonville, N. C.
HARDAWAY, J. L., Pastor, Cedar Springs	Greenville, S. C.
HENRY, B. G., Pastor, Tryon First	Tryon, N. C.
HEYMAN, C. M., JR., Pastor, French Broad	Hendersonville, N. C.
HILL, BLYTHE, Member, Oak Grove	Flat Rock, N. C.
HOLBERT, L. K., Pastor, Mount Moriah	Hendersonville, N. C.
HOLLINGSWORTH, BOBO, Mission Pastor	Hendersonville, N. C.
HOLTZCLAW, W. P., Member, Etowah	Hendersonville, N. C.
HOWARD, A. T., Pastor, Cross Roads and Green River	Landrum, S. C.
HUGGINS, F. M., Pastor, Saluda	Hendersonville, N. C.
HUNTLEY, B. E., Member, Middle Fork	Bear Wallow, N. C.
HUNTLEY, DAVID, Pastor, Bear Wallow	Fairview, N. C.
HUNTLEY, W. C., Pastor, Hoopers Creek	Biltmore, N. C.
JONES, VIRGIL, Pastor, Barnwell	Balfour, N. C.
KILSTROM, E. A., Pastor, Holly Springs	Penrose, N. C.
KIRSTEIN, M. L., Pastor, Fletcher	Biltmore, N. C.
KUYKENDALL, R. M., Member, Oak Grove	Flat Rock, N. C.
LAUGHTER, ALBERT, Member, Valley Hill	Hendersonville, N. C.
LINDSEY, W. G., Member, Refuge	Hendersonville, N. C.
MACE, H. H., Pastor, West Hendersonville	Hendersonville, N. C.
MAINWARING, C. W., Member, Hendersonville First	Hendersonville, N. C.

McGUIRE, J. W., Pastor, Valley Hill ..... Brevard, N. C.
MELTON, N. A., Pastor, Fruitland ..... Columbus, N. C.
MIDDLETON, J. T., Pastor, Naples ..... Fletcher, N. C.
MIDDLETON, J. B., Member, Mountain Page ..... Saluda, N. C.
MOORE, M. M., Member, Ebenezer ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
MORGAN, W. B., Member, Zion Hill ..... Zirconia, N. C.
NIELSEN, A. J., Member, Hendersonville First ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
ORR, FINLEY, Pastor, Oak Grove ..... Flat Rock, N. C.
OSTEEN, J. E., Pastor, Barker Heights and Crab Creek ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
OWENBY, J. W., Pastor, Middle Fork ..... Flat Rock, N. C.
PACE, EDMUND, Member, W. Hendersonville ..... Zirconia, N. C.
PACE, RICHARD, Member, Mud Creek ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
PARHAM, OTTO, Pastor, Balfour ..... Balfour, N. C.
PEEK, WAYNE, Pastor, Tuxedo ..... Tuxedo, N. C.
PENNELL, GEORGE T., Pastor, Calvary ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
PHILLIPS, N. B., Pastor, East Flat Rock ..... East Flat Rock, N. C.
PLEMMONS, ERSKINE, Associational Missionary ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
POPLIN, FRED, Pastor, Horse Shoe ..... East Flat Rock, N. C.
PROCTOR, T. G., JR., Pastor, Shaws Creek ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
QUINN, R. P., Member, Valley Hill ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
REDDING, L. G., Pastor, Broad River ..... Old Fort, N. C.
REECE, A. V., Evangelist ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
ROBERTS, GEORGE, Pastor, Refuge ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
ROBERTSON, Edward, Evangelist ..... Fletcher, N. C.
ROSS, M. J., Pastor, Zion Hill and Pacolet ..... Tryon, N. C.
SAWYER, W. K., Pastor, Mount Zion ..... Campobello, S. C.
SEARCY, D. D., Member, W. Hendersonville ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
SEIGLER, O. M., Pastor, Hendersonville First ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
SHARPE, CARL, Assistant Pastor, Bat Cave ..... Bat Cave, N. C.
SHUFORD, J. N., Pastor, Dana ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
SINCLAIR, W. F., Pastor, Mount Gilead ..... Fairview, N. C.
THOMPSON, T. E., Member, Hendersonville First ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
VAUGHAN, MANNING, Pastor, Mud Creek ..... Zirconia, N. C.
VAUSE, CHAS. B., Pastor, Bat Cave ..... Bat Cave, N. C.
WALL, J. O., Member, Bear Wallow ..... Gerton, N. C.
WILKIE, W. W., Member, Hoopers Creek ..... Fletcher, N. C.
WORLEY, WADE W., Pastor, Pleasant Hill ..... Greenville, S. C.
WRIGHT, PAUL, Pastor, Laurel Springs ..... Asheville, N. C.

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Name and Church	Address
CRAWFORD, FRANK, Mount Gilead	Arden, N. C.
CHAPMAN, HARRIS, (licensed) Pacolet	Lynn, N. C.
JONES, VIRGIL, Balfour	Balfour, N. C.
PACE, RICHARD, Mud Creek	Hendersonville, N. C.

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Name, Church and College	Address
CASE, RALPH E., Oak Grove, Southwestern Seminary, Fort Worth	E. Flat Rock, N. C.
DAVIS, WALTER, Shaws Creek, Gardner-Webb	Hendersonville, N. C.
FIELD, WM. A., Mills River, Wake Forest	Horse Shoe, N. C.

ASSISTANT PASTORS OR EDUCATIONAL DIRECTORS

Name, Work and Church	Address
DISCHNER, MRS. JAS., Financial Secretary, H'ville First	Hendersonville, N. C.
GARREN, ALLARD, Educational Director, H'ville First	Hendersonville, N. C.
MELTON, N. A., Asst. Pastor, E. Flat Rock	Columbus, N. C.
SHARPE, CARL M., Asst. Pastor, Bat Cave	Bat Cave, N. C.

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Name and Church	Address
GEORGE W. JUSTICE, Hendersonville First	Hendersonville, N. C.
DEMAS CHAPMAN, Tryon First	Tryon, N. C.

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Church and Name	Address
BALFOUR—E. A. Erwin	Hendersonville, N. C.
BARNWELL—Mrs. V. D. Jones	Balfour, N. C.
BEAR WALLOW—Foy J. Wall	Gerton, N. C.
BEULAH—P. L. Cantrell	Hendersonville, N. C.
CRAB CREEK—G. J. Patterson	Penrose, N. C.
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DANA—Mrs. L. V. Lyda	Rt. 1, Flat Rock, N. C.
EAST FLAT ROCK—D. G. Wilkie	Hendersonville, N. C.
EBENEZER—D. C. Orr	Hendersonville, N. C.
ETOWAH—Mrs. Annie Mae Parker	Etowah, N. C.
FLETCHER—C. R. Cunningham	Fletcher, N. C.
FRENCH BROAD—Marvin Freeman	Rt. 1, Horse Shoe, N. C.
FRUITLAND—Junius Huggins	Hendersonville, N. C.
GREEN RIVER—Mrs. Essie Levi Staton	Zirconia, N. C.
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HOOPERS CREEK—Vollie Suttles	Fletcher, N. C.
HORSE SHOE—Mrs. Gladys Amick	Hendersonville, N. C.
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MOUNTAIN PAGE—Levi C. Pace	Saluda, N. C.
MUD CREEK—Mrs. John Perry, Sr.	Hendersonville, N. C.
NAPLES—Elmo Orr	Mountain Home, N. C.
OAK GROVE—Newill Hill	Flat Rock, N. C.
PLEASANT GROVE—Coy Blythe	Etowah, N. C.
REFUGE—Carroll Pettitt	Hendersonville, N. C., Rt. 1
SALUDA—M. C. Staton	Saluda, N. C.
SHAWS CREEK—A. J. Nanney	Hendersonville, N. C.
TRYON FIRST—Mrs. Howard Frankerfield	Tryon, N. C.
TRYON SECOND—Herman Burns	Tryon, N. C.
VALLEY HILL—Jones Banning	Hendersonville, N. C., Rt. 3
WEST HENDERSONVILLE—J. B. Westall	Hendersonville, N. C.
BEREA—Newel Saltz	Hendersonville, N. C.

HISTORICAL TABLE
Carolina Baptist Association

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith	.....	.....	.....
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text Gen. 35:24
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Saluda	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Fruitland	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Beulah	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Conner	J. T. Freeman	Hoopers Creek	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Riverside	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Fruitland	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Mt. Gilead	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	E. H'ville	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	F. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthorne	Salem	K. W. Cawthorne
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mount Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	E. Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargent	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T .W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	E. Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Mrs. J. L. Redden	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Chas. Vause	H'ville First	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Fletcher and E. Flat Rock	W. W. Worley Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek and Refuge	O. M. Seigler B. G. Henry
1945	M. L. Walker	Mrs.E.M.Bostick	Horse Shoe and Balfour	J. N. Shuford L. A. Erwin
1946	M. L. Walker	Mrs.E.M.Bostick	Oak Grove	Wayne Peek

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE I—CHURCH MEMBERSHIP, ETC., CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR THE YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1946

CHURCHES	Location OC, V, T, C	Year Organized	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	Church Membership										Are Weekly Prayer Meetings Held?	Number of Revival Meetings Held	Spent on Building or Remodeling Last Year	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value of All Church Property	Total Debt on Church Property
				Gains				Losses			Total								
				Dates of Meeting	Baptisms	By Letter	Other Additions	By Letter	By Death	Other Losses	Present Resident Membership	Non-Resident Membership	Grand Total Present Membership						
1. Balfour	V	1908	Otto Parham, Balfour	1, 2, 3, 4	10	3	.....	7	3	2	.....	.....	386	Yes	2	$ 2,331.42	$ 6,000	$ 16,000.00	None
2. Barker Heights	V	1944	J. E. Osteen, Hendersonville	1, 3, 4	6	4	.....	9	1	.....	.....	.....	58	Yes	2	1,109.39	.....	4,000.00	None
3. Barnwell	OC	1884	Vergil Jones, Balfour	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	3	10	No	.....	15.00	.....	350.00	None
4. Bat Cave	V	1892	Charles B. Vause, Bat Cave	2, 4	.....	.....	.....	1	2	1	68	53	121	No	.....	3.35	.....	5,000.00	None
5. Bear Wallow	V	1868	David Huntley, Fairview	1, 3	.....	5	1	.....	1	.....	52	18	70	Yes	1	.....	.....	3,600.00	None
6. Berea	OC	1921	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1, 3	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	Yes	1	.....	.....	1,200.00	None
7. Beulah	OC	1910	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1, 3	5	1	.....	1	3	.....	278	.....	278	No	1	75.00	.....	3,000.00	None
8. Broad River	OC	1866	L. G. Redding, Old Fort	1, 3	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	49	37	86	Yes	1	.....	.....	2,000.00	None
9. Calvary	C	1937	Geo. T. Pennell, Hendersonville	Each S.	23	21	.....	11	1	.....	.....	.....	483	Yes	2	800.00	8,000	42,000.00	None
10. Cedar Springs	OC	1847	J. L. Hardaway, Greenville, S. C.	1, 3	.....	.....	.....	1	2	5	90	70	160	No	1	386.00	.....	1,800.00	None
11. Crab Creek	OC	1834	J. E. Osteen, Hendersonville	2, 4	4	1	.....	.....	3	.....	90	116	206	Yes	1	30.00	.....	1,800.00	None
12. Cross Roads	OC	1912	A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.	1, 3	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	112	No	1	.....	.....	2,000.00	None
13. Dana	OC	1936	J. N. Shuford, Hendersonville, Rt. 1	Each S.	6	1	.....	1	.....	.....	84	20	104	Yes	1	1,188.54	5,000	21,200.00	None
14. Double Springs	OC	1871	E. M. Chilton, Tigerville, S. C.	1, 3	.....	12	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	97	.....	1	.....	.....	10,000.00	None
15. East Flat Rock	T	1910	N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock	Each S.	14	14	.....	4	3	.....	151	100	251	Yes	1	11.70	.....	10,000.00	None
16. Ebenezer	OC	1817	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	2, 4	11	.....	.....	6	1	.....	.....	.....	318	Yes	.....	175.00	.....	10,000.00	None
17. Etowah	OC	1926	Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe, Rt. 1	2, 4	2	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	136	55	191	Yes	1	.....	.....	2,000.00	None
18. Fletcher	V	1838	M. L. Kirstein, Biltmore	Each S.	11	3	.....	13	1	.....	202	53	255	Yes	2	2,300.00	5,000	25,000.00	None
19. French Broad	OC	1792	C. M. Heyman, Jr., Hendersonville	Each S.	4	2	.....	.....	1	.....	30	53	83	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,500.00	None
20. Fruitland	OC	1875	N. A. Melton, Columbus	2, 4	8	9	.....	5	2	.....	.....	.....	272	No	1	5,839.05	.....	6,939.05	None
21. Green River	OC	1944	A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.	2, 3, 4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	96	.....	1	215.92	.....	1,500.00	None
22. Hendersonville First	C	1844	O. M. Seigler, Hendersonville	Each S.	32	83	4	50	10	.....	1046	532	1578	Yes	1	.....	10,000	80,000.00	None
23. Holly Springs	OC	1860	E. A. Kilstrom, Penrose	1, 3	.....	5	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	72	.....	.....	100.00	.....	1,200.00	None
24. Hoopers Creek	OC	1856	W. C. Huntley, Biltmore	Each S.	8	4	1	3	2	6	250	.....	250	Yes	1	.....	.....	6,000.00	None
25. Horse Shoe	OC	1888	Fred R. Poplin, East Flat Rock	Each S.	7	3	.....	4	.....	.....	123	.....	123	Yes	1	30.15	.....	2,500.00	None
26. Jones Gap	.....	1913	A. E. Edney	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
27. Laurel Springs	OC	.....	Paul Wright, Asheville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

28. Liberty	OC	1911		1, 2, 3, 4														1,000.00	None
29. Locust Grove	OC		Quay Corn, Hendersonville	2, 4				2	1		67		67		1			1,000.00	None
30. Middle Fork	OC	1925	J. W. Owenby, Flat Rock	2, 4					1				68	No				3,000.00	None
31. Mills River	OC	1835	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock	2, 4				1	1		73	50	123	No				2,000.00	None
32. Mount Gilead	OC	1883	W. F. Sinclair, Fairview	Each S.		1			1	2			216	Yes	2			5,000.00.	None
33. Mountain Home	OC	1892	S. H. Bradley, Tryon, R.t 1	1, 3	7	2		1			201	62	263	No	2	150.00		5,000.00	None
34. Mount Moriah	OC	1896	Loyd Holbert, East Flat Rock	Each S.	3	1		2	1				200	No	1	4,155.60		4,500.00	None
35. Mount Olivet																			
36. Mountain Page	OC	1789	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1, 3	3			3					258	Yes	1			3,000.00	None
37. Mountain Valley	OC	1931																	
38. Mount Zion	OC	1900	W. K. Sawyer, Campobello, S. C.										20					500.00	None
39. Mud Creek	OC	1804	Manning Vaughan, Zirconia	Each S.	6	7		10	3		406	74	480	Yes	1			5,000.00	None
40. Naples	V	1945	John T. Middleton, Fletcher	Each S.		6		10			68	10	78	Yes	1	592.08		6,000.00	None
41. Oak Grove	OC	1875	Finley M. Orr, Flat Rock	1, 3	4	4					148	50	198	No	1	345.14		2,000.00	None
42. Pacolet	V	1918	M. J. Ross, Tryon	Each S.	3	7							170	Yes	2	600.00		4,000.00	None
43. Pleasant Grove	OC	1912	Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe	1, 3	8	5		7	2				156					2,000.00	None
44. Pleasant Hill	OC	1890	Wade W. Worley, Greenville, S. C.	1, 3				2	2				90	No				3,000.00	None
45. Refuge	OC	1837	George Roberts, Hendersonville	Each S.	9	12		8	4				341	Yes	2			6,000.00	None
46. Saluda	T	1882	F. M. Huggins, Hendersonville	Each S.	6	10		4			144	37	181	Yes	1			2,000.00	None
47. Shaws Creek	OC	1881	T. G. Proctor, Jr., Hendersonville	Each S.	12	18			2		112	61	173	Yes	1	320.57		10,000.00	None
48. Tryon First	T	1891	B. G. Henry, Tryon	Each S.	2	15		6	2		211	20	281					30,000.00	None
49. Tryon Second	V	1924	A. J. Allman, Mill Spring	Each S.	2			4			52		52	Yes	2		3,000	6,000.00	None
50. Tuxedo	V	1910	Wayne Peek, Tuxedo	Each S.	13	10	1	19	2	21			355	Yes	1			10,000.00	None
51. Valley Hill	OC	1908	J. W. McGuire, Brevard	Each S.	4	5		11	3		240		240	Yes	1	1,500.00		4,000.00	None
52. West Hendersonville	C	1934	H. H. Mace, Hendersonville	Each S.		11	7	1	1	4	141	15	156	Yes	2	1,223.15		3,500.00	None
53. Zion Hill	V	1914	Malcolm Ross, Tryon	2, 3, 4	11	6		5			90	81	171		1	126.72		4,500.00	None
GRAND TOTALS					245	292	14	222	66	41	4609	1570	10032		47	$23,623.78	$37,000	$387,589.05	None

TABLE II—SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1946

CHURCHES	SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	Cradle Roll 3 Years and Under	Beginners 4-5	Primaries 6-8	Juniors 9-12	Intermediates 13-16	Young People 17-24	Adults 25 Years and Up	Extension Department	General and Departmental Officers	Enrollment of Mission Sunday School	Total Enrolment—Main School and Mission	Average Attendance	Does Church have 16mm Projector?	Did You Have a Vacation Bible School?	What was the Enrolment?	What was the Average Attendance?
1. Balfour	Harvey H. Erwin, Balfour		25	15	52	40	30	90	10	4		266	193	No	Yes	62	54
2. Barker Heights	Frank Kelly, Hendersonville											88	50		No		
3. Barnwell	Roy Huggins, Hendersonville				12			10	1	1		24	12		Yes	18	17
4. Bat Cave	W. H. Garvin, Bat Cave		21		8	11		41				81	40		Yes	45	41.5
5. Bear Wallow	J. B. Wall, Gerton			7			13	19				39	28	No	No		
6. Berea	Dewey Davis, Hendersonville		6		8	10		10	2			36	25				
7. Beulah	J. P. Huggins, Hendersonville		15		18	20	35	24				112	60				
8. Broad River																	
9. Calvary	M. M. Hoots, Hendersonville	30	21	20	31	42	57	103				304	144	No	No		
10. Cedar Springs	Lewis Levi, Zirconia	15	15		23		40	35				128	40				
11. Crab Creek	Hubert McCarson, Hendersonville		11		15		8	15				49	30		No		
12. Cross Roads	G. B. Corn, Zirconia		10	9	8	10	14	14				65	45	No	No		
13. Dana	W. E. Lowe, Flat Rock, Rt. 1		7	5	11	9	20	23		4		79	50				
14. Double Springs	T. R. Thomas, Zirconia		5	5	10		6	16				42	30		No		
15. East Flat Rock	M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	15	26	29	59	21	93	57	20			320	142	No	No		
16. Ebenezer	E. L. Levi, Hendersonville											195	135				
17. Etowah	R. N. Sentelle, Etowah		23	20	11	9	35	58		3		159	65				
18. Fletcher	T. H. Riddle, Fletcher	None	20	17	30	28	38	35		3		171	100	No	Yes	75	64
19. French Broad	Walter H. Hooper, Brevard		20	15	10	8	15	10				78	70				
20. Fruitland	Howard Pryor, Hendersonville		10	13	16	19	9	53	10			130	70	No	Yes	72	66
21. Green River	Clyde R. Morgan, Zirconia	6		13	13	4	32	6				74	40				
22. Hendersonville First	C. F. Jervis, Hendersonville	111	52	67	126	128	88	308	99	7		986	432	No	Yes	192	145
23. Holly Springs	Odell McKinney, Penrose																
24. Hoopers Creek	W. S. Riddle, Fletcher		44		46	18	52	67				227	160	No	No		
25. Horse Shoe	Carson Lewis, Horse Shoe		12		13	22	32	11		5		95	45				
26. Jones Gap																	
27. Laurel Springs																	

28. Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville															Yes	10	9
29. Locust Grove	Lee Corn, Balfour		10			15	15	10				50	35					
30. Middle Fork	R. C. Messee, Bear Wallow		5		8	9	6	10				38	28					
31. Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe		12	8	15	15		20				70	40	No	No			
32. Mount Gilead	J. N. Suttles, Arden		16	18	20	17	27	38		3		139	85					
33. Mountain Home	Sidney Justus, Edneyville		22	15	18	25	22	24		2		128	85	No	No			
34. Mount Moriah	Clannie Laughter, Edneyville		12	20	20	15	15	50				132	85		No			
35. Mount Olivet																		
36. Mountain Page	O. B. Metcalf, Saluda											125	61	No	No			
37. Mountain Valley																		
38. Mount Zion																		
39. Mud Creek	Arthur Freeman, Hendersonville	25	28	19	27	24	53	26		2		204	83	No	Yes	48	38	
40. Naples	John Fowler, Arden	12	20	15	23	20	10	40				140	100	No	Yes	70	70	
41. Oak Grove	Newill Hill, East Flat Rock	6		12	35		25	30		6		114	50	No	No			
42. Pacolet	Edward Covil, Lynn	14		12	15	10	8	25				84	69					
43. Pleasant Grove	J. H. Drake, Hendersonville		10		11	9	13	7				50	40					
44. Pleasant Hill	Mary Freeman, Hendersonville	10	12	8	14	10	13	8				75	50	No	No			
45. Refuge	W. J. Ballard, Flat Rock	8	18	13	37	24	78	68		2		250	123	No	No			
46. Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda	11	8	12	13	17	8	19	38			126	39	No	No			
47. Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville	7	13	15	12	22	50	41				160	100	No	Yes	59	53	
48. Tryon First	W. L. Wilson, Tryon	28	12	30	28	28	14	48	35	3		226	108	No	No			
49. Tryon Second	C. T. Whitmire, Tryon		12	8	12	5	8	15		2		62	50	No	No			
50. Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo		30	14	42	40	60	70	3	4		263	161	No	Yes	81	55	
51. Valley Hill	Robert Heffner, Hendersonville		22	16	28	22	20	12		5		125	90		Yes	52	50	
52. West Hendersonville	John Rollins, Hendersonville		20	16	24	16	20	40				136	60	No	No			
53. Zion Hill	Charlie Gordon, Zirconia	5	8	8	10	10	35	40		2		118	72					
GRAND TOTALS		303	633	494	932	752	1117	1646	218	58		6563	3620			784	1036	

TABLE III—BAPTIST TRAINING UNION OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1946

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Adult Unions	Young People's Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Total Unions and Story Hours	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	Total Number General and Departmental Officers	Total Enrolment	Average Attendance Per Sunday	Was Youth Week Observed?	Was Christian Home Week Observed
1. Balfour	Woodrow L. Maxwell, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	8	12	10	7	3	52	40	No	No
2. Barker Heights	H. F. Cantrell, Hendersonville	....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	8	No	No
3. Beulah	.....	....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	32	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	.....	.....	.....
4. Dana	A. J. Nielsen, Jr., Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	15	12	6	5	6	8	52	.....	.....	.....
5. East Flat Rock	E. L. Porter, East Flat Rock	1	.....	1	1	1	4	18	.....	8	16	8	5	55	42	No	No
6. Hendersonville First	Audrey Saunders, Hendersonville	2	2	3	3	1	11	29	34	45	33	16	5	162	93	Yes	No
7. Mills River	Robert Bryson, Horse Shoe	1	.....	.....	1	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	No	No
8. Mount Gilead	Mrs. Belle Creasman, Arden	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	20	.....	.....
9. Mud Creek	Mrs. Donies R. Justus, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	7	7	12	15	5	.....	46	31	No	No
10. Naples	L. L. Moore, Mountain Home	1	1	.....	1	1	4	20	30	.....	8	6	.....	64	50	No	No
11. Refuge	Grady Walker, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	18	20	14	7	4	2	65	44	No	No
12. Saluda	Clyde Whitlock, Hendersonville	1	.....	1	1	.....	3	14	.....	16	6	.....	2	38	29	No	No
13. Shaws Creek	Lee Wright, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	18	15	10	12	5	.....	60	32	.....	.....
14. Tryon First	Fred Powell, Tryon	...	1	.....	1	.....	2	.....	35	.....	15	.....	2	52	40	No	No
15. Tuxedo	Robert Erwin, Tuxedo	1	1	1	2	1	6	12	16	6	23	5	5	68	50	No	No
16. Valley Hill	Mrs. Clinton Smith, Hendersonville	.....	1	1	1	.....	3	.....	16	15	14	.....	.....	45	30	.....	.....
17. West Hendersonville	Harvey Laughter, Hendersonville	1	.....	.....	1	1	3	22	.....	.....	12	10	.....	44	25	No	No
18. Calvary	Miss Jessie Shipman, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	52	No	No
TOTALS	.....	15	14	13	18	11	71	185	244	144	176	72	32	1014	586	.....	.....

TABLE IV—W. M. U. ORGANIZATIONS AND GIFTS OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	Number of Woman's Missionary Societies	Number of Y. W. A.'s	Number of G. A.'s	Number of R. A.'s	Number of Sunbeams	Total W. M. U. Organizations	W. M. S. Members	Y. W. A. Members	G. A. Members	R. A. Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled in Mission Study Courses	Contributions (Local Work) Given by W. M. U.	Contributions (Missions) Given by W. M. U.
1. Bat Cave	Mrs. Thos. Mann, Bat Cave	1					1	7					7		$ 8.21	$ 86.06
2. Dana	Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Flat Rock, Rt. 1	1	1	2	2	1	7	21	7	7	7	7	49	19	82.50	308.18
3. East Flat Rock	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, E. Flat Rock	1		2	1	1	5	14		30	8	8	60	53		508.38
4. Etowah	Mrs. Chas. W. Sumner, Etowah	1					1	14					14		60.47	294.86
5. Fletcher	Mrs. N. B. Baldwin, Fletcher	1					1	8					8		1.50	13.00
6. Fruitland	Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, Hendersonville	1		1			2	25		10			35			187.78
7. Hendersonville First	Mrs. E. M. Bostick, Hendersonville	1	2	2		1	6	161	21	24		80	286	64	242.46	3,483.60
8. Mud Creek	Mrs. Helen Thompson, Hendersonville	1					1	12					12			206.06
9. Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lois Wilson, Hendersonville	1					1	14					14		64.00	15.00
10. Refuge	Mrs. Willis Allen, Hendersonville	1	2	1	1		5	18	25	8	15		66		1,000.00	495.75
11. Saluda	Mrs. Dan Pace, Saluda	1		1			2	9		6			15		13.00	158.00
12. Shaws Creek	Mrs. M. K. Garren, Hendersonville	1		1	1	1	4	15		12	18	8	53		42.84	252.33
13. Tryon First	Mrs. W. R. Hoots, Tryon	2	1	2	1	1	7	43	11	15	8	23	100	40	325.64	137.77
14. Tuxedo	Mrs. W. E. Crawford, Tuxedo	1	1	1		1	4	16	7	8		16	47	23	50.50	50.00
15. Calvary	Mrs. Jess Brooks, Horse Shoe												30			
TOTALS		15	7	13	6	6	47	377	71	120	56	142	796	199	$1,891.12	$6,196.77

TABLE V—MEN'S BROTHERHOODS OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

CHURCHES	DIRECTORS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	Does Church Have a Brotherhood Organization?	Present Enrolment	How Many Brotherhood Meetings Were Held Last Year?	Amount Pledged to Co-operative Program or United Budget Coming Year	Amount Pledged to Associational Missions Coming Year	Number of Tithers in Church	Number Members Subscribing to Every Member Canvas	Total All Building and Reserve Funds on Hand at End of Year	Is State Paper in Church Budget?	Does Church Have Library
1. Balfour		No			$	$ 50.00	20		$	No	No
2. Barker Heights		No							235.70		No
3. Bat Cave		No			75.00				750.00	No	No
4. Barnwell		No									
5. Bear Wallow		No			35.00		4		178.40	No	No
6. Berea		No							268.00		No
7. Beulah		No							102.46		No
8. Broad River		No							115.00		
9. Calvary							41		800.00	No	Yes
10. Cedar Springs		No									No
11. Crab Creek		No							69.80		No
12. Cross Roads		No							128.22		
13. Dana		No			400.00	25.00				No	No
14. Double Springs		No							376.00		
15. East Flat Rock		No				66.00	30		16,849.00	No	Yes
16. Ebenezer		No									
17. Etowah		No				25.00	5		1,514.74		
18. Fletcher		No			100.00	60.00	35				
19. French Broad		No									
20. Fruitland		No							1,400.00	No	No
21. Green River		No					4				No
22. Hendersonville First	George W. Justice, Hendersonville	Yes	125	12	8,100.00	200.00	244	373	75,000.00	No	Yes
23. Holly Springs											
24. Hoopers Creek		No									
25. Horse Shoe		No					5		1,240.29	Yes	No
26. Jones Gap											
27. Laurel Springs											
28. Liberty											

29. Locust Grove		No										
30. Middle Fork		No										
31. Mills River		No			100.00	15.00					No	Yes
32. Mount Gilead		No										
33. Mountain Home		No									No	No
34. Mount Moriah		No								1,614.95	No	No
35. Mount Olivet												
36. Mountain Page		No									No	No
37. Mountain Valley												
38. Mount Zion		No										
39. Mud Creek		No					25			362.86		Yes
40. Naples		No				20.00				43.35		No
41. Oak Grove		No					8			228.31	No	No
42. Pacolet		No								75.00	No	No
43. Pleasant Grove		No										
44. Pleasant Hill		No										
45. Refuge		No				25.00	22			2,697.12	No	No
46. Saluda		No					9			2,149.10	No	No
47. Shaws Creek		No					24			600.00	Yes	Yes
48. Tryon First	Demas Chapman, Tryon	Yes	30	12		50.00	15	150		963.19	No	No
49. Tryon Second		No					4					No
50. Tuxedo		No			312.00	100.00	12	35		2,529.01	No	Yes
51. Valley Hill		No					20			1,100.00		
52. West Hendersonville		No					35			1,029.53	No	No
53. Zion Hill		No										
TOTALS			155	24	$9,122.00	$636.06	562	558		$112,419.08		

TABLE VI—GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1946

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Pastor's Salary Paid for Year	Incidentals—Janitor, Fuel, Water, Repairs, Insur., etc.	Assistant Pastor, Educational Director, Choir Leader, etc.	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Paid on Church Debt Out of Current Funds	Literature—Quarterlies, Church Paper, Song Books, etc.	Help for Local Poor	Minutes and Clerk of Association	Building Fund (Amount given last year)	Other Objects	Total Given for Local Church Work
1. Balfour	Dan R. Lyda, Hendersonville, Rt. 2	$2,390.00	$ 439.22	$	$ 138.65	$	212.68	240.00	6.00	2,331.42	61.24	5,819.21
2. Barker Heights	Miss Edna Hyder, H'ville, Rt. 5	560.60	68.93	.....	6.00	1,109.39	77.89	14.00	2.00	41.70	18.90	1,899.41
3. Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, Edneyville, Rt. 1	70.21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.25	.....	5.00	76.46
4. Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	705.30	394.15	50.00	.....	.....	23.35	75.00	5.00	.....	50.00	1,302.80
5. BearWallow	Miss Ruth Merrell, Gerton	203.35	68.02	.....	25.50	.....	37.04	100.00	2.00	.....	35.50	471.41
6. Berea	Joseph More, Hendersonville	81.20	15.60	.....	.....	.....	14.40	8.50	.....	.....	.....	119.70
7. Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, Hendersonville	444.44	70.71	.....	37.44	.....	45.32	.....	2.00	.....	15.00	614.91
8. Broad River	Ben Owenby, Black Mountain	221.49	.....	.....	58.07	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	279.55
9. Calvary	M. M. Hoots, Hendersonville	2,600.00	400.00	.....	700.00	500.00	150.00	175.00	.....	800.00	1,500|00	6,725.00
10. Cedar Springs	T. J. Ward, Zirconia	206.94	2.00	.....	.....	.....	34.34	.....	5.00	386.83	.....	635.11
11. Crab Creek	J. P. Griffin, Hendersonville	191.67	5.00	.....	18.24	.....	27.50	.....	5.00	.....	.....	247.41
12. Cross Roads	M. L. Jones, Zirconia	353.41	.....	.....	66.45	.....	58.67	39.00	3.00	.....	97.14	617.67
13. Dana	George J. Hlil, Hendersonville	1,455.00	1,528.99	148.38	.....	.....	105.10	.....	5.00	.....	.....	3,242.47
14. Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia	175.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.00	200.00
15. East Flat Rock	Hugh D. Morrison, Hendersonville	1,200.00	234.24	110.00	125.00	.....	425.43	23.00	10.00	7,808.00	197.50	10,133.17
16. Ebenezer	G. P. Searcy, Hendersonville	484.12	135.00	.....	.....	.....	100.00	168.40	.....	.....	22.00	909.52
17. Etowah	Felix Weese, Etowah	633.16	183.21	.....	86.76	.....	50.37	.....	5.00	392.25	189.47	1,540.22
18. Fletcher	Mrs. Ruby Garren, Fletcher	1,820.00	299.63	.....	133.17	.....	144.67	12.50	10.00	2,300.00	22.11	4,742.08
19. French Broad	Mrs. Tommie Justus, Hendersonville	580.00	40.00	.....	.....	.....	57.50	25.00	1.50	1,023.08	166.24	1,893.32
20. Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Hendersonville	500.00	74.30	.....	163.00	.....	81.40	25.00	5.00	2,000.00	.....	2,848.70
21. Green River	Mrs. U. S. Staton, Zirconia	292.79	.....	.....	57.75	.....	36.00	.....	3.00	.....	37.00	426.54
22. Hendersonville First	B. B. Massagee, Hendersonville	4,500.00	2,198.44	4,251.20	273.68	.....	865.80	327.23	15.00	38,496.75	3,572.30	54,500.40
23. Holly Springs	Odell McKenney, Penrose	200.00	120.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	320.00
24. Hoopers Creek	Brownlow Garren, Fletcher	1,885.20	230.00	.....	417.00	.....	101.16	590.12	.....	1,662.00	.....	4,885.48
25. Horse Shoe	Mrs. Gladys Amick, Hendersonville	570.25	76.09	.....	.....	30.15	42.80	80.00	5.00	.....	.....	804.29
26. Jones Gap	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
27. Laurel Springs	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

28. Liberty													
29. Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hendersonville	200.00			15.00		28.00	15.00	2.00		13.00	273.00
30. Middle Fork	Mrs. Luther Hill, Bear Wallow	240.00	12.00				20.00		2.00	120.25	200.00	594.25
31. Mills River	Chas. Sitton, Horse Shoe	381.30					49.41	12.25	5.00		73.85	521.81
32. Mount Gilead	Posey Glenn, Arden	1,126.44	88.78		220.20		78.00		5.00	425.65	90.71	2,034.78
33. Mountain Home	Willie Williams, Edneyville	429.12	26.64		95.00			20.00	1.00	1,100.00		1,671.76
34. Mount Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville	744.32	54.68		68.83		49.32	12.00	5.50	5,770.55		6,705.20
35. Mount Olivet												
36. Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda	411.12	59.58				48.17	55.19	4.00			578.06
37. Mountain Valley												
38. Mount Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville	87.92									20.08	108.00
39. Mud Creek	Mrs. Lula Kent, Hendersonville	867.33	228.09		127.41	272.55	129.86		10.00	635.41	255.50	2,526.15
40. Naples	Mrs. Alice Trantham, Naples	526.70	157.48		36.86		88.11	259.93	5.00	592.08	27.68	1,693.84
41. Oak Grove	Lewis Roper, East Flat Rock	250.00	142.55		45.00		26.02	105.00	10.00	345.14		923.71
42. Pacolet	Jenny Ballard, Lynn	816.00	217.40		66.00		55.42	10.00	5.00	600.00	220.87	1,990.69
43. Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah	320.48	93.22				41.00	181.50	2.00		25.00	663.20
44. Pleasant Hill												
45. Refuge	Carroll Pettitt, Hendersonville	2,359.36	445.57		264.59		170.60		7.50	2,451.12	197.52	5,896.26
46. Saluda	R. L. Savage, Saluda	900.00	88.98		195.00		66.66		5.00	2,149.10	148.89	3,553.63
47. Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville	2,072.54	234.79		38.96		215.81		10.00	320.57	40.70	2,933.37
48. Tryon First	R. E. Brantley, Tryon	2,820.00	1,107.65	472.00	30.00	375.00	299.07		15.00		3,394.59	8,513.31
49. Tryon Second	W. T. Cantrell, Tryon	720.00	145.00		254.00		50.00	60.00	6.00		170.00	1,405.00
50. Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	2,295.00	560.88		148.02		287.76	334.22	10.00		142.80	3,778.68
51. Valley Hill	Henry S. Brookshire, Jr., H'ville	1,200.00	243.12				143.76		10.00		150.00	1,746.88
52. West Hendersonville	Miss Othella Westall, H'ville	813.94	229.62		86.78	1,223.15	77.23	14.38	2.00	945.75	33.00	3,425.85
53. Zion Hill	Mrs. Nora Anders, Zirconia	600.00	45.14	53.28	98.06	1,525.44	81.68	35.00	5.00			2,443.60
TOTALS		42,405.70	10,719.56	5,084.86	4,096.42	5,035.68	4,697.30	3,017.22	217.75	72,697.55	11,218.59	159,235.87

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE VII—GIFTS FOR MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC., OF CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1946

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Gifts to Co-operative Program or Unified Budget	Designated to Associational Missions	Designated to State Missions	Designated to Home Missions	Designated to Foreign Missions	Designated to Schools, Colleges, and Seminaries	Orphanages (Cash and Conservative Estimated Value of Merchandise, Clothing, etc.)	Designated to Hospitals	Designated to Red Cross and Foreign Relief	Relief and Annuity, Other Objects	Total for All Missions	Grand Total of All Contributions for All Purposes
1. Balfour	Lem R. Brown, Hendersonville	$	$50.00	$25.00	$	$	$	$ 153.00	$ 60.00	90.00	$	$ 383.00	$ 6,202.21
2. Barker Heights	Mrs. Quay Nelson, Hendersonville				18.00			60.00	19.00			97.00	1,996.41
9. Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, Edneyville	7.00								19.57		26.57	103.03
4. Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	117.50			85.67			195.52	58.06	31.43		488.18	1,790.98
5. Bear Wallow	Mrs. Modeen Bradley, Gerton	25.18			10.72			24.78	10.00	25.00	5.55	101.23	572.64
6. Berea	Mary Beddingfield,												119.70
7. Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, Hendersonville	88.86						88.86	33.60		19.00	230.32	845.23
8. Broad River	Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mountain	10.00	11.00		11.45							32.45	312.01
9. Calvary	Miss Ethel MacMurray, Hendersonville												6,725.00
10. Cedar Springs	W. P. Bane, Zirconia	17.00						36.32	54.00			107.32	742.43
11. Crab Creek	G. J. Patterson, Penrose							55.32	19.40			74.72	322.13
12. Cross Roads	Sue Jones, Zirconia							12.00	7.88			19.88	637.55
13. Dana	X. Ray, Flat Rock	614.72	25.00	159.71	118.25			108.43	17.34	48.25		1,091.70	4,334.17
14. Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia												200.00
15. East Flat Rock	John A. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	163.89	66.00	84.05	174.36	448.38	48.50	1,237.54	148.00	10.00	52.80	2,433.52	12,566.69
16. Ebenezer	B. C. Marlowe, Hendersonville					22.00	48.00	120.00	100.00			290.00	1,199.52
17. Etowah	Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Hendersonville		25.00		65.26	92.26		366.77		47.31		596.60	2,136.82
18. Fletcher	Mrs. C. F. Dockings, Fletcher	83.49	50.00					148.59	37.18			319.26	5,061.34
19. French Broad	Mrs. Annette B. Egerton, H'ville		25.00									25.00	1,918.32
20. Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, Hendersonville	41.03	25.00	75.00	45.00	103.00		302.68	72.48	176.03	8.00	848.22	3,696.92
21. Green River	Mrs. U. S. Staton, Zirconia								8.35			8.35	434.89
22. Hendersonville First	A. R. Karling, Hendersonville	7,424.00	100.00	108.00	150.00	252.00	85.00	735.11	175.00	121.03	601.72	9,752.81	64,253.21
23. Holly Springs	I. S. Kilpatrick, Penrose												320.00
24. Hoopers Creek	Cecil A. Worsham, Fletcher							89.02	44.50			133.52	5,019.00

25. Horse Shoe	Mrs. H. P. Hauk, Horse Shoe				21.52			113.12	40.52			175.16	979.45
26. Jones Gap													
27. Laurel Springs													
28. Liberty													
29. Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hendersonville												273.00
30. Middle Fork	Luther Hill, Bear Wallow							21.76	31.00			52.76	647.01
31. Mills River	G. C. Field, Horse Shoe	153.82		23.67				173.44	53.10			404.03	925.84
32. Mount Gilead	C. C. Ballard, Fletcher			4.10				45.00	25.00	34.28		108.38	2,143.16
33. Mountain Home	Willie Williams, Edneyville								21.00			21.00	1,692.76
34. Mount Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville				25.63			9.01	4.91			39.55	6,744.75
35. Mount Olivet													
26. Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda			3.62				45.74	26.82		10.05	86.23	664.29
27. Mountain Valley													
38. Mount Zion	J. E. Cox, Hendersonville							8.60				8.60	116.60
39. Mud Creek	John Anders, Hendersonville	334.93	55.68	32.50	7.00	58.95		200.90	124.81	42.80		857.57	3,383.72
40. Naples	L. L. Moore, Mountain Home		11.00	26.00				26.28				63.28	1,757.12
41. Oak Grove	R. M. Kuykendall, Flat Rock		10.00					96.51			35.00	141.51	1,065.22
42. Pacolet	Mrs. Jessie Foster, Lynn	25.00		40.80		3.10		30.00	40.00			138.90	2,129.59
43. Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lathe Williams, Hendersonville							76.08	34.20			110.28	773.48
44. Pleasant Hill	Miss Ethel Fisher, Hendersonville			10.00					19.00		10.00	39.00	39.00
45. Refuge	Mrs. M. M. Marshall, Hendersonville	411.30	25.00	45.00		26.00	50.00	256.20	93.00	25.00	60.00	991.50	6,887.76
46. Saluda	E. B. Hall, Saluda	150.00	45.00	53.00		60.00		133.13	31.00	105.00		577.13	4,130.76
47. Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville	209.49			42.84	103.47			21.00			376.80	3,310.17
48. Tryon First	Miss Iris Jackson, Tryon	550.05	50.00	31.70				60.00	45.79	81.00		817.84	9,331.15
49. Tryon Second	Gertrude Howard, Tryon							48.00	16.34			64.34	1,469.34
50. Tuxedo	S. W. Bayne, Tuxedo	333.00	50.00	19.00		12.01		160.70	29.75	48.00		652.46	4,431.14
51. Valley Hill	Clinton S. Smith, Hendersonville			67.43	96.80			90.00	34.36			288.59	2,035.47
52. West Hendersonville	Mrs. Walter Allison, Hendersonville	166.36		13.78				225.36	40.00			445.50	3,871.35
53. Zion Hill	Charlie Gordon, Zirconia							22.80	5.50		292.47	320.77	2,764.37
TOTALS		10,926.62	623.68	822.36	872.50	1,181.17	231.50	5,581.57	1,601.89	904.70	1,094.59	23,840.83	182,011.05

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MINISTERS CONFERENCE

The Baptist ministers conference meets every Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the First Baptist church of Hendersonville, J. N. Shuford, president; Virgil D. Jones, secretary.

CAROLINA MEMBERS OF STATE BOARD

O. M. Seigler is a member of the General Board of the North Carolina State Convention, B. G. Henry is director of the Fruitland Baptist Assembly and J. C. Canipe is Superintendent of Evangelism for North Carolina and Director of the Preachers School at Fruitland.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

The Fruitland Baptist Assembly is located in the Carolina Association, six miles east of Hendersonville. During the fall and winter the North Carolina preachers school is held there under the direction of J. C. Canipe.

ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

F. M. HUGGINS, Moderator ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
OTTO PARHAM, Vce-Moderator ..... Balfour, N. C.
E. V. PLEMMONS, Clerk ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
M. K. SINCLAIR, Treasurer ..... East Flat Rock, N. C.
NOAH HOLLOWELL, Historian ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
W. H. DAVIS, Assistant Historian ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
M. L. WALKER, Recorder Representative ..... Hendersonville. N. C.
E. V. PLEMMONS, Associational Missionary ..... Route 5, Hendersonville, N. C.

STANDING COMMITTEES

State Missions ..... T. G. Proctor, Hendersonville, N. C.
Home Missions ..... Jim Anderson, Etowah, N. C.
Foreign Missions ..... Claude Scarborough, Tryon, N. C.
Minister's Retirement ..... A. J. Neilson, Hendersonville, N. C.
Orphanage ..... John Middleton, Fletcher, N. C.
Baptist Training Union ..... Oscar J. Smith, Hendersonville, N. C.
Sunday School ..... Roy Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.
Christian Education ..... Junius Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.
Temperance & Public Morals ..... M. L. Walker, Hendersonville, N. C.
Periodicals ..... Wade Sinclair, Arden, N. C.
Hospital ..... William Huntley, Fletcher, N. C.
Promotion ..... Fred R. Poplin, Flat Rock, N. C.
Obituaries ..... Wayne Peek, Tuxedo, N. C.
Women's Missionary Union ..... Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Hendersonville, N. C.
Historian ..... Noah Holloweli, Hendersonville, N. C.
Assistant, W. H. Davis, Hendersonville, N. C.
Layman's Work ..... Fred Jervis, Hendersonville, N. C.
Program Committee ..... O .M. Seiglar, Hendersonville, N. C.
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock, N. C.
Erskine V. Plemmons, Hendersonville, N. C.
Missions Committee ..... J. N. Shufford, Hendersonville, N. C.
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Wayne Peek, Tuxedo, N. C.
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OFFICERS OF THE WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION
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Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Superintendent ..... East Flat Rock, N. C.
Mrs. O. J. Smith, Associate Supt. ..... Hendersonville, N. C
Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Young People's Leader ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Miss Becky Nell Stewart, Assoc. Young People's Leader .. Hendersonville, N. C.
Miss Fred Bowman, Secretary and Treasurer ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Mrs. E. L. Marshal, Chairman Community Missions ..... Hendersonville, N.C.
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Mrs. H. L. F. Drake Chm. Mission Study ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Mrs. E. V. Plemmons, Chm. Margaret Fund and
Training School ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Mrs. O. J. Smith, Reporter ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
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Mrs. O. M. Seigler, Pianist ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Mrs. M. L. Walker, Y.W.A. Leader ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Rev. T. G. Proctor, Royal Ambassador Leader ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Mrs. J. R. Stewart, G. A. Leader ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Mrs. B. G. Henry, Sunbeam Leader ..... Hendersonville, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Missionary, E. V. Plemmons ..... Hendersonville, N. C., Route 5
Superintendent, Roy Huggins ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Asso. Supt. in charge of Training, W. B. Sinclair ..... Hendersonvile, N. C.
Asso. Supt. in charge of Evangelism, Ralph Banning ..... Etowah, N. C.
Sec. & Treas., Miss Rachael Kuykendoll ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist, Miss Lois Parker ..... Etowah, N. C.
Chorister, Mrs. Annie Mae Parker ..... Etowah, N. C.

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Mr. L. L. Moore ..... Naples, N. C.
Mr. Clarence Redden ..... Hendersonville, N. C., Route 3
Mr. William Bradley ..... Tuxedo, N. C.
Mr. A. W. Aiken ..... Tryon, N. C.
Mr. Russell Hazeltine ..... Hendersonville, N. C.

DEPARTMENT LEADERS

Cradle Roll and Nursery, Mrs. A. R. Karling ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Beginners, Mrs. Junius Huggins, ... Hendersonville, Route 1
Primary, Mrs. John Perry ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Junior, Mrs. E. L. Porter ..... East Flat Rock, N. C.
Intermediate, Miss Izora Reese ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Young People, Mrs. Dan Lyda ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Adult, Mrs. J. R. Nevelle, ... Hendersonville, N. C.
Extension, A. J. Neilson ..... Hendersonville, N. C., Route 5
Vacation Bible School, Mrs. Donnis Justice ..... Hendersonville, N. C.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The executive committee of the Carolina Association shall consist of the elected officers of the Association as exofficio members, all the pastors of the churches and one layman duly elected by each church.

BAPTIST TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

Director D. J. Smith ..... Route 4, Hendersonville, N. C.
Associate Director, D. G. Wilkie ..... c-o Court House, Hendersonville, N. C.
Sec. & Treas., Louise Cagle ..... 114 S. Main St., Hendersonville, N. C.
Chorister, Junius Huggins ..... Route 1, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist, Mrs. J. N. Shufford ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Pastor-Adviser, Fred Poplin ..... Flat Rock, N. C.

DEPARTMENT LEADERS

Adult, Marshall Watterson ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Young People, Frank Neville ..... Willow St., Hendersonville, N. C.
Intermediate, Mrs. L. V. Lyda .. c-o Deluxe Beauty Shop, Hendersonville, N. C.
Junior, Mrs. Virgil Jones ..... Balfour, N. C.
Story Hour, Mrs. E. V. Plemmons ..... Route 5, Hendersonville, N. C.

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Group 1—Fred Pressley ..... Route 1, Hendersonville, N. C.
Group 2—Mrs. Annie Mae Parker ..... Etowah, N. C.
Group 3—Arthur Freeman ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Group 4—Mrs. Harvey Lindsey ..... Tuxedo, N. C.
Group 5—Mrs. F. M. Huggins ..... Whitted St., Hendersonville, N. C.
Group 6—Blanche Searcey ..... Route 1, Hendersonville, N. C.

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BARKER HEIGHTS—Mr. W. R. Hamilton, Mr. R. B. Ball, Mrs. R. B. Ball Mrs. Lottie Hyder, Mr. W. W. Sherman.

BARNWELL—Rev. and Mrs. Virgil D. Jones, Edgar B. Barnwell, Mrs. Edgar B. Barnwell, E. B. Barnwell, Jr., Clarence Barnwell.

BAT CAVE—T. L. Mann, Mrs. Carrie Cannon, G. V. Freeman.

BEAR WALLOW—Mr. Hal Oates, Mr. Bob Merrill, Rev. J. O. Wall.

BEREA—Miss Vera Capps, Miss Ethel Gibbs.

BEULAH—T. A. Drake, P. L. Cantrell, C. V. Redden, Mrs. J. W. Cantrell, Mrs. P. L. Cantrell.

BROAD RIVER—Luther Ledbetter Truby Ledbetter, Ethel Owenby, Lillian Ledbetter, Michael Ledbetter.

CALVARY—

CEDAR SPRINGS—Rev. Z. V. Brookshire, Lewis Levi, W. B. Bane.

CRAB CREEK—Robert Hurt, Roland Bell, Francis Griffin, A. L. McDowell, Seldon Osteen.

CROSS ROADS—Mr. George Layne, Mr. G. B. Corne, Grover Burrell, M. L. Jones.

DANA—Herbert Pace, W. K. Hyder, Mrs. Lee Hill.

DOUBLE SPRINGS—W. T. Shipman, W. J. Scott, Elbert Peace, Mrs. Elbert Peace, Mrs. E. M. Chilton.

EAST FLAT ROCK—D. G. Wilkie, Mrs. D. G. Wilkie, Mrs. Nora Nanney, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Glazner, Mr. J. D. Thompson.

EBENEZER—Floyd Lindsey, Mrs. L. K. Holbert, Mrs. Sarah Capell.

ETOWAH—George Weese, Mrs. Annie Mae Parker Mrs. Dewey Hawkins, Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Miss Lois Parker, Mrs. Robert McCall, Mrs. Edgerton Fletcher.

FLETCHER—Mr. N. B. Baldwin, Mrs. N. B. Baldwin Homer Kirkpatrick, Louise Moore, Mrs. Abner Garren, Mrs. W. E. Baldwin.

FRENCH BROAD—Mr. Walter Constant, Mrs. Nell Hooper, Mrs. Olga Hooper.

FRIENDSHIP—

FRUITLAND—Howard Pryor, Jay Pryor, Bert Jackson, Jack Whitaker Mrs. Elva Drake and Mrs. G. L. Sinclair.

GREEN RIVER—D. L. Beddingfield, Dwight Morgan, R. H. Levi, U. S. Stanton.

HENDERSONVILLE FIRST—H. Y. Duffy, F. S. Cannon, B. G. Henry, M. L. Walker, Mrs. Mary Brinson, Mrs. W. E. Davis, Mrs. S. D. Suttenfield, Noah Hollowell, Roy Bennett, Fred Poplin, Allard Garren, Roy Huggins, Thomas E. Thompson, A. J. Neilson, Keith Arledge.

HOLLY SPRINGS—Mr. Odell McKinney, Mrs. Clara McCarry, Mr. T. B. Buckner.

HOOPERS CREEK—Rev. W. C. Huntley, W. S. Riddle, Cecil Worsham.

HORSE SHOE—Mrs. S. W. Davenport, Mr. S. W. Davenport, Mr. H. P. Houk, Mrs. H. P. Houk, Mrs. Frank Fowler.

JONES GAP—Mrs. Jasper Blackwell, Mrs. Leonard Nelson, Mr. Leonard Nelson, Mrs. Jack Arrington.

LOCUST GROVE—

MIDDLE FORK—Wade Huntley, Kermit Hll, Mrs. Luther Hill, Jimmie Curtis, Mrs. N. J. Huntley.

LAUREL SPRINGS—

LIBERTY—

MILLS RIVER—G. C. Field, Mrs. Charles Sitton, Mrs. Spencer Crawford, Mrs. R. D. Britton.

MOUNT GILLEAD—Mrs. Dorris Butler, Mr. E. L. Lanning, Mr. Ray Crawford, Mrs. Lela Robertson, Mrs. Roy Crawford.

MOUNT MORIAH—Mr. Pierson Dalton, Mr. Willie Enloe, Rev. Ralph Nix.

MOUNT OLIVET—

MOUNT ZION—J. E. Cox.

MOUNTAIN HOME—Rollan Jones, Herman Williams,, M. H. Laughter, J. E. Williams, Miss Melba Nix.

MOUNTAIN PAGE—R. W. Bell, Edd Hill, W. L. Davis.

MOUNTAIN VALLEY—

MUD CREEK—Mrs. John Perry, Sr., Mr. W. B. Reed, Mr. R. S. Steadman, Mr. Arthur Freeman, Mr. Spurgun Pace.

NAPLES—Joyce Ivester, G. L. Moore, Mary Anne Davis, Rev. John Middleton, Robert Earl Beddingfield, Herman Moore.

OAK GROVE—

PACOLET—Mrs. C. W. Constance, C. W. Constance, Mrs. L. T. Blackwell, Mrs. Bryan Edwards, Mrs. R. T. Capps.

PLEASANT GROVE—Mrs. James Dalton, Mrs. Floria Picklesimer, Rev. Bobo Hollingsworth, Mr. Coy Blythe, Mr. Richard Hamilton.

PLEASANT HILL—

REFUGE—Mr. Tom Coggins, Mr. B. K. King, Mrs. W. G. Lindsey, Mrs. Tom Coggins, Mrs. B. K. King.

SALUDA—Mr. R. B. Staton, Mrs. Floyd Tuck, Rev. F. M. Huggins, Mrs. F. M. Huggins

SHAW'S CREEK—Rev. and Mrs. T. G. Proctor, Mrs. A. J. Nanney, Mrs. Hix Dalton, Mrs. W. W. Wells, Mrs. Lee Wright.

TRYON FIRST—R. C. Barnett, C. E. Scarborough, N. L. Wilson, Mrs. Marshall Ballew, Mrs. Henry Gibson.

TRYON SECOND—Rev. Silas Bradley, Mr. Arthur Aiken, Mrs. Ruby Bradley, Mrs. Mozele Pitman.

TUXEDO—J . W. Bradley, H. C. Bradley, Curtis Hart, Mrs. Curtis Hart, Mrs. J. W. Bradley.

VALLEY HILL—Mr. Russell Hazeltine, Mr. D. H. Kilpatrick, Mrs. D. H. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Nellie Newman.

WARRIOR MOUNTAIN—Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Early, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Anderson.

WEST HENDERSONVILLE—

ZION HILL—Mrs. Nora Anders, Mrs C. L. Gordon.

PROCEEDINGS
Of The Annual Meeting
Of The Carolina Baptist Association
Tuesday Morning, August 5, 1947
MUD CREEK CHURCH

1. The Carolina Baptist Association opened its seventy-first session at 9:45 a. m. August 5, 1947, in the Mud Creek church, using the theme for the entire session, "Ye are my witnesses", Acts 1:8, with M. L. Walker presiding.

2. A brief devotional message was given by Claude Scarborough, pastor of the First Church, Tryon, his subject being "Witnessing".

3. The roll of the churches was called by the acting clerk, Ralph Banning, and the messengers present were duly elected to constitute the body of the Carolina Association.

4. The following visitors were recognized: I. G. Greer, representing Thomasville orphanage; S. L. Blanton, representing Wake Forest College; Phil Elliot, representing Gardner Webb College; L. E. M. Freeman, representing Meredith College; Claude Gaddy, secretary of Christian Education; Hoyt Blackwell, representing Mars Hill College, Mrs. S. L. Blanton, F. B. Clark, Transylvania Associational Missionary; and Lawrence Erwin, pastor in S. C. The following new pastors were recognized: W. H. Hester, Silas Bradley and Zeb Brookshire. Asociational officers present were Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, W. M. U. Supt., Roy Huggins, Sunday School Supt., O. J. Smith, Training Union Director and E. V.Plemmons Associational Missionary.

5. The following officers were elected: F. M. Huggins, Moderator; Otto Parham, vice-moderator; E. V. Plemmons, clerk; M. K. Sinclair, treasurer; Noah Hollowell, historian; W. H. Davis, assistant historian; M. L. Walker, Recorder representative; Roy Huggins, superintendent of Sunday schools; O. J. Smith, director of Training Union.

6. The moderator presented the day's program for adoption. N. B. Phillips moved its adoption, subject to change, seconded by Claude Scarborough, and the motion carried.

7. The theme for the morning session was, "Ye shall be witnesses unto me in Jerusalem", with the Associational officers giving reports of the work in the Carolina Association.

Otto Parham, pastor of the Balfour church, presented the following report on promotion and recommendations. He moved its adoption; report was adopted.

PROMOTIONAL REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

Often Jesus spoke of being on a mission into the world. His own personal mission was completed, and the task has fallen to the disciples. The responsibility to evangelize, teach, and train the world rested on them. To be able to undertake this staggering task they would need power.

He points out the fact that this witnessing and empowering is to continue unto the end of the world. We are to be His witnesses and for our witnessing to be effective we must have power. We are to bear witness to His sinless life, His wonderful teaching, His atoning death, His bodily resurrection and to explain to the world God's plan of salvation through faith in Jesus Christ.

As the disciples were commanded to begin this message of free pardon and forgiveness in Jerusalem, even so are we commanded to begin at home, in the Carolina Association, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

It seems to the committee that Bro. Plemmons has done such a fine piece of work in our association that we make the following recommendation.

(1). That we retain him for the next twelve months.

(2). That we give our field worker our full cooperation in promoting the program of the Lord Jesus.

(3). We feel a deep need of indoctrinating our people and recommend that doctrinal courses be taught.

(4). We recommend an association wide deacons school.

(5). We urge that more of our ministers attend the preachers school at Fruitland this year.

May we highly resolve to work in a closer fellowship in witnessing throughout the coming year, as we seek to know and do His will.

Respectfully submitted,
OTTO PARHAM

8. Roy Huggins, Superintendent of Sunday Schools, submitted report on Sunday school work in the Association, which was adopted by the Association.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORTS

1. Total Number Visits to Churches and Special Assistance Rendered upon Invitations (Not Including Missionary Plemmons)	85
2. Number of Sunday Schools Reopened	1
3. Number of New Sunday Schools	1
4. Mission Sunday Schools Supervised	2
5. Cards and Letters Mailed	200
6. Number Churches Reached by January, 1947 into every Church Program	26
7. Number Daily Vacation Bible Schools	20
8. Associational Sunday School Meetings Held	1
9. Prospects for New Sunday Schools Revived	2
10. Prospects for Mission Center School	3

Respectfully submitted,
ROY HUGGINS

9. O. J. Smith, Training Union Director, submitted the report on the program of the Training Union in the Association which was very encouraging. After adoption of the report, Mrs. Junius Huggins presented a list of officers to be considered by the body for the coming year. Recommended officers were elected by the Association.

REPORT OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST TRAINING UNION

The Training Union Department of Carolina Association has been very active and inspiring during the year.

No November the 8th, a group of Training Union workers met with members of the State Department in Morganton and made plans for December 6 meeting and year's work.

The December meeting was inspiring and largely attended. At this time some goals were set and year's program presented and adopted. Dr. Dyer, a missionary to Japan, brought an inspiring message.

During the year tournament work was promoted, with the elimination being held April 1.

The regional meeting was held at Mars Hill with a large attendance. Those winning from our association were: For adults, Mrs. Cecil Edney 2nd place, Becky Nell Stewart 2nd place; Young People, Connie Mae Parham, Jewel Corn, Sarah West and Betty Smith, 1st place in Junior Memory work. Connie Mae Parham and Jewel Corn won out in the state contest at Ridge crest.

The Training Union Enlargement Campaign was held June 14-20, with Harvey T. Gibson, Training Union Director for the state in charge. He was assisted by twenty-one young people from the department. Also several of our local people helped. There were eleven churches participating with 674 requests for awards. Our new church took part, eleven new units were organized and six story hours. Also 37 new leaders trained. Much more good was accomplished than can be put in a report.

On Friday night, June 20, an associational rally was held at Valley Hill with a very large number attending.

For this splendid work of the state and local workers we wish to extend our thanks and deepest appreciation. We feel that the results of this splendid work will be felt throughout the entire Association for many years to come.

Respectfully submitted,
OSCAR SMITH

10. M. K. Sinclair read the Treasurer's Report and moved its adoption. The following report was adopted:

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Statement—Year Ending July 31, 1947

On hand at beginning of year	188.50
Cash received for Minutes	217.25
Cash received for Associatonal Worker	1,690.24
Cash received at quarterly meetings	132.08
Cash received not designated	11.78
Cash received for Student Fund	5.00
TOTAL	$2,244.85

DISBURSEMENTS:

Paid out for Minutes	262.90
Paid out for Field Worker	1,808.41
Paid out for the clerk	50.00
Paid out for stamps	1.50
Paid State Trust Co.—Service charge	3.20
Paid Retirement Fund—Field Worker	46.66
Paid for printing	16.75
Paid out for coal used at Fruitland	11.58
Paid M. A. Huggins, French Broad Church	25.00
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	$2,226.00
Balance on hand	$18.85

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. SINCLAIR, Treasurer

Contributions to Minute fund and to maintain Associational Worker since last report.

	Minute Fund	Assoc. Worker
Balfour	6.00	50.00
Barker Heights	3.00	
Barnwell	1.25	20.00
Bat Cave	5.00	72.79
Bear Wallow	5.00	10.18
Beulah	2.00	22.25
Broad River		9.20
Crab Creek	5.00	
Cross Roads		18.00
Cedar Springs	5.00	5.70

Dana	5.00		35.00
Double Springs	2.00		10.00
East Flat Rock	10.00		110.00
Etowah	5.00		46.50
Fletcher	10.00		50.00
French Broad			26.75
Fruitland	5.00		59.10
Green River	3.00		
Hendersonville 1st	15.00		400.00
Horse Shoe	5.00		42.00
Middle Fork	2.00		12.00
Mills River	5.00		10.00
Mt. Gilead	5.00		25.00
Mt. Home	1.00		4.13
Mt. Moriah	5.50		45.49
Mt. Page	4.00		
Mud Creek	10.00		75.00
Naples	5.00		81.80
Oak Grove	10.00		
Pacolet	5.00		41.40
Pleasant Grove	2.00		
Pleasant Hill			17.50
Refuge	7.50		65.00
Saluda	5.00		45.00
Shaws Creek	10.00		15.00
Tryon 1st	15.00		83.45
Tryon 2nd	6.00		
Tuxedo	10.00		132.00
Valley Hill	10.00		50.00
West Hendersonville	2.00		
Zion Hill	5.00		
TOTALS	$217.25		$1690.24

11. In the absence of Noah Hollowell, historian, W. H. Davis, assistant historian, submitted a historical sketch of Fruitland Institute, which was approved by the body.

A HISTORICAL SKETCH OF FRUITLAND INSTITUTE

Dr. W. F. Powell, of Nashville, Tenn., in relating the history of Fruitland Institute, said: "Fruitland Institute was begun by authorization of the Carolina Baptist Association under the leadership of Rev. A. I. Justice in 1899. It opened for a three-months term in the spring of 1899 with Rev. A. I. Justice as chairman of the Board of Trustees and acting as principal: Prof. F. A. Brown, one of the greatest teachers of Western North Carolina history, and Miss Mae Justice, the daughter of Rev. A. I. Justice, now Mrs. Ernest Grizett of Asheville, North Carolina, as teachers. It was simply a local subscription school with Miss Kate Seagle, who lived half way to Hendersonville, attending too.

The first full session began the middle of August, 1899, with the Rev. A. I. Justice, acting princpal, Miss Mae Justice, Prof. F. A. Brown and myself as the faculty. I came to be head of the Academic Department, but all we had for the fall term was almost entirely the public school of Clear Creek Township, Fruitland Institute contracting to teach in its school the public school, and using the public school buildings which were composed of one weather-boarded single room and another single-room building planked straight up and down, with a partition put in it to make room for me. I, with Miss Mae Justice and Professor Brown, had certificates as public school teachers issued by James M. Justice, the fine young superintendent of public schools in Henderson county, later a Baptist minister of great usefulness and a gifted and faithful foreign missionary for years.

"Mr. "Pet" J. W. Freeman and wife, next to Rev. A. I. Justice, were just about the foundation of the school in its beginning. J. W. Freeman was the merchant at Fruitland and lived on a farm nearby. Mr. J. W. Freeman was the initial mainstay of the movement led by Rev. A. I. Justice.

'|Three years later Hon. Rome Freeman really saved Fruitland Institute by putting two thousand dollars out of the sale of his Chimney Rock to complete the building with classrooms and study hall on the second floor. Nothing would give me more pleasure than to see J. W. Freeman and Hon. Rome Freeman recognized even at this late date."

Rev. A. I. Justice always regarded Dr. W. F. Powell as one of the foundation stones of Fruitland. He went to Fruitland after finishing Wake Forest with the intention of returning to Wake Forest to get a law degree. He decided to become a preacher. At the close of his first year he was made head of the school. He taught two more years and entered the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary at Louisville.

An addition was built to the public school building in which was opened a subscription school under Baptist influence with Prof. F. A. Brown as principal and Rev. A. I. Justice as teacher of the Bible, in 1899.

In a very short time after this Fruitland Institute was established and the name of the church changed to Fruitland Baptist church. From this time forth through the years of the existence of Fruitland Institute Rev. A. I. Justice was the moving spirit in it. He was deeply interested in it as long as he lived. He was chairman of the board of trustees as long as he was able to serve and when he could no longer be active as chairman of the board he was elected as chairman emeritus. And it can be truly said that all outstanding bills against the Institute were cancelled before his death.

In the year 1908 the Home Mission Board took over the property and assisted the school in finances until the year 1931 when the Home Mission Board became involved in debt and turned the property back to the Board of Trustees of the Institute. The demand for the school was so great that the trustees decided to continue the school for three more years. During these three years the school became involved in debt to the amount of about $5500. Then the trustees decided to close the school until financial assistance could be obtained.

The trustees took the matter up with the Home Mission Board and the Board agreed to relinquish their claims to the property if the trustees of the institute would give them a quit claim deed to it. This they did and the property was given back to them and arrangements were made with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina through M. A. Huggins, the secretary of State Baptist Convention, to take charge of the property and use it to the best advantage.

So the school was closed about the year 1936 because it was no longer needed as a high school in the association since the territory had already been covered by high schools supported by public funds.

Before the close of the school, an effort was made to establish a Junior College at Fruitland. But this did not seem practical because of lack of funds and lack of equipment. So this movement was abandoned.

From the information we have in hand we note the names of the following persons who were directly connected with the work of Fruitland Institute. Prof. F. A. Brown, Rev. A. I. Justice, D. W. Sorrell, Rev. H. H. McMillan, Dr. W. F. Powell, Rev. T. H. Posey, Rev. L. K. Poole, Spencer B. King, Jr., Rev. N. A. Melton, Prof. H. B. Murphree, Miss Martha Sullinger and other women whose names we do not recall.

Miss Martha Sullinger was connected with the school as lady principal for 36 years and put her stamp upon the life of many a struggling student. These men and women labored at a great sacrifice but did not labor in vain, because many students of this school in the years to come will rise up to call them blessed.

We note that at this time Fruitland Institute has entered upon a new era of prosperity. As noted before, the Baptist State Convention of North

Carolina has taken over the Fruitland Institute property, has paid off all the indebtedness, repaired the two large buildings, erected smaller buildings and prepared the property for a regular statewide Baptist assembly on the order of Ridgecrest. This assembly is now in charge of Rev. B. G. Henry as director.

In the fall of 1946 a six weeks school for preachers was opened at Fruitland with Dr. J. C. Canipe, secretary of evangelism for North Carolina, as director. In this first school there were about 70 preachers in attendance. Another one was held last spring in which about 80 preachers were in attendance.

In this school there were preachers from one end of the state to the other. These two schools were in charge of Dr. J. C. Canipe as director, Dr. J. L. Jenkine as teacher of Homiletics, and Rev. B. G. Henry as teacher of English.

These men are doing a great work. The preachers who attend these schools get full credit for their work from our Baptist Seminary at New Orleans.

In the Fruitland assembly all the departments of our work will be taken care of this summer. Our slogan is, "On to Fruitland".

"Come thou with us and we will do thee good for the Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel". A new day has dawned for Fruitland Institute and for the Carolina Association.

Respectfully submitted,
NOAH HOLLOWELL, Director
W. H. DAVIS, Assistant Historian

12. Roy Bennett, director of Brotherhood Work in the Association gave a challenging report, which was adopted:

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

In reporting the work of the Laymen of this Association I cannot give much of a glowing report. So far as I have been able to learn there are only two or three Brotherhood organizations in the county. I do not know of any outstanding work done by any of the groups. However, I am not very familiar with the work of any except the First Baptist church of Hendersonville. This group meets each month except December. A supper is served at the expense of the church by a paid matron and several ladies who assist without remuneration. The first thirty minutes of the meeting is used in eating and fellowship. The second thirty minutes is filled with fun and music and the last thirty minutes is for an inspirational address. For the most of the time the meetings have been good and fairly well attended. The work of the church has been advanced by this group but not as well as we hope it will in the future. The opportunities for Brotherhood work in our churches are unlimited and it should be the desire of every church to organize their men for greater service. Our State Convention thinks so much of the organization that they have employed Mr. Horace Easom of Shelby to give his full time to the work in the State beginning Jan. 1, 1948. This is not a new organization for Southern Baptists for the Brotherhood as now conceived and promoted started in 1926 while the Laymen's Missionary Movement was launched in 1907 some 40 years ago. The entire denominational program is now included in the Brotherhood objectives. The movement is growing rapidly with more than 3000 churches with Brotherhood organizations and above one hundred thousand members reported in 1945. There are many things our men can do to help carry forward the program of the church and the cause for which it stands but one that should have our immediate attention is a program being launched for a million tithers by Christmas. Every preacher should preach Stewardship as never before and every tither should be on the job trying to win every other man of his church to this method of promoting the Kingdom interests. Beginning next Sunday over WHKP of Hendersonville, and for the next eight Sunday mornings at eight o'clock, you will hear this subject presented and

discussed. We should announce this in our churches and tell our neighbors and friends for it is a message every one should hear and heed. There should be more of our men in places of responsibility in our churches and more men taking their religion more seriously. The brotherhood offers one of the best ways of reaching and enlisting our men. Let us not be discouraged in our efforts to organize our men but in the words of the song let us remember—

"We are not here to play, to dream, to drift;
We have hard work to do and loads to lift;
Shun not the struggle, face it, 'tis God's gift.
Be strong; be strong; O men be strong.

Say not the days are evil who's to blame?
And fold the hands of acquiescence—oh shame;
Stand up, speak out and bravely in God's name
Be strong, be strong, O men be strong.

It matters not how deep entrenched the wrong,
How hard the battle goes, the day how long;
Faint not, fight on; tomorrow comes the song—
Be strong; be strong; O men be strong.

Resectfully submitted,
ROY C. BENNETT, SR.

13. E. V. Plemmons, Associational Missionary submitted a report of his work during the past year in the Carolina Association, which was adopted by the Association.

REPORT OF FIELD WORKER

AUGUST 1, 1946-JULY 31, 1947

Vacation Bible schools held, 8; study courses taught, 13; sermons preached, 92; new training unions organized, 5; new Sunday schools organized. 1; "Carolina Baptist" printed and mailed, 1200; letters and cards written, 1900; visits, 172; conferences attended, 71; camps attended, 3; state and regional meetings attended, 8; visual aid programs, 10; simultaneous campaigns. 2; association wide deacon's meeting, 1; total meetings attended, 306. total miles driven, 12,188.

Respectfully submitted,
ERSKINE V. PLEMMONS

14. An announcement was made in regard to the program now in progress at Fruitland Baptist Assembly. Attention was called to the coming of Dr. W. F. Powell to Fruitland during preaching week there.

15. The following committees were appointed by the chair:
Nominating: N. A. Melton, chairman, J. N. Shuford and Fred Poplin.
Reception of new Churches: Jim Anderson, chm., H. P. Hauk, F. M. McCarson.
Resolution: Ralph Banning, chm., Geo. Roberts, N. B. Baldwin.
Time, Place and Preacher: Victor Rector, Carl Blythe, Thomas Mann.

16. D .G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing, "The Kingdom is Coming", after which T. G. Proctor read the scripture and led in prayer and Fred Poplin, pastor of Horse Shoe and Beulah churches delivered the introductory sermon.

17. Phil Elliot, president of Gardner Webb College, offered the closing prayer, after which a splendid lunch was served by the Mud Creek church.

AFTERNOON SESSION

18. The afternoon session was opened with singing "I Am Thine O Lord", led by Mrs. John Perry, with M. L. Walker, presiding. The theme for the afternoon session was "Ye Shall Be Witnesses Unto Me In Judea", the emphasis being on State Missions.

19. Ralph Nix, pastor of the Mt. Moriah church read a short passage of scripture and led in prayer.

20. W. H. Davis read and discussed the hospital report. W. K. McKee, representing the hospital, spoke briefly. The report was adopted by the body.

REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL

"And Jesus went about all the cities and villages teaching in their syna gogues and preaching the gospel of the Kingdom and healing every sickness and every disease among the people."—Matt. 9:35.

In this verse of scripture we have spread out before us the whole field of Christian endeavor. In this field Jesus saw and pointed out the need for their lines of service. He saw the need of teaching because of the great ignorance among the people. His purpose was to show men the purpose of their existence in the world, and to banish darkness from the earth.

The second line of service was the work of preaching the gospel of the Kingdom. This gospel of the Kingdom is preached to bring life and immortality to light. In it is found a remedy for sin. It points out man's spiritual needs.

The third line of service is the healing of the sick. Jesus saw the need of physicians and remedies for diseases. He says "They that are whole need not a physician, but they that are sick"—Matt. 9:12. Again "Is there no balm in Gilead- Is there no physician there? Why, then is not the health of the daughter of my people recovered?"—Jer. 8:22.

"The North Carolina Baptist hospital was incorporated in 1922 and received its first patient May 28, 1923. Originally planned as a 100 bed institution, it was enlarged in 1942 to a capacity of 247 beds and 55 bassinets".

ITS PURPOSE

"The underlying purpose of the Baptist Hospital has always been medical care for the poor. Since the day it received its first patient it has offered a high type of hospital care on a state wide basis".

In the North Carolina Baptist Hospital there is no distinction made between the poor and the rich. All are treated alike. Neither is there any distinction made because of denominational affiliations. Those who need treatment get it if there is room for them. Over 4000 patients were treated free of charge in 1946. Many more than that have been treated at very small cost. The Mother's day offering each year pays the cost of the treatment of those who are unable to pay.

The Christian atmosphere of the hospital is excellent. The religious work of the institution is in charge of Dr. W. K. McGee, a full-time director and chaplain.

The North Carolina Baptist hospital had its beginning in Christian hearts that were full of compassion for the multitudes. The good Samitan is with us today in the Baptist hospital. Both doctors and nurses seem to know God and to serve him. In the Baptist hospital ministers, missionaries and ministerial students are treated free of charge and get the best treatment that is possible.

We thank God for the North Carolina Baptist Hospital and recommend that every one observe Mother's Day by making a liberal offering to this institution.

Respectfully submitted,
W. H. DAVIS

21. The orphanage report was submitted by Thomas E. Thompson, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded. I. G. Greer, superintendent of the Baptist Orphanage of Thomasville, brought greetings from the children and staff and spoke with appreciation for the fine way North Carolina Baptists are supporting the institution and informed us that it was costing much more to care for them now than in the past. The report was adopted.

REPORT OF HOMES FOR CHILDREN

When Jesus laid aside the Royal Robes, stepped from the glistening courts of heaven, clothing Himself with the garments of flesh to dwell among men, He identified Himself with the human family. His perfect sympathy placed Him in their position. He was deeply conscious of their every need. He had compassion upon them. That is—He suffered with them. Their needs became His needs. He loves children. A short time before His triumphal entry into Jerusalem, He received and blessed the little children that were brought to Him. The Master, through this tender and touching scene, demonstrated to us His great love for them.

Christ's attitude toward and concern for children reached out across the centuries, touching the Baptists of North Carolina with the Shepherd heart, constraining them to found the Kennedy Home near Kinston and the Mills Home at Thomasville as a medium, through which they could minister to children who have been forced to give up their God ordained heritage, the right to be born into and reared in an atmosphere where each and every faculty of life could be developed fully. Let us not look upon these homes as places where deparentized children are herded that they may receive the bare necessities of life, but—as homes in which, the children are under the loving and tender and sympathetic supervision of competant, Christian personel who are doing every thing that is humanly possible to build strong, healthy bodies, develop keen, alert minds and to train those minds in Christian education and to build steadfast Christian character, thus enabling each and every child who passes through our homes to occupy an enviable place in society.

During the year, ending December 31, 1946, seven hundred children were ministered to in the homes, foster homes and mother's aid. Yet, we have not fully discharged our duty or exercised our privilege in ministering to the needy children of our State. As we look with eyes like unto the Master's we see numbers and numbers of children with warped personalities, undernourished bodies, aching hearts, perplexed minds, grief written upon their faces looking longingly through tear dimmed eyes, silently crying out as the man of Macedonia "Come help us." True, some of these children are incapable of making a high I. Q. score, but Jesus loves them. Do we?

A home for children located in the beautiful healthful mountains of the western part of our great Commonwealth would greatly enlarge our facilities, thus enabling us to care for a greater number of these dependent children. Should every Baptist of our State Convention tithe the financial status could be maintained to carry through such a program. We can invest our money in costly buildings and the stormy winds may batter them down, or the fire consume them, but when we invest in life, we receive dividends throughout eternity. Should we ever remain faithful in ministering to the needy children within our fold, I feel confident that when the King shall come in all His glory, "He will say "as you have done it unto the least of these, ye have done it unto me."

THOMAS E. THOMPSON

22. The Association adopted the report on Ministers Retirement, submitted and discussed by F. M. Huggins, pastor of Saluda church.

MINISTERIAL RELIEF AND ANNUITY

Accepting the apostle Paul's injunction that they who preach the gospel should live of the gospel, the Southern Baptist Convention in May, 1918, created the Board of Relief and Annuity, by which modest relief was provided for aged Baptist ministers and an annuity for ministers and their wid-

ows cooperating with the plan. Before that time many states, including North Carolina, provided some relief for their aged and indigent ministers. But the great majority of Baptists did not realize their obligation in this regard, and many today do not realize it. This lack of support for our aged preachers, however, was not due to lack of respect for him and his work, but the lack of thought and neglect.

Now Baptists are awake to this sense of responsibility and from the humble beginnings fifty years ago, has grown the giant oak of ministerial relief and annuity. Baptists in all the states of the Convention who served before there was a Relief and Annuity Board, receive small monthly checks which means the difference between dire want and more or less comfort.

Nineteen hundred and forty-six was one of the most prosperous years the Board had ever known. Many new members were enrolled in the several plans through which the Board serves our Baptist constituency. A total of 2,541 new certificates were issued during the past year. There are twelve states, including North Carolina, where the Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan is in operation. More than sixteen hundred look to the relief department for their livelihood. Due to high cost of living, many requests have been received for increased amounts. Many of these have been granted and many more will be granted when Southern Baptists make it possible.

It may be noted in this connection that on January 15, 1947, Dr. Thomas J. Watts, executive secretary of the Relief and Annuity Board for the past nineteen years, retired and Dr. Walter R. Alexander, associate executive secretary, was elevated to this important position.

Every pastor and church should seriously consider the matter of joining the Ministers Retirement Plan. Information concerning this plan may be had by writing to or conferring with Mr. M. A. Huggins, our state mission secretary.

Also, the calender of denominational activities calls for an offering from all the churches during the month of April. We would urge that every church take this offering on a suitable Sunday in April that these old heroes of the cross man not suffer.

Respectfully submitted,
F. M. HUGGINS

23. The report on periodicals was read by T. G. Proctor, pastor of the Shaw's Creek church, who moved its adoption. The report was adopted. In the absence of L. L. Carpenter, who was attending the Baptist World Alliance, Claude Gaddy, Secretary of Christian Education, spoke briefly on the need of placing our state Baptist paper in every home. Dr. I. G. Greer gave a very encouraging report of the condition of John Arch McMillian, editor of Charity and Children, who is in the Baptist hospital.

REPORT ON PERIODICALS

A large percentage of our education comes, not from schools, but from the literature we read—newspapers, magazines and books in our homes.

An inspection of the average newsstand will reveal literature which will debase morals, warp minds, and deprive people from the opportunity of getting something wholesome to read. Many of the so-called respectable magazines are filled with pictures and reading and whiskey advertisements which are unfit for any Christian to see. What a tragedy that such magazines are in many Christian homes. God will hold Christian parents responsible for allowing such filth to remain in our homes to poison the minds and souls of our children. Many are under the influence of the Catholics, Hollywood and the brewers. A Christian librarian could be consulted.

Our Baptist periodicals are good, wholesome and reliable. They should be in every Christian home to supplement the Bible in the Christian training of our children. "HOME LIFE" has wholesome, interesting Christian reading. It is published by our Sunday School Board at Nashville, and can be order-

ed for each family along with other Sunday school literature. The Biblical Recorder should be in every Baptist home. "AMBASSADOR LIFE", good reading for our boys, and "WORLD COMRADES" for our girls, can be ordered from 1111 Comer Bldg., Birmingham, Ala. Shall we deprive our families of wholesome, mental food, good for mind and soul? We should supply it, and we should lead them in the reading of it.

Respectfully submitted,
T. G. PROCTOR, JR.

24. Fred Poplin submitted the report on Christian Education and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded and the report was adopted. The following presidents and representatives from our colleges were recognized: Hoyt Blackwell, President of Mars Hill College; Phil Elliot, President of Gardner-Webb college; L. E. M. Freeman, Meredith College. Claude Gaddy and Sankey Blanton, who discussed the report, made the statement that the one greatest need of Baptists is trained leaders.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION IN OUR BAPTIST COLLEGES

Christian Education considered in its broader aspects represents all efforts of Christian teaching, whether in the home, in the church, in public institutions or in colleges owned and operated by denominatons; and it behooves all of us who are interested in promoting Christian education to direct our efforts along all these lines.

For the purpose of this report we are thinking specifically of the program of Christian Education supported by Baptists through our three Southwide seminaries and the W. M. U. Training School, and our six Baptist colleges in North Carolina. In the four Southwide institutions during the past year we had a total of 2,705 young men and young women, of whom 1,744 were ministerial students.

The six Baptist colleges now in operation in North Carolina are Wake Forest, Meredith, Mars Hill, Campbell, Gardner-Webb and Wingate. During this present convention year the Baptists of North Carolina are contributing approximately $351,959, divided among these colleges as follows: Wake Forest $108,882; Meredith $78,540; Campbell $43,175; Gardner-Webb $37,812; Mars Hill $59,048; Wingate $24,502. This represents the most generous aid that the Baptists of the state have ever given to their colleges for operating purposes. With a total enrollment of approximately 4,500 young men and young women, these six colleges will face the new year with all facilities taxed to their capacity.

The Council on Christian Education with permanent offices located at 115 West Morgan Street in Raleigh has completed its first year of operation. With a membership of 52 members, 24 of whom represent the administration of the colleges and 24 representing the churches at large, along with the four ex-officio members, the Council provides a co-ordinating agency through which our program of Christian Education is promoted. In addition to the distribution of funds, the Council has engaged in numerous activities designed to improve the services of the institutions and to give the people of the state a better understanding of the over-all program. A folder of general information on all colleges has been prepared and mailed to more than 23,000 high school graduates in the state. Through the cooperation of the Biblical Recorder and other Baptist publications information on the work of the colleges has been largely distributed throughout the state, and definite efforts have been made to emphasize the observance of Christian Education Day in our churches and Sunday schools. Pastors and superintendents have cooperated in a splendid way in this undertaking.

Respectfully submitted,
FRED R. POPLIN

25. George Roberts, pastor of Refuge church, presented the report on the Cooperative Program, which was adopted by the body. In the absence of M. A. Huggins, Earl Bradley spoke on "The Baptist Program in North Carolina and to the End of the World."

REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS OR COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

A great program of witnessing for Christ is being carried on in North Carolina through State Mission work. This work is supported by the offerings given through the Cooperative program and special offerings made to State Missions. It would be impossible to enumerate all the work that is being done by our State Mission program, for only will eternity reveal this. However, let us glance at the major divisions of our state Mission work.

(1) General Missionaries.

We have three General Missionaries employed by the State Board and great progress has been made through their efforts of the past year. They are Dr. Earl L. Bradley, J. C. Pipes and E. L. Spivey.

(2) Pastoral Assistance.

Our State Mission Board is carrying on a great work through pastoral assistance. We have seventy-two missionary pastors aiding one hundred and eleven churches. Last year they reported one thousand and seventy-two (1,072) baptisms and the total contributions of these churches amounted to one hundred fifty-five thousand, four hundred and ninety dollars ($155.490).

(3) Church Extension.

The Board has continued its policy of purchasing lots in growing communities, industrial areas and rural areas where churches need to relocate. This work continues insofar as the money provided for State Missions will permit.

(4) Work among the Indians.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Underwood continue their work among the Indians in Robeson County. Great progress is noted in their work.

(5) Mission work in our Hospitals and Sanatoriums.

Our missionary endeavors to continue in Oteen Veterans hospital, Black Mountain Sanatorium and the Sanatorium at Aberdeen.

(6) Radio Committee.

The State Convention is taking advantage of the field of radio, by cooperating with the Southern Baptist Convention in broadcasting gospel programs.

(7) Christian Education in the Churches and Schools.

A great work continues to be carried on through Christian Education in our churches. This work is promoted by our State Sunday school division, State Training Union division and State Secretary of Christan Education. Also much good is being done in our schools and colleges through Baptist Student Unions.

(8) Associational Missionaries.

We have with us the testimony of the great work that is being done through Associational Missionaries. This work in part is supported by State Mission offerings.

(9) Additional Training for Ministers Already in Service.

The need for additional training for ministers already in service has been recognized. This need has been and is still being met through pastor's school running from 1 to 6 weeks. Our own Fruitland assembly is helping to meet this need.

We can see by these different activities carried on through our State Mission work that much has been accomplished and we are looking forward to greater progress during the next year. Our denomination is calling upon us to further support this great program of State Missions through increased gifts to our cooperative and State Mission program. However, this is not merely a call from our State Convention—it is a call made by our Blessed Master more than nineteen hundred years ago when He said, "Ye are my witnesses in Judea and Samaria." Let us heed this great call and respond to it one and all by following the Bible plan of giving, which is tithes and offerings. We can then say without reservation, "We are witnessing for our Lord in the State of North Carolina."

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE A. ROBERTS

26. Victor Rector, Chairman of the Committee on Time, Place and Preacher submitted the following report, which was adopted by the association: The annual session of the association will be held on Tuesday, August 3, 1948 at Hendersonville First church, Rev. Ralph Banning., preacher.

27. The report of the Resolution Committee was read by Ralph Banning, chairman, and adopted by a standing vote of the body.

REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Inasmuch as no other resolutions have come before your committee, we, the resolution committee, wish to present the following resolution only:

Be it resolved that we express our appreciation to the pastor and constituency of Mud Creek Baptist church for their many acts of hospitality extended while here in this 71st annual asociational meeting. Be it further resolved that the ladies of the church be commended for the nice lunch provided us.

RALPH BANNING, Chairman Resolutions Committee

28. N. A. Melton, chairman, made the recommendation for the Nominating committee which was accepted by the body. (See page 4 for standing committee).

29. The afternoon session closed with an inspiring message by A. J. Neilson, which is as follows:

SERMON BY A. J. NEILSON

Gal. 44: "In the fulness of time God sent His Son." When Jesus came it was the most opportune time; the world was ready as never before.

We are now in another such crisis of time. Jesus and His gospel are needed as at no other time. In order that our mission boards can perform the great tasks before them, our local churches must realize that upon them rests the responsibility of this great task. We must get a two-fold vision:

1. A vision of the challenge of the open door; because of the suffering of the masses in many lands; because of the inadequacy of the religious experience of millions of others; and also because the Holy Spirit is calling to our attention the command for us to be witnesses unto the uttermost parts of the world.

2. The vision also includes an assurance of our ability to finish the work which our Savior began. This great task is a spiritual task. Spiritual means must be employed. Emphaizing the spiritual, we may also employ mechanical methods as circumstances may direct.

We need first a real spiritual awakening in all phases of our church life, not a hysterical, effervescent condition that lasts only for a period of days or weeks. This will produce a deep rooted conviction of the seriousness of sin. We will then place additional emphasis on the Lordship of Christ and on our adoption into the household of God—we are the sons of God. In our assurance of Sonship must also come a genuine fellowship of believers. Many people today deplore the fact that we have so little real church life. And we need more and greater Bible knowledge. Greater emphasis must be placed on our progress in Sunday School, B. T. U. and W.M.U. work. We need more preachers who are pastors. A preacher who is not a pastor can preach and baptize, but he cannot "teach them to observe all things." We need to form fields where several churches combine and have the pastor live among them. And we need more spiritual giving. Southern Baptists are just now emphasizing tithing. Let us go a step beyond the legal tithe and give as sons and fellow heirs of the promises. And to enter into this enlarged life we need more prayer. More real speaking with God. "In a few years these lives of ours will be stilled in death, but the world that lives after us will be better or worse as we have made it possible."

THE EVENING SESSION

30. The evening session was opened with D. G. Wilkie leading the congregation in singing the hymn, "I'll Go Where You Want Me To Go". The session was called to order by M. L. Walker, Moderator. The theme for the evening session was "Ye Shall Be Witnesses Unto Me. . . in Samaria and unto the Uttermost Parts of the Earth", with emphasis on Home and Foreign Missions."

31. Rev. C. B. Vause, pastor of Bat Cave church led in a short devotional message and prayer.

32. Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, superintendent of Woman's Missionary Union of the Carolina Association, read the W. M. U. Report which was adopted.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION FOR PERIOD ENDING JULY 31, 1947

At the close of another twelve months of God given opportunities in Kingdom work, we take a backward look over the records sent in by the faithful leaders of Carolina Woman's Missionary Union.

Most of the reports give us great encouragement and lend strength for the future. We have made progress in almost every phase of our work. Mission study has been done though the nature and extent of such progress may not be seen in figures. Two soceties have had Schools of Missions. Stewardship has been taught and lived.

We are striving to serve the purpose of God in our day and generation by promoting Missionary principles which will bear fruit in future generations. How well we serve this purpose will determine the verdict that time shall pass on to us who are entrusted with the Gospel.

We have noticed that prayer links have been strengthened and increased in the observance of special seasons of prayer. A corresponding increase in offerings is one of the visible results. Seven Unions have done outstanding work. Our loyal leaders have, during the year, helped lift the standard of love, service and self sacrifice. They have taught giving and community missions. We want this part of our work planted firmly in the hearts and lives of our enlisted young people who are to become our successors.

We have made some progress but we are not satisfied. There is much yet to be accomplished and in His name we must go forward fighting battles over selfishness and sin, giving Him the pre-eminent place in our service that the message of love may be carried to the uttermost parts of the earth and allowed to do a greater and more enduring work in our own hearts.

Our women and young people have done splendid work this year. It is hoped that, as the years progress, more and more of our people may come to recognize God as the giver of every good and perfect gift and give back to Him the part that rightfully belongs to Him. Our gifts total $6,633.64. We have 248 tithers. Yet over and over again there comes this reminder, the words of our Lord to those who labored with Him, as well as to us: "So likewise ye, when ye shall have done all these things which are commanded you, say, we are unprofitable servants, we have done that which was our duty to do."

The First Church of Tryon was the gracious hostess of our annual meeting, held in April. The splendid lunch and appropriate planning of the women gave evidence of a deep interest and concern on their part. We do thank each one of them. The honored guest on this occasion was Miss Bertha Smith of Cowpens, S. C., and China. She challenged us to a deeper loyalty and devotion to the hungering multitudes. We left the meeting impressed with the Spiritual atmosphere that was so much in evidence there.

Our next annual meeting will be held with Fruitland Baptist church.

With gratitude to our heavenly Father for all His blessings upon our work, may we steadfastly set our hearts to look upon the fields the wide world over, through deeper study in Missions, that we may be constrained to do our best in sending laborers into the field that are white already unto harvest. May we talk more about Missions, teach more about Missions,

pray more about Missions and give more liberally to the support of Missions and in that way press on to greater things for Him, this next year, realizing we are laborers together with God.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. M. K. SINCLAIR

33. A. J. Neilson read the report on Foreign Missions which was adopted by the body.

A special message in song was given by Miss Lois Parker with her mother, Mrs. Annie Mae Parker, at the piano.

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

Our Foreign Mission Board now has the greatest opportunity for meeting the challenge of a world that is calling for the gospel message more than ever before. Truly the fields are ready for harvest.

And in the war torn countries there is also a great need for material help in erecting church buildings, schools and hospitals. Preachers, doctors, nurses and teachers are being called for in many places, in addition to the usual workers, and our young people are volunteering to serve as the Lord is calling them.

In this critical hour Southern Baptists will want to respond to the expectations and call of the Savior who said, "Go ye therefore into all the world."

A. J. NEILSON

34. The closing message was delivered by Dr. Alfred Carpenter, of the Home Mission Board, who told of his tours of the war torn countries of Europe, and very effectively brought to us the facts of the alarming needs. He based his thoughts on the text, "God hath made of one blood all nations." Through the inspiration received from the message, many rededicated their lives in the consecration service which followed. The dedication prayer was led by E. V. Plemmons.

35. In the absence of F. M. Orr the obituary report was read by E. V. Plemmons.

OBITUARY REPORT

It is with both sorrow and rejoicing we submit this obituary report to the Carolina Association.

Looking over the 56 letters of the Association, we found that God in His great mercy and goodness has called from our midst 55 members of His Great Church to their eternal abode with Him in His Kngdom of peaceful rest and eternal bliss. We are saddened by their departure, because we will miss their fellowship and their love and faithfulness.

But in our grief and sorrow we are made to rejoice with the holy angels and the Savior of glory, because another great victory for heaven has been won.

And in our grief and rejoicing, we extend to those who are bereaved our deepest sympathy and love. Their loss has been heaven's gain. Rev. 14:13 says, "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them.

Prayerfully submitted this fifth day of August, 1947
REV. F. M. ORR

36. L. G. Redding led in the closing prayer, after which the session adjourned to hold its next Annual Session in the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville on August 3, 1947.

IN MEMORIAM

"BLESSED ARE THE DEAD WHICH DIE IN THE LORD"
(REVELATION 14:13)

BALFOUR—Mrs. C. T. Callahan.
BAT CAVE—Mrs. Sara Barnwell.
BEREA—Raymond Ward (Deacon)
BEULAH—Mrs. W. P. Cantrell, Mr. Ernest Orr, Mr. Henry Huggins.
CEDAR SPRINGS—Mrs. Rosie Ward.
CRAB CREEK—Mr. G. J. Patterson (Deacon), Mr. Z. B. Levi.
DANA—Mr. T. J. Allen (Deacon)
DOUBLE SPRINGS—Mrs. Lonie Beddingfield.
EAST FLAT ROCK—Mr. George Pace, Mrs. Landrum Hall.
EBENEZER—Mr. R. V. Love, Mr. David Collins, Mrs. Allie Corn.
FRUITLAND—Mr. Z. V. Whitesides.
HENDERSONVILLE FIRST—Mrs. W. P. Whitmire, Mr. J. T. Davenport, Mrs. S. Maxwell, Mr. Wm. L. Lott, C. B. French, Jr.
HOLLY SPRINGS—Mrs. L. B. Scott.
HOOPERS CREEK—Mrs. Elva Barnwell, Mrs. Dollie Baker, Mr. W. D. Bagwell (Deacon), Mr. G. C. Wilkie (Deacon).
JONES GAP—Mrs. Dolly Blackwell, Mrs. Margaret Nelson.
MILLS RIVER—Mr. J. P. Smith.
MOUNT GILEAD—Mr. K. M. Robertson, Mrs. Lou Taylor, Mr. Charles Moore.
MOUNT MORIAH—Mr. John B. Hill, Mrs. Eliza Byres.
MOUNTAIN PAGE—Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. Malinda Melton, Mr. R. C. Grumbles.
MUD CREEK—Mrs. J. V. Owen, Mrs. Montie Gonce, Mr. W. M. Jones.
PLEASANT GROVE—Mrs. Nora Orr, Aurolia Lawing.
PLEASANT HILL—Mr. O. G. Orr.
REFUGE—Mr. Raymond Lamb, Mr. T. C. Garrett, Mr. J. B. King, Mr. Mitchell Jones.
SALUDA—Mrs. M. F . Arledge.
SHAWS CREEK—Mrs. E. D. Perkins, Mr. J. S. Bruce, Sr., Miss Mollie Ledbetter, Mrs. P. M. McCullough.
TRYON, FIRST—Mrs. John L. Jackson, Mr. J. P. Lockhart.
TUXEDO—Mr. W. A. Bayne, Mrs. W. N. Garner.
VALLEY HILL—Mrs. John Staton.
WEST HENDERSONVILLE—Rev. W. M. Blackwell, Alonzo Stepp.

PROCEEDINGS

— OF THE —

QUARTERLY MEETING

— OF THE —

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

— HELD IN —

The Naples Baptist Church, Sept. 30, 1946

1. The Quarterly meeting of the Carolina Association was held Sept. 30, 1946, in the Naples Baptist church. The meeting was opened by singing "Near the Cross", led by Junius Huggins, with Mrs. John Sinclair at the piano.

2. John T. Middleton, pastor of the Naples church, led the devotional, reading the 20th Chapter of Proverbs vs. 1-10. M. L. Kirstein led in prayer.

3. Reports of the following committees were given. (1) O. M. Seigler reporting for Program Committee, stated the aim of the committee was not just to present a program but to reach more people with the Word, through regular church worship. He urged the churches to support the association-wide census which would soon begin. (2) N. B. Phillips reporting for the Missions Committee, spoke in commendation of the w ork which was being done by the Associational Missionary, E. V. Plem..ons, through D.V.B.S., B.T.U. Study Courses, preaching and teaching. He called upon the churches to stand behind Brother Plemmons while the Lord led him in his work. (3) John Sinclair, chairman of the finance committee, restated plan used the previous year and reported the financial condition of the treasurer as good, but stated there was yet two-thirds of the journey to go.

4. Twenty-eight churches answered to the roll call.

5. The Moderator recognized the pastors and ministers, of whom there were twenty-one present. Sunday school superintendents, twelve present; Training Union Directors, eleven present; W. M. U. presidents, seven present.

6. In the absence of the Associational Superintendent, the clerk presented the Sunday school officers, which were duly elected.

7. Upon the invitation of the pastor, the Association voted to hold its December meeting with the Mt. Moriah church.

8. During the singing of "Higher Ground" the offering was taken.

9. M. L. Walker introduced E. V. Plemmons, Associational Missionary, who spoke on "Using the Census". He pointed out the importance of the census and gave some helpful instructions as to its practical use.

10. Fred Poplin spoke on "Enlarging Our Program". He stressed the missionary commands of Jesus and emphasized the necessity of going to those around about us with the message.

11. Otto Parham spoke on "Deepening the Spiritual Life of Our Churches" "Is the Church life deep enough to win the lost? A church can't lead unless it has strong conviction relative to the Christian faith", were some of the thoughts Mr. Parham brought out.

12. N. B. Phillips, in speaking on behalf of the Relief and Rehabilitation program reported that while the Association had reached the goal in its contributions, the State had not. He urged the people to support this program with their money.

13. Dr. Seigler spoke briefly of the seriousness of the increase in the use of alcoholic beverages, and upon motion by Fred Poplin, the Association voted to devote the December meeting to the discussion of temperance.

14. M. L. Walker welcomed M. L. Lewis, a former pastor in the Association, as a visitor.

15. After the congregation sang the hymn, "Jesus Saves", Rev. Arnold Edney dismissed the meeting with prayer.

PROCEEDINGS
— OF THE —
QUARTERLY MEETING
— OF THE —
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
— HELD IN —
The Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, Dec. 29, 1946

1. The Carolina Baptist Association convened in a quarterly meeting, Dec. 29, 1946, at Mt. Moriah church. M. L. Walker presided and A. V. Reece acted as clerk in the absence of Mrs. Bostic. Mr. Dono Wilkie led the congregation in singing "Onward Christian Solidiers".

2. H. Y. Duffy conducted the devotional period, reading Acts 2 as his scripture and leading in prayer.

3. Associational Missionary, E. V. Plemmons, presented the challenge of the New Year, emphasizing the needs and plans as to the Sunday school, Training Union, Brotherhood, Deacons and Woman's Missionary Work.

4. The subject, "How We May Co-operate in the Temperance Movement in Our State" was divided into four different phases. (1) F. M. Huggins, in speaking on the topic," "Time For Something To Be Done" made a stirring appeal to protect our people from the use of liquor, beer and wine, and to educate them in regard to the evil effects of alcoholic beverages. He stressed the necessity of voting dry. (2) Sheriff F. D. Dalton spoke on "How Citizens May Aid Law Enforcement". He declared that liquor is the No. 1 evil before the American people, and that the present laws will have to be changed before liquor, beer and wine can be abolished. He pledged to do his best to enforce the law and requested the prayers and cooperation of all in doing that. (3) The 3rd topic, "Will We Improve Our Temperance Laws" was discussed by several members of the group. (4) R. M. Hauss, representing the Allied League For Prohibition in N.C.,made several suggestions as to how to handle the liquor problem. At the close of address on "Some Things We Can Do", a resolution, offered by O. M. Seigler, suggested that a committee be appointed to see L. L. Burgin and to convey to him the voice of the Carolina Association. Upon motion the resolution unanimously passed, expressing the desire of this association for the complete outlawing of the sale of all alcoholic beverages in Henderson County. The following committee was elected to bear the resolution to L. L. Burgin: Noah Hollowell, chairman, Victor Rector, Fred Poplin M. K. Sinclair, Finley Pace, F. M. Huggins, O. M. Seigler and N. B. Phillips.

5. The chairman of the Finance Committee made his report and an offering was taken.

6. Motion was made by O. M. Seigler that the salary of the Associational Missionary be increased to $2,400 a year. The motion passed.

7. Twenty-five churches were represented. Three new pastors were recognized: Jim Anderson of Mud Creek, W. R. Hester of West Hendersonville, and F. M. Barnes of Mountain Home. The following visitors were also recognized: R. M. Hauss and Dumont Clarke.

8. The association voted to hold its March meeting with the Double Springs church.

RESOLUTIONS OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION ON TEMPERANCE

WHEREAS the flow of alcoholic beverages is on the increase; more lives are being affected by this flow; more homes are being broken; the increase of crime because of its use is more evident and the moral status of our county is growing more corrupt, and

WHEREAS our enforcement officers are greatly handicapped in decreasing the transportation of alcoholic beverages because of inefficient, or no legislation controlling the use or possession of such:

WHEREAS the cost of this alcohol is depriving homes of many of their economic needs for more wholesome living, now

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Carolina Baptist Association in session Sunday, December 29, 1946 at the Mt. Moriah Baptist church with representatives from 30 churches within the association whose constituency consists of more than ten thousand members, does hereby go on record as expressing the conviction that the time has come for the citizenship of Henderson County to take definite steps toward curbing the use and consumption of alcoholic beverages among our people; that it is the conviction of the members of this body that we must not sit idly by and permit the ravages of alcohol to continue their program of destruction in every avenue of our community life, therefore be it further resolved that this body definitely request Honorable L. L. Burgin, Representative from Henderson County in the General Assembly, to introduce and give his whole support to a measure that will make the sale of wine and beer in Hendersonville and Henderson County illegal, and to become effective at once; that he use his influence to abolish the present one-gallon law, and see that legal steps are taken whereby no amount of liquor or any form of alcoholic beverage may be legally sold within Hendersonville or Henderson County; that he give his fullest support to provide a referendum permittng the people of North Carolina to express themselves on the whole liquor question;

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the constituency of our Association pledge to Mr. Burgin our full support in every respect toward securing legal enactment along the above lines, and that we also pledge our support to the law enforcement officers of Hendersonville and Henderson county in seeking to secure and sustain a community of sobriety.

This the 29th day of December, 1946.

M. L. WALKER, Moderator
A. V. REESE, Acting Clerk

PROCEEDINGS

— OF THE —

QUARTERLY MEETING

— OF THE —

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

— HELD IN —

The Zion Hill Baptist Church, March 31, 1947

1. The quarterly meeting of the Carolina Baptist Association was opened by singing, "Onward Christian Soldiers", led by D. G. Wilkie with Mrs. John Sinclair at the piano.

2. M. L. Walker introduced E. M. Chilton, pastor of the Double Springs church, who led the devotional period, reading the 1st Psalm. He then led in prayer.

3. During the business session Mr. Plemmons presented plans for a simultaneous revival in the Association beginning July 13. These plans were adopted by the Association and Mr. Plemmons was authorized to proceed with preparations. Announcement of the N. C. Sunday School Convention meeting in Charlotte April 1 was made, and attention was called to the approaching D. V. B. S. season, and pastors were urged to conduct schools in their churches. O. J. Smith announced the Training Union Elimination contest to be held in the First Baptist church, April 13.

4. The chair stated that the Association was open to an invitation for the next quarterly meeting. Pleasant Grove, Valley Hill, and Cedar Springs extended invitations. In view of a previous invitation from Pleasant Grove, it was decided that the next meeting would be held in that church.

5. Roll call of churches revealed a delegation from 21 churches.

6. Recognition of pastors, Associational Superintendents, B. T. U. Directors and W. M. U. presidents was made by the moderator.

7. During the singing fo the hymn, "What Can Wash Away My Sins", the offering was taken.

8. Dr. Seigler spoke briefly of the several programs which are scheduled for Fruitland this summer and urged the churches to a full and wholehearted cooperation in this program, "Every week will be filled," he said.

9. Mrs. Charles Maimwaring very beautifully sang an Easter selection "But Mary Waiting Stood". She was accompanied at the piano by Mr. Maimwaring.

10. The program for the afternoon was centered around the different church organizations and their importance to the church. Mr. M. K. Sinclair spoke on the subject, "What The Sunday School Means to the Church". He stressed the need for the proper teaching of the Gospel of Christ in the Sunday School and observed that such always produced results in boys and girls being brought to Christ.

11. C. F. Jervis spoke on "The Seed Bed for Church Leadership". He reviewed the progress which has been made in the growth of the Training Union and spoke of overcoming the opposition which was felt in the early days of its life. He also pointed out the definite contributions the Training Union makes to a church.

12. The congregation sang, "Jesus Paid It All".

13. Mrs. F. M. Huggins, in speaking on 'Our Women Seeking To Meet World Needs" stressed the importance of loving a lost world, giving to a needy world and praying for the world.

14. M. L. Walker turned the chair over to F. M. Huggins, vice-moderator who introduced Roy Bennett. Mr. Bennett spoke on "Making Man Into A Spiritual Dynamo." He stressed the importance of organizing the men in the churches so that they will asume responsibility for the work of the church and community, state and nation.

15. N. A. Melton, in speaking on the subject "What Church Organization Means To Me As A Pastor" said, " Church organizations are scriptural, and because they are scriptural they are practical. They are also effective in winning the lost in the church and Sunday school."

16. The congregation sang "Blest Be The Tie That Binds", after which Charles Vause dismissed the meeting with prayer.

PROCEEDINGS
— OF THE —
QUARTERLY MEETING
— OF THE —
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
— HELD IN —
Fruitland Baptist Assembly, June 29, 1947

The quarterly meeting of the Carolina Association was held in the Fruitland Baptist Assembly on June 29, 1947, with M. L. Walker presiding and Ralph Banning acting as clerk in the absence of Mrs. E. M. Bostic.

2. After D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in a hymn, Bobo Hollingsworth conducted a brief devotion.

3. M. L. Walker, recognized M. K. McGee, Representative of the Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem, who spoke on "The Healing Ministry of Jesus". He commented on the great work our hospital is doing in this ministry. He spoke of the crowded condition and the handicapps under which they were having to work and told of the plans for enlarging the hospital. At the close of his message an open forum was held, the congregation participating.

4. E. V. Plemmons, Associational Missionary, spoke briefly on the progress in the churches and presented a program of work for the coming year. He emphasized the importance of churches forming fields, setting goals and planning a program of work.

5. B. G. Henry, Business Manager of Fruitland, discussed the program for the summer and introduced the members of the Fruitland staff, who presented a special message in song.

6. J. C. Canipe, Superintendent of Evangelism and Principal of the Rural Preachers School, brought the closing message stating that the greatest need of the world was to know Jesus as Savior and Lord. He gave some alarming statistics on the number of lost people in North Carolina and in the Southern Baptist Convention. He also spoke of the grip of sin on our country North Carolina and in the Southern Baptist Convention. He also spoke of the and expressed a desire for a great spiritual awakening.
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7. The meeting was adjourned with prayer.

PROCEEDINGS
— OF —
THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION
— HELD WITH —
The Tryon Baptist Church, April 23, 1947

The annual meeting of the W. M. U. of the Carolina Association was held on Wednesday, April 23, 1947, at the Tryon Baptist church.

The meeting was called to order by the superintendent, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair. A devotional period was led by Mrs. Albert Drake on the subject, "Finding God's Will and Doing It".

Reports of the following committees were given:
STEWARDSHIP—Mrs. Junius Huggins.
MISSION STUDY—Miss Thelma Drake.
COMMUNITY MISSIONS—Mrs. Earl Marshall.
LITERATURE—Mrs. J. C. Canipe.
MARGARET FUND AND TRAINING SCHOOL—Mrs. O. J. Smith.
STUDENT FUND—Mrs. M. K. Sinclair.

Stewardship and Community Missions reports were enlarged upon by

Divisional Chairmen, Mrs. R. T. Baucom of Black Mountain and Mrs. J. O Crenshaw of Asheville, respectively.

The highlight of the morning session was the mission address by Miss Bertha Smith, missionary to China. Her subject was, "World Missions and Our Reponsibility".

The afternoon session was opened with devotions led by Mrs. O. M. Seigler on the subject, "Go Ye and Make Disciples of All Nations".

Rev. E. V. Plemmons spoke on the importance of training young people. Discussion of the young people's work was led by Mrs. F. M. Huggins. Those assisting and taking part were: Rev. T. G. Proctor, Becky Nell Stewart, Mrs. C. W. Maimwaring and Miss Ruth Provence, state executive secretary.

The reporting of the Nominating Committee was read and accepted and the following officers were elected: Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, superintendent; Mrs. O. J. Smith, associate superintendent; Mrs. F. M, Huggins, Young People's Leader; Miss Becky Nell Stewart, Assoc. Leader; Mrs. Fred Bowman, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. E. L. Marhall, chairman Community Missions; Mrs. W. E. Crawford, Chairman Stewardship; Mrs. H. L. F. Drake, Chairman Mission Study; Mrs. E. V. Plemmons, Chairman Margaret Fund and Training School; Mrs. O. J. Smith, Reporter; Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield, Chorister; Mrs. O. M. Seigler, Pianist; Mrs. M. L. Walker, Y. W. A. Leader; Rev. T. G, Proctor, R. A. Leader; Mrs. J. P. Stewart, G. A. Leader; Mrs. B. G. Henry, Sunbeam Leader; and Mrs. Sidney Pittillo, Mrs. Sumner, Mrs. M. M. Shufford, Mrs. Harvey Lindsey, Mrs. R. L. Savage, Mrs. Dono Wilkie, Group Leaders.

Mrs. J. R. Morgan, Divisional Superintendent, brought the closing message. The next annual session will be held at the Fruitland Baptist Church.

Ordained Baptist Ministers Who Are Not Pastors In The Association

NAME	*ADDRESS*
Barnwell, Odell	Fletcher, N. C.
Burrell, C. P.	Landrum, S. C.
Canipe, J. C.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Corn, D. R.	Zirconia, N. C.
Cox, T. P.	Arden, N. C.
Duffy, H. Y.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Henry, B. G.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Hollingsworth, Bobo	Hendersonville, N. C.
Holtzsclaw, Walter	Rt. 4, Hendersonville, N. C.
Huntley, B. E.	Bear Wallow, N. C.
Lindsey, W. G.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Mace, H. H.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Maimwaring, C. W.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Middleton, J. B.	Saluda, N. C.
Morgan, W. B.	Zirconia, N. C.
Neilson, A. J.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Orr, Finley M.	Rt. 5, Hendersonville, N. C.
Owenby, J. W.	Flat Rock, N. C.
Pace, Edmond	Zirconia, N. C.
Plemmons, E. V.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Reece, A. V.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Robertson, Edward	Fletcher, N. C.
Thompson, Thomas E.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Wall, J. O.	Gerton, N. C.
Wilkie, W. W.	Fletcher, N. C.

Ministers Ordained During The Year

NAME and Church	*Address*
Z. B. Brookshire (Hendersonvil'e First)	Hendersonville, N. C.
Matt R. Early (Warrior Mountain)	Saluda, N. C.

Students For The Ministry

NAME and College	*Address*
William A. Field (Wake Forest)	Horse Shoe, N. C.
Walter Davis (Gardner-Webb)	Hendersonvil'e, N. C.

Assistant Pastors Or Educational Directors

NAME, Work and Church	*Address*
Rev. N. A. Melton, Assistant Pastor, East Flat Rock	Colombus, N. C.
Allard Garren, Educational Director, H'vil'e 1st	Hendersonville, N. C.
Mrs. Cox, Financial Secretary, Hendersonville 1st	Hendersonville, N. C.

Choir Directors

CHURCH and NAME	*ADDRESS*
BALFOUR—E .A. Erwin	Hendersonville, N. C.
BARNWELL—Mrs. J. D. Jones	Balfour, N. C.
BEAR WALLOW—Foy J. Wall	Gerton, N. C.
BEULAH—P. L. Cantrell	Hendersonville, N. C.
CRAB CREEK—Mrs. Francis Griffin	Hendersonville, N. C.
CROSS ROADS—C. L. Osteen	Zirconia, N. C.
DANA—Mrs. L. V. Lyda	Flat Rock, N. C., Route 1
DOUBLE SPRINGS—E. M. Chilton	Tigerville, S. C.
EAST FLAT ROCK—D. G. Wilkie	Hendersonville, N. C.
EBENEZER—D. C. Orr	Hendersonville, N. C.
ETOWAH—Mrs. Annie Mae Parker	Etowah, N. C.
FLETCHER—B. L. Cunningham	Fletcher, N. C.
FRENCH BROAD—Marvin Freeman	Horse Shoe, N. C., Route 1
FRUITLAND—Junius Huggins	Hendersonville, N. C.
HENDERSONVILLE FIRST—Mrs. P. F. Suddeth	Hendersonville, N. C.
HOOPERS CREEK—Vollie Suttles	Fletcher, N. C.
HORSE SHOE—Mrs. Gladys Amick	Hendersonville, N. C.
JONES GAP—Wade Nelson	Hendersonville, N. C.
LOCUST GROVE—Oscar Stepp	Hendersonville, N. C.
MOUNTAIN PAGE—Levi C. Pace	Saluda, N. C.
MOUNTAIN VALLEY—Raleigh Maybin	Zirconia, N. C.
MUD CREEK—Mrs. John Perry	Hendersonville, N. C.
NAPLES—Elmo Orr	Mountain Home, N. C.
PLEASANT GROVE—D. R. Justus	Hendersonville, N. C., Route 4
REFUGE—Carroll Petitt	Hendersonville, N. C., Route 1
SHAWS CREEK—A. J. Nanney	Hendersonville, N. C.
TUXEDO—S. W. Bayne	Tuxedo, N. C.
VALLEY HILL—Jones Banning	Hendersonville, N. C., Route 3
WEST HENDERSONVILLE—J. B. Westall	Allen St., Hendersonville, N.C.

HISTORICAL TABLE

Carolina Baptist Association

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith			
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text Gen. 35:34
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Saluda	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Fruitland	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Beulah	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Conner	J. T. Freeman	Hoopers Creek	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Riverside	A. R. Love
1904	J.L.Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Fruitland	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Mt. Gilead	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	E. H'ville	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	F. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthorne	Salem	K. W. Cawthorne
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mt. Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	E. Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargent	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	E. Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	Mud Creek	BroadusE.Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Mrs.J.L.Redden	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Chas. Vause	H'ville 1st	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Fletcher and E. Flat Rock	W. W. Worley Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek and Refuge	O. M. Seigler B. G. Henry
1945	M. L. Walker	Mrs.E.M.Bostick	Horse Shoe and Balfour	J. N. Shuford L. A. Erwin
1946	M. L. Walker	Mrs.E.M.Bostick	Oak Grove	Wayne Peek
1947	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Mud Creek	Fred Poplin

TABLE ONE—CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location—OC, V, T, C	Year Organized	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	Church Membership															
				GAINS				LOSSES			TOTAL								
				Dates of Meeting	Baptisms	By Letter	Other Additions	By Letter	By Death	Other Losses	Present Resident Membership	Non-Resident Membership	Grand Total Present Membership	No. Weekly Prayer Meetings Held	No. of Revival Meetings Held	Spent on Building or Remodeling Last Year	Value of Pastor's Home	Total Value of All Church Property	Total Debt On Church Property
1 Balfour	V	1908	Otto Parham, Balfour	1,2,3,4	18	12		12	1		386		386	*	2	5,928.00	10,000	25,000	552
2 Barker Heights	V	1944	Clarence Haynes, Fletcher	1,2,3,4	14	6		7					73	*	2	635.00		5,500	
3 Barnwell	OC	1864	Virgil Jones, Balfour	1,2,3,4							7	4	11		2	60.00		500	
4 Bat Cave	V	1892	Charles Vause, Chimney Rock	2,4	3	10		6	1		77	50	127		1	170.00		8,000	
5 Bear Wallow	OC	1868	David Huntley, Fairview	1,3		3					55	18	73	*				3,600	
6 Berea	OC	1921	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	2,4	16		1	3	1		98		98	*	2	1,000.00		1,000	
7 Beulah	OC	1910	Fred Poplin, Flat Rock	1,2,3,4		3		4	3		276		276			141.21		3,000	
8 Broad River	OC	1866	L. G. Redding, Old Fort	1,3	1			8			43	49	92		1			2,000	
9 Calvary	T	1937	G. T. Pennell, Hendersonville	1,2,3,4	10	2		6			489		489	*	1		8,000	42,000	
10 Cedar Springs	OC	1847	Zeb Brookshire, Hendersonville	1,3	2	2			1		88	67	155	*	1			1,500	
11 Crab Creek	OC	1834	Richard Pace, Hendersonville	1,2,3,4					2				190	*				2,500	
12 Cross Roads	OC	1912	A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.	1,3	6	2					120		120		1	15.58		3,500	
13 Dana	OC	1936	J. N. Shuford, Hendersonville	1,2,3,4	5	5		5	1	2	74	35	109	*	3	177.00	5,000	21,200	
14 Double Springs	OC	1871	J. M. Chilton, Tigerville, S. C.	1,2,3,4	2	6		1	1				103	*	1	1,325.00		10,000	
15 E. Flat Rock	T	1911	N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock	1,2,3,4	5	18	2	2	2		168	101	269	*	1			10,000	
16 Ebenezer	OC	1817	L. K. Holbert, Flat Rock	2,4	7	15		4	3				315	*	1	3,695.60		12,000	
17 Etowah	OC	1926		2,4	11	3		8			150	47	197	*	1	3,690.49		6,000	
18 Fletcher	V	1838	M. L. Kirstein, Biltmore	1,2,3,4	2	1		10			195	53	248	*	2	700.00	5,000	25,000	150
19 French Broad	OC	1792	B. G. Henry, Hendersonville	1,2,3,4		3					30	20	50			5,000.00		12,000	
20 Friendship	OC		Josiah Holbert, Saluda																
21 Fruitland	OC	1875	N. A. Melton, Colombus	2,4	8	3		3	1		184		184		2			25,000	6000
22 Green River	OC	1846	A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.	1,3	3			1					96	*		54.00		2,000	
23 Hendersonville 1st	C	1844	O. M. Seigler, Hendersonville	1,2,3,4	50	83		49	5	4	1192	461	1,653	*	1		10,000	90,000	

24 Holly Springs	OC	1860	E. A. Kilstrom, Penrose	1,3				1	1				72					1,000	
25 Hoopers Creek	OC	1856	W. C. Huntley, Fletcher	1,2,3,4	12	1	1	6	4	24			250	*	1	1,136.00		7,500	
26 Horse Shoe	OC	1888	Fred Poplin, Flat Rock	1,2,3,4	24	15		6		1			164		2	1,942.61		8,000	
27 Jones Gap	OC	1892	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock		5			1	2		68	16	84			868.00		3,000	90
28 Laurel Springs	OC																		
29 Liberty	OC	1911	Berry Watts, Arden																
30 Locust Grove	OC		Quay Corn, Hendersonville	2,4	13	1		2					78		1			1,000	
31 Macedonia	OC		Josiah Holbert, Saluda																
32 Middle Fork	OC	1925	Roscoe Huntley, Rutherfordton	1,3	14						82		82	*	1	300.00		2 000	
33 Mills River	OC	1935	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock	2,4		4		3	1		73	50	123					2,000	
34 Mount Gilead	OC	1883	W. F. Sinclair, Arden	1,2,3,4		8		5	3	17			201	*	2	523.29		5,500	
35 Mount Moriah	OC	1896	Ralph Nix, Edneyville	1,3		1		2	2				197	*	1				
36 Mount Olivet	OC		J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville																
37 Mount Zion	OC	1900	W. K. Sawyer, Campobello, S.C								15	5	20					500	
38 Mountain Home	OC	1892	Berley Williams, Spindale	2,4							259		259	*		1,800.00		5,800	700
39 Mountain Page	OC	1789	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	1,3	3	2		1	3				265	*	1			3,000	
40 Mountain Valley	OC	1933		2,4	3			4					74	*	1			1,500	
41 Mud Creek	OC	1804	Jim Anderson, Etowah	1,2,3,4	16	8	1	7	3		422	78	500	*	1	926.85		10,000	
42 Naples	OC	1941	John Middleton, Fletcher	1,2,3,4	7	10		8			75	10	85	*	3	249.27		3,000	
43 Oak Grove	OC	1875	Ernest Blythe, R-4 Hend'ville	1,3				4						*	1	25.00		2,500	
44 Pacolet	T	1918	M. J. Ross, Tryon	1,2,3,4	11	4		7					174	*	2			4,000	
45 Pleasant Grove	OC	1912	Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe	1,3	6	5		1	2				169	*	1			2,000	
46 Pleasant Hill	OC	1890		1,3					1		106	12	118					3,000	
47 Refuge	OC	1837	Geo. Roberts, R-1, Hend'ville	1,2,3,4	8	4		8	4				341	*				6,000	
48 Saluda	T	1882	F. M. Huggins, Hendersonville	1,2,3,4	1	3	2	4	1		133	45	178	*	1	259.43		2,000	
49 Shaws Creek	OC	1882	T. G. Proctor, Jr., R-4, Hend'ville	1,2,3,4	16	16		7	4		123	70	193	*	1	1,443.34		10,000	
50 Tryon First	T	1891	C. E. Scarborough, Tryon	1,2,3,4	6	7		7	2				218			200.00	10,000	30,000	750
51 Tryon Second	T	1924	Silas Bradley, Tryon	1,2,3,4	5	7	1			2	44	14	58	*	2	311.75		6,000	
52 Tuxedo	V	1910	Wayne Peek, Tuxedo	1,2,3,4	15	3		8	2				363	*	2			11,000	
53 Valley Hill	OC	1908	J. W. McGuire, Rt. 2, Brevard	1,2,3,4	5	6		5	1				260	*	1	142.04		5,000	
54 Warrior Mt.	OC		M. R. Early, Saluda		7	7		1	1		30	20	50					2,500	
55 W. Hendersonville	C	1934	W. R. Hester, Hendersonville	1,2,3,4	17	7	1	9	2	2			168	*	3			6,000	
56 Zion Hill	OC	1914		1,2,3,4	13	11		10			88	100	188	*	1			4,000	
			GRAND TOTAL		370	307	9	108	59	52	5082	1309	10,044		53	$31,851.46	$48,000	$472,600	$8242

TABLE TWO— THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	Cradle Roll—3 Yrs. and Under	Nursery Attending Sunday (3 Yrs. & Under)	Beginners 4-5	Primaries 6-8	Juniors 9-12	Intermediates 13-16	Young People 17-24	Adults 25 Years & Up	Extension Dept.	General and Departmental Officers	No. of Mission Sunday Schools	Enrollment of Mission Sunday Schools	Total Enrollment—Main School and Mission	Avg. Attendance	Enrollment Vacation Bible School	What Was The Average Attendance
1 Balfour	J. W. Riddlehoover, Balfour			25	15	52	40	30	90	5	4			257	186		
2 Barker Heights	Quay M. Nelson, Rt. 5, Hendersonville													96	74		
3 Barnwell	Roy Huggins, Hendersonville					11	2	2	12					29	20	26	23
4 Bat Cave	W. H. Garvin, Bat Cave			18		12	6	9	33					78	46	25	
5 Bear Wallow				3		5		19	19					46	26		
6 Berea	Joe Moore, Rt. 3, Hendersonville			9		13	14		18					54	34		
7 Beulah	J. P. Huggins, Hendersonville			20		12	18	36	25					120	70		
8 Broad River	Michael Ledbetter, Black Mountain			4	6	10	5		9					34	25	25	20
9 Calvary	M. M. Hoots, S.MainSt. Hendersonville	30	25	21	35	31	42	57	118					304	150		
10 Cedar Springs	Lewis Levi, Zirconia			15		18		40	30	45				150	49		
11 Crab Creek	Robert Hurt, Rt. 3, Hendersonville			13		10		15	17		5			60			
12 Cross Roads	M. L. Jones, Zirconia			5		10		22	24		7			68	45		
13 Dana	X. Ray, Flat Rock	11		10	10	10	9	6	27		4			74	41	21	17
14 Double Springs	Mrs. R. B. Ward, Zirconia					4	5		18		2			29	20		
15 E. Flat Rock	M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	10	10	11	32	40	34	87	25	20				290	185	66	46
16 Ebenezer	Leland Levi, Rt. 2, Hendersonville			24	25	30	24	20	85					210	130		
17 Etowah	Tyre E. Duncan, Etowah	12		28	20	25	10	25	58					173	69	99	68
18 Fletcher	Howard Garren, Fletcher			30	13	27	15	25	38		13			151	75		
19 French Broad	Walter Constant, Rt. 5, Hendersonville				8		8	13	8					37	25		
20 Friendship																	
21 Fruitland	Howard Pryor, Rt. 2, Hendersonville			14	15	32	12	22	75					170	84	111	84
22 Green River	Allen Corn, Zirconia	7		8	7	10	8	14	5					59	45		
23 Hendersonville 1st	C. F. Jervis, Hendersonville	97	39	51	82	120	134	108	399	115	6			1151	484	208	147

24 Holly Springs	Odell McKinney, Penrose					8	10	4		3					25	20			
25 Hoopers Creek	Fred Youngblood, Fletcher				25		41	14	36	45					165				
26 Horse Shoe	Finley Pace, Hendersonville				25		22	23	40	22					132	65	45	40	
27 Jones Gap	Mrs. Virgil Jones, Rt. 4, Hendersonville				8	8	13	15	16	25					85	40			
28 Laurel Springs																			
29 Liberty	Lee Corn, Hendersonville				15			20	15	12					65	40			
30 Locust Grove																			
31 Macedonia	R. C. Messer, Bear Wallow														62	30			
32 Middle Fork																			
33 Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe				12	8	18	18	12	12					80	46			
34 Mount Gilead	J. C. Ballard, Fletcher				9	9	15	8	10	31					82	60			
35 Mount Moriah	Clannie Laughter, Edneyville				12	10	10	5	15	50					102	77	52	41	
36 Mount Olivet																			
37 Mount Zion																			
38 Mountain Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville				10	10	10	15	25	15		8			100	85			
39 Mountain Page	Edward Hill, Saluda				30	20	25		60	20					155	62			
40 Mountain Valley	Harlie Capps, Zirconia				14		5		15	10					44	30			
41 Mud Creek	Arthur Freeman, Hendersonville	6	29	30	25	32	23	58	31	5		2			241	129	77	72	
42 Naples	T. Orr, Mountain Home			19	7	21	11	38	34						140	120	75	56	
43 Oak Grove	T. Newill Hill, East Flat Rock			6	6	10	9	9	25			2			67	65			
44 Pacolet	Edward Covil, Lynn	15			15	15	12	13	25						95	70			
45 Pleasant Grove	Walter H. Gray, Rt. 4, Hendersonville			5	5	15	6	15	10						56	56			
46 Pleasant Hill	Miss M. Freeman, R-3, Hendersonville			8	11	13	16	18	9						73	50			
47 Refuge	W. J. Ballard, Rt. 1, Flat Rock	8		15	26	30	44	55	79			3			260	144	41	38	
48 Saluda	Mrs. D. W. Pace, Saluda	11		6	12	16	18	9	24	38					134	50	79	69	
49 Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanny, Rt. 4, Hendersonville		5	12	20	24	18	35	36				1	16	166	90	55	48	
50 Tryon First	N. L. Wilson, Tryon	30	33	13	21	36	23	17	64	32		4			269	122			
51 Tryon Second	Arthur Aiken, Tryon			14	14	35	11	24	33			3			131	77			
52 Tuxedo	Robert W. Erwin, Tuxedo			22	12	35	40	56	60	2		5			230	133			
53 Valley Hill	Jones Banning, Rt. 3, Hendersonville			25	28	42	25	48	35						303	120	91	83	
54 Warrior Mt.	Ned Anderson, Saluda														30		15	15	
55 W. Hendersonville	John Rollins, Hendersonville			31	8	31	27	18	35			2			150	85	52	45	
56 Zion Hill	Charlie Gordon, Zirconia	4		8	8	15	15	35	40			6			125	77			
	GRAND TOTAL	241	141	687	559	1021	806	1242	1923	262		76	1	16	7207	3826	1167	912	

TABLE THREE—TRAINING UNIONS * indicates yes. Blank indicates no

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Adult Unions	Young People's Unions	Intermediate Unions	Junior Unions	Story Hours	Total Unions and Story Hours	Adults Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Story Hours Enrolled	Total No. General and Dept. Officers	Total Enrollment	Avg. Attendance Per Sunday	Was Youth Week Observed	Was Christian Home Week Observed
1 Balfour	J. C. Brown, Jr., Mt. Home	1	1	1	1	1	5	14	8	22	25	17	2	88	58		
2 Barker Heights	Grant Pace, Hendersonville		1	1		1	3		16	9		14	2	41	26		
3 Bat Cave	G. V. Freeman, Bat Cave																
4 Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, Hendersonville	1		1				10		21				31	23		
5 Calvary	Miss Jessie Shipman, Horse Shoe	1	1	1	1	1	5							106	50		
6 Dana	Robert Lively, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	18	10	6	8	7		49	30	*	*
7 Double Springs	David Hudson, Jr., Zirconia			1						8			1	9			
8 East Flat Rock	Mrs. G. M. Clark, East Flat Rock	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	13	17	16	3		59	48		
9 Etowah	Mrs. Ralph Nicholson, Etowah	1	1	1	1	1	5	11	10	20	12	9		68			
10 Fletcher	N. A. Garren, Fletcher	1	1		1		3	15	10		12			37	30		
11 Fruitland	Junius Huggins, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	17	18	4	12	8		59	30		
12 Hendersonville 1st	Keith Arledge Hendersonville	3	2	4	4	1	14	37	54	62	49	28	12	242	140	*	*
13 Mt. Moriah	Ralph Nix, Edneyville	1	1	1	1		4							70			
14 Mud Creek	O'Neil Scruggs, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	11	14	9	13	9		56	53		
15 Naples	L. L. Moore, Naples	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	30	10	8	8		68	50		
16 Refuge	Grady Walker, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	1	2	1	1	1	6	17	29	11	15	9	2	83	45	*	
17 Saluda	Clyde Whitlock, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1		4	14	8	16	10		2	50	30		
18 Shaws Creek	Harvey Drake, Rt. 4, Hendersonville	1		1	1	1	4	20		30	10	12		72	35		
19 Tryon First	Fred Powell, Tryon		1	1	1		3		14	12	16		5	47	35	*	*
20 Tuxedo	Harvey Lindsey, Tuxedo	1	1	1	1	1	5	6	10	10	25	7	8	56	32	*	
21 Valley Hill	Mrs. Clinton Smith, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	20	20	14	25	5	6	95	45		
22 W. Hendersonville	H. F. Cantrell, Hendersonville	1		1	1	1	4	13		10	10	8	4	41	25		
		20	18	23	21	15	95	245	264	291	260	144	44	1421	785		

TABLE FOUR—WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENT OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESS	Number of Women's Missionary Societies	Number of Y.W.A.'s	Number of G.A.'s	Number of R.A.'s	No. of Sunbeams	Total W.M.U. Organizations	W.M.S. Members	Y.W.A. Members	G.A. Members	R.A. Members	Sunbeam Members	Total Members Enrolled	Total Enrolled In Mission Study Course	Contributions (Local Work) Given by W.M.U.	Contributions (Missions) Given by W.M.U.
1. Balfour	Mrs. J. C. Brown, Mt. Home, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	11		15	16	7	49		27.50	10.00
2. Barker Heights	Mrs. Edith Cantini, Hendersonville, R-5	1					1	7					7		16.18	
3. Bat Cave	Mrs. Thomas Mann, Bat Cave, N. C.	1					1	7					7			15.00
4. Calvary	Mrs. J. Brooks, Hendersonville	1	1				2	16	6				22	16	22.00	55.00
5. Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Flat Rock	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	4	5	5	9	35	14	179.45	48.37
6. Double Springs	Mrs. E. M. Chilton, Tigerville, S. C.	1					1	6					6			
7. East Flat Rock	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, E. Flat Rock	1	1	2	1	1	6	20	10	30	19	12	82	49		917.64
8. Etowah	Mrs. Ralph Nicholson, Etowah	1						17					17		372.07	85.00
9. Fruitland	Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, R-2 Hender's'v'le	1	1	2	1	1	6	25	12	15	8	15	60	13	5.50	228.50
10. Hendersonville 1st	Mrs. Marion Walker, Hendersonville	1	1	2	1	1	6	201	11	32	13	72	328	264	137.00	3933.34
11. Horse Shoe	Mrs. Effie Brogden, R-4 Hend'ville															
12. Mud Creek	Mrs. Mamie Orr, Hendersonville	1					1	14					14			207.98
13. Naples	Mrs. Ethel Smith, Naples	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	8	6	5	8	37			
14. Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Earl Gray, Etowah	1					1	12					12		55.00	25.00
15. Refuge	Mrs. Willis Allen, R-1, Hendersonville	2	2	1	1	1	7	30	16	10	13	28	97	8	1450.50	288.14
16. Saluda	Mrs. D. W. Pace, Saluda	1					1	12					12	10	40.40	149.99
17. Shaws Creek	Mrs. Hubert Orr, R-4, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	8	10	20	12	62			213.57
18. Tryon, 1st	Mrs. E. L. Bishop, Tryon	2	1	1		1	5	39	9	9		15	72	38	273.38	230.16
19. Tuxedo	Mrs. W. E. Crawford, Tuxedo	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	9	12	18	17	68	61	87.94	158.87
	GRAND TOTAL	20	12	13	9	10	63	463	93	144	107	195	987	473	$2666.92	$6566.56

TABLE FIVE—BROTHERHOOD WORK

* indicates yes. Blank indicates no

CHURCHES	DIRECTORS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	Does Church Have A Brotherhood Org.?	Present Enrollment	No. Brotherhood Meetings Last Year?	Amount Pledged Co-operative Program or Unified Budget coming year	Amount pledged to Associational Mission coming year	No. of Tithers In Church	No. Members Subscribing to Every Member Canvas	Total All Bldg. & Reserve Funds on Hands at End of Year	Is State Paper in Church Budget?	Does Church Have Library?
1 Balfour	Ed Justus, Rt. 5, Hendersonville					50.00	30				
2 Barker Heights	P. B. Ball, Rt. 5, Hendersonville								200.00		
3 Barnwell	Edgar Barnwell, Edneyville						4		65.00		
4 Bat Cave						5.00	2		730.00		
5 Bear Wallow					25.00		3		183.25		
6 Berea											
7 Beulah	Prichard Huggins, Rt-3, Hend'ville								68.14		
8 Broad River	Luther Ledbetter, Black Mt.						2		90.00		
9 Calvary	Joseph Pace, Hendersonville										*
10 Cedar Springs											
11 Crab Creek									110.37	*	
12 Cross Roads									360.70		
13 Dana	W. K. Hyder, R-1, Hend'ville				400.00				606.28	*	
14 Double Springs							5	91			
15 E. Flat Rock	D. G. Wilkie, East Flat Rock					81.00	30		20,492.73		*
16 Ebenezer	Virgil Smith, R-2, Hend'ville										
17 Etowah	T. E. Duncan, Etowah					32.00	5		73.18		
18 Fletcher	C. R. Cunningham, Fletcher				100.00	60.00	35				
19 French Broad	Bill Egerton					26.75					
20 Friendship											
21 Fruitland	H. L. F. Drake, Rt. Hendersonville	*	20	1							
22 Green River									141.38		
23 Hendersonville 1st	M. E. Gambrell, Hendersonville	*	125	11	11000.00	200.00	177		108,000.00		*
24 Holly Springs									32.79		

25 Hoopers Creek							5		244.00		
26 Horse Shoe	Finley Pace, Box 793, Hend'ville								756.78	*	
27 Jones Gap				5.00			40		50.00		
28 Laurel Springs											
29 Liberty											
30 Locust Grove											
31 Macedonia											
32 Middle Fork											
33 Mills River				100.00	25.00	3			101.34		*
34 Mount Gilead					50.00	12			87.00	*	
35 Mount Moriah											
36 Mount Olivet											
37 Mount Zion	King Gilbert, Hendersonville								250.00		
38 Mountain Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville								167.04		
39 Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda										
40 Mountain Valley	Raleigh Maybin, Zirconia								86.25		
41 Mud Creek	W. B. Reed, Rt. 5, Hndersonville			312.61	50.00	36			49.73		*
42 Naples	Ansel Dunlap, Rt. 5, Hendersonville	*	10	5	25.00	8			135.20		
43 Oak Grove									250.00		
44 Pacolet											
45 Pleasant Grove	James Drake, Hendsonville										
46 Pleasant Hill											
47 Refuge	J. A. Lytel, Rt. 1, Hendersonville				50.00	30			5,911.20		
48 Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda								3,668.68		
49 Shaws Creek	Troy Drake, Rt. 4, Hendersonville	*	12	12	100.00	50.00			425.00	*	*
50 Tryon First	Byron Rector, Tryon	*	40	12	7800.00	100.00	8	175	1,196.95	*	
51 Tryon Second							8		461.33		
52 Tuxedo	W. O. Walters, Tuxedo				312.00	150.00	10		2,749.92		*
53 Valley Hill	Jones Bannig, Rt. 3, Hend'ville						30		1,455.55		
54 Warrior Mt.	Ned Anderson, Saluda,										
55 W. Hendersonville	Alvin Pressley, Hend'ville								1,352.95		
56 Zion Hill									216.96		
	TOTAL		207	41	$20154.61	$954.75	443	306	$150,759.70		

TABLE SIX—GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHURCH WORK

See page 44 for another part of table 6

CHURCHES	Pastor's Salary Paid for Year	Incidentals—Janitor, Fuel, Water, Repairs, Insur., etc.	Assistant Pastor, Educational Director, Choir Leader, etc.	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Paid on Church Debt Out of Current Funds	Literature—Quarterlies, Church Paper, Song Books, etc.	Help for Local Poor	Minutes and Clerk of Association	Building Fund (Amount given last year)	Local Missions	Other Objects	Total Given for Local Church Work
1 Balfour	2,455.00	492.33		249.54		278.50	11.80	6.00	5,880.31		276.00	9,647.73
2 Barker Heights	411.38	13.87		15.02	635.48	52.94		3.00	235.70	48.43	14.00	1,454.02
3 Barnwell	65.87			52.63		25.00		1.50	89.70			209.80
4 Bat Cave	633.41	224.63	75.00	62.29		28.31	50.00	5.00			23.21	1,179.70
5 Bear Wallow	293.26	119.26				59.30		5.14			124.35	601.31
6 Berea	107.53								1,200.00			1,307.53
7 Beulah	428.38	77.70				66.52			141.21		20.00	733.81
8 Broad River	140.23	110.00		25.17		3.60		3.00				283.00
9 Calvary	2,600.00	500.00				450.00						3,550.00
10 Cedar Springs	196.56	100.00				40.53		5.00				342.09
11 Crab Creek	120.08					20.00		5.00	110.37			255.45
12 Cross Roads	244.28	21.14		100.00	1,500.00	28.66		3.00			138.48	2,135.56
13 Dana	1,522.32	447.68		199.36		90.92		40.00				2,300.28
14 Double Springs	483.82	20.00		200.00		65.00		2.00				770.82
15 E. Flat Rock	1,500.00	320.65	100.00	133.50		492.16	235.55	10.00	3,264.59	28.00	363.86	6,448.31
16 Ebenezer	1,337.53	314.00	100.00			125.00	175.30				53.60	2,107.43
17 Etowah	706.95	125.90	51.27			50.28	20.00	5.00	2,307.10	372.00	190.40	3,828.16
18 Fletcher	1,598.00	203.74		115.43	550.00	90.05	134.23	10.00			86.21	2,787.66
19 French Broad	1,125.00	192.92		25.00		36.09		1.50	5,000.00			6,380.51
20 Friendship												
21 Fruitland	650.00	88.60		240.00		114.00		7.50	11,194.00			1,100.10
22 Green River	319.11	10.00		77.01		10.62	6.25					422.99
23 Hendersonville 1st	4,900.00	2,892.41	5,221.50	705.72		1,172.46	624.60	15.00	33,182.81	3,459.00		52,173.80
24 Holly Springs	50.00					14.00						64.00

25 Hoopers Creek	1,836.31	1,965.25		140.36		127.00	492.88					317.78	4,939.58
26 Horse Shoe	792.25	88.16		115.00	1,942.61	78.56	788.00	5.00	1,378.48	137.00			4,534.52
27 Jones Gap	295.00				778.00	28.00	15.00					10.00	1,141.00
28 Laurel Springs													
29 Liberty													
30 Locust Grove	130.00	5.00		50.00		35.00						125.00	365.00
31 Macedonia													
32 Middle Fork	300.00			100.00		75.00							475.00
33 Mills River	437.00	32.70	20.00	37.75		42.78		10.00	111.34			39.15	730.72
34 Mount Gilead	1,5[illegible]	157.40		279.44		92.57	41.57	5.00	551.18			14.00	2,699.12
35 Mount Moriah	657.66	193.37	276.27	79.78		57.83	14.00	3.75					1,282.66
36 Mount Olivet													
37 Mount Zion	98.91												
38 Mountain Home		92.20				89.81	25.24	3.03		6.52			105.43
39 Mountain Page	460.65			60.32		59.99	232.70	2.50	1,800.00				2,010.98
40 Mountain Valley	150.00	80.00				35.00	73.50		270.00				815.56
41 Mud Creek	1,616.31	695.28		110.90		189.36	72.63	10.00	437.88	328.00			608.00
42 Naples	1,[illegible]50.00	295.00		140.00		136.06	150.00	5.00				45.00	3,490.31
43 Oak Grove	261.84	125.00		50.00	25.85	60.00	15.00					25.00	2,076.06
44 Pacolet	956.00	221.14		25.00		129.64	35.00	46.50	43.76				562.69
45 Pleasant Grove	526.59	81.60				54.83	725.00	2.00	184.08	58.00	30.00		1,428.44
46 Pleasant Hill	285.00	83.00				67.52							944.77
47 Refuge	2,380.31	532.03		238.00		210.97		10.50	3,280.11		141.00		435.52
48 Saluda	1,000.00	347.78		114.70		150.32	20.00	6.00	1,352.58		154.73		6,792.82
49 Shaws Creek	2,600.00	417.67		120.00		251.96	50.84	10.00	1,443.34	45.00	110.00		3,146.21
50 Tryon First	2,725.00	1,452.64	420.00		468.75	532.59		15.00		273.00	456.43		5,048.35
51 Tryon Second	590.00	152.00		131.00		58.59		8.00			113.75		6,343.69
52 Tuxedo	2,860.00	1,267.57	10.00	670.00	39.25	203.49	315.50	10.00	2,400.00				1,053.34
53 Valley Hill	1,300.00	495.38	50.00			210.93		10.00			142.04		7,775.81
54 Warrior Mt.	70.00	100.00		40.00		14.00		1.00			10.00		2,208.35
55 W. Hendersonville	1,291.59	214.88		346.55		235.55		64.57	1,457.95				235.00
56 Zion Hill	720.00	154.92		139.74		123.58	9.82	5.00					3,611.09
	$49,254.57	$16,901.20	$6,324.04	$4,559.21	$5,939.94	$6,770.80	$4,332.41	$360.49	$76,205.15	$4,154.95	$3,023.96	$166,105.74	1,153.06

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TABLE SEVEN—GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.

See page 45 for another part of table 7

CHURCHES	Gifts to Co-operative Program or Unified Budget	Designated To Associational Missions	Designated To State Missions	Designated To Home Missions	Designated To Foreign Missions	Designated To Schools, Colleges, And Seminaries	Orphanages (Cash and Conservative Estimated Value of Merchandise Clothing, etc.)	Designated To Hospitals	Designated To Red Cross And Foreign Relief	Relief and Annuity, Other Objects	Total For All Missions	Grand Total Of All Contributions For All Purposes
1 Balfour		50.00	17.22	179.00			125.00		90.00		461.22	10,103.95
2 Barker Heights							137.55	10.50			148.05	1,602.07
3 Barnwell		20.00					5.10		20.00		45.10	254.90
4 Bat Cave	117.17	5.00	19.76	19.76	19.77		198.01	40.73	100.00		1,722.19	2,901.89
5 Bear Wallow	25.03	10.34		17.00	52.24		31.06	54.15			192.82	794.13
6 Berea							8.90	38.00			46.90	1,354.43
7 Beulah	86.14						86.14				172.28	906.09
8 Broad River	27.09	9.20	6.10					7.05			49.44	337.44
9 Calvary							144.00				144.00	3,694.00
10 Cedar Springs	16.87						138.95	100.00		10.66	266.48	608.57
11 Crab Creek		3.62					30.62	10.00			44.24	299.69
12 Cross Roads							12.00				12.00	2,147.56
13 Dana	397.36		69.85	220.12	10.84		116.79	18.16		32.00	865.12	3,165.40
14 Double Springs	46.85										46.85	816.67
15 E. Flat Rock	739.46	70.00	44.05	94.18	243.95		1,613.00	251.00	522.00	53.00	3,630.64	10,078.95
16 Ebenezer		11.14					150.00	31.25			192.39	2,299.82
17 Etowah		32.00	11.08	108.43	108.43		282.78	30.75	74.20		647.67	4,475.83
18 Fletcher	46.03	65.00					139.61	35.85			286.49	3,074.15
19 French Broad							28.14				28.14	6,408.65
20 Friendship												
21 Fruitland	75.15	38.00	54.75	54.30	96.50	4.64	68.60	68.00		12.00		13,219.30
22 Green River							26.31				26.31	449.30
23 Hendersonville 1st	9,781.59	200.00	250.00	165.00	450.00	144.00	848.43	101.39		217.73	12,158.14	64,331.94
24 Holly Springs		4.50					15.00	17.50			37.00	101.00

25 Hoopers Creek		107.00									107.00	5,046.58
26 Horse Shoe	10.78	42.00			14.13		212.25	21.00	75.00	109.00	464.17	5,018.69
27 Jones Gap	5.00										5.00	1,146.00
28 Laurel Springs												
29 Liberty												
30 Locust Grove												365.00
31 Macedonia												
32 Middle Fork							20.00	12.00	70.00		102.00	577.00
33 Mills River	83.39	15.00	5.30	10.00	20.90		199.48	31.48	86.25		451.80	1,182.52
34 Mount Gilead		25.00	20.00	15.00			117.50	25.00	43.28		245.78	2,944.90
35 Mount Moriah	6.90			12.59			33.75			12.61	65.85	1,348.51
36 Mount Olivet												
37 Mount Zion							6.70	6.80			13.50	118.93
38 Mountain Home												2,010.98
39 Mountain Page							58.75	31.05			89.80	905.36
40 Mountain Valley						63.00					63.00	671.00
41 Mud Creek	312.61	50.00	33.50	63.85	135.48		183.10	50.00	110.00	25.82	964.36	4,253.59
42 Naples		15.00	25.00		100.00		16.40				156.40	2,242.46
43 Oak Grove							10.00					
44 Pacolet				44.29	44.29		50.00	32.00			170.58	1,599.02
45 Pleasant Grove							116.67		113.00		229.67	1,174.44
46 Pleasant Hill		8.00		11.00				10.00			29.00	264.52
47 Refuge	441.86	50.00	50.35		49.14		185.01	102.42	77.00	56.00	1,011.78	7,804.61
48 Saluda	181.48	45.00	27.93	33.58	94.50		194.27	38.20	134.40	40.40	787.86	3,936.07
49 Shaws Creek	114.94	45.00	120.05	277.76			106.00				663.75	5.712.60
50 Tryon First	588.77	87.60	134.46				90.00	38.98	48.75		988.56	7,442.25
51 Tryon Second											430.97	1,484.21
52 Tuxedo	315.60	171.00	35.76	15.00	10.00		282.34	40.80	145.89		1,016.39	8,792.20
53 Valley Hill		50.00	30.99	30.99	31.00		90.00	20.74		14.10	267.82	2.476.17
54 Warrior Mt.												235.00
55 W. Hendersonville	210.28	5.00	30.83	302.20	58.23		230.13	56.20			892.87	4,503.96
56 Zion Hill					20.68		50.21	27.37	107.05		205.31	1,575.33
GRAND TOTAL	$13,629.35	$1,234.40	$986.98	$1,674.05	$1,560.08	$211.64	$6,458.55	$1,358.37	$1,816.82	$583.32	$30,676.69	$204,217.33

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See Table 6 on pages 40 and 41

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES
1 Balfour	Dan R. Lyda, Rt. 2, Hend'ville
2 Barker Heights	Miss Edna Hyder, Rt. 5, Hend'ville
3 Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, Edneyville
4 Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave
5 Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrell, Gerton
6 Berea	Ethel Gibbs, Rt. 3, Hend'ville
7 Beulah	J. W. Cantrell, Rt. 4, Hend'ville
8 Broad River	Luther Ledbetter, Black Mt.
9 Calvary	M. M. Hoots, Hendersonville
10 Cedar Springs	T. J. Ward, Zirconia
11 Crab Creek	Francis Griffin,R 3,Hend'ville
12 Cross Roads	M. L. Jones, Zirconia
13 Dana	W. T. Willis, Rt. 1, Hend'ville
14 Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, Zirconia
15 E. Flat Rock	H. D. Morrison, Hend'ville
16 Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Rt. 1, Hend'ville
17 Etowah	Felix Weese, Etowah
18 Fletcher	W. E. Baldwin, Fletcher
19 French Broad	Mrs. Tommy Justus, Hend'ville
20 Friendship	
21 Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Rt. 2, Hend'ville
22 Green River	Mrs. U. S. Staton, Zirconia
23 Hendersonville 1st	B. B. Mussagee, Hend'ville
24 Holly Springs	Sell Kilpatrick, Penrose
25 Hoopers Creek	J. K. Williams, Fletcher
26 Horse Shoe	Mrs. Finley Pace, Hend'ville
27 Jones Gap	Mrs. M. S. McCarson, Rt. 4, Hend'ville
28 Laurel Springs	
29 Liberty	
30 Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hend'ville
31 Macedonia	
32 Middle Fork	Mrs. Luther Hill, Bear Wallow
33 Mills River	Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe
34 Mount Gilead	Winfred Huges, Arden, Rt. 1
35 Mount Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville
36 Mount Olivet	
37 Mount Zion	J. E. Cox, Rt. 2, Hendersonville
38 Mountain Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville
39 Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Rt. 1. Saluda
40 Mountain Valley	Grant Maybin, Zirconia
41 Mud Creek	Mrs. Lulu Kent, Rt. 3, Hend'ville
42 Naples	Joyce Ivester, Rt. 5, Hend'ville
43 Oak Grove	T. H. M. Tabor, Flat Rock
44 Pacolet	W. K. Ross, Lynn
45 Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah
46 Pleasant Hill	Mary Freeman, Rt. 3, Hend'ville
47 Refuge	Clarence Creasman, Dana
48 Saluda	Mr. A. L. Savage, Saluda
49 Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, Rt. 4, Hend'ville
50 Tryon First	R. E. Brantley, Tryon
51 Tryon Second	E. B. Bradshaw, Lynn
52 Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo
53 Valley Hill	Clinton S. Smith, Hend'ville
54 Warrior Mt.	
55 W. Hendersonville	Mrs. Delno Clayton, Hend'ville
56 Zion Hill	P. H. Groce, Zirconia

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CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES
1 Balfour	Clyde Fetner, Hendersonville
2 Barker Heights	Mrs. Quay Nelson, R-5, Hend'ville
3 Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell,R-1, Edneyville
4 Bat Cave	Mrs. Carrie Cannon, Bat Cave
5 Bear Wallow	Mrs. Modeen Bradley, Gerton
6 Berea	era C pps. R-3, Hendersonville
7 Beulah	J. W. Cantrell, R-4, Hend'ville
8 Broad River	Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mt,
9 Calvary	Ethel MacMurray, Hend'ville
10 Cedar Springs	W. P. Bane, Zirconia
11 Crab Creek	Seldon Osteen, Hendersonville
12 Cross Roads	Sue Jones, Zirconia
13 Dana	X. Ray, Flat Rock
14 Double Springs	W. T. Shipman, R-1, Zirconia
15 E. Flat Rock	John Sinclair, East Flat Rock
16 Ebenezer	B. C. Marlowe, R-1, Hend'ville
17 Etowah	Mrs. W. A. Morgan, R-4, Hend'ville
18 Fletcher	Mrs. C. F. Dockings, Fletcher
19 French Broad	Annie B. Egerton, Hend'ville
20 Friendship	
21 Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, R-2, Hend'ville
22 Green River	Mrs. U. S. Staton, Zirconia
23 Hendersonville 1st	A. R. Karling, Hend'ville
24 Holly Springs	Sell Kilpatrick, Penrose
25 Hoopers Creek	Cecil Worsham, Fletcher
26 Horse Shoe	Mrs. H. P. Hank, Horse Shoe
27 Jones Gap	Mrs. V. L. Jones, R-4, Hend'ville
28 Laurel Springs	
29 Liberty	
30 Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hend'ville
31 Macedonia	
32 Middle Fork	Wade Huntley, Bear Wallow
33 Mills River	G. O. Field, Horse Shoe
34 Mount Gilead	Ray M. Crawford. Horse Shoe
35 Mount Moriah	Sidney Hill, Edneyville
36 Mount Olivet	
37 Mount Zion	J. E. Cox, R-2, Hend'ville
38 Mountain Home	Rollan Jones. Edneyville
39 Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, R-1, Saluda
40 Mountain Valley	Elmo Corn, Zirconia
41 Mud Creek	John Anders, R-5. Hend'ville
42 Naples	T. L. Moore, Naples
43 Oak Grove	Lewis Roper, Hend'ville
44 Pacolet	W. K Ross, Lynn
45 Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lathe Williams, R-4, Hend'ville
46 Pleasant Hill	Ethel Fisher, Hendersonville
47 Refuge	Bessie Marshall, R 1, Hend'ville
48 Saluda	E. B Hall. Saluda
49 Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, R 4, Hend'ville
50 Tryon First	Iris Jackson, Tryon
51 Tryon Second	Gertrude Howard, Tryon
52 Tuxedo	S. W. Bane, Tuxedo
53 Valley Hill	Glenn Summey, R-3, Hend'ville
54 Warrior Mt.	Mrs. Ned Anderson, Saluda
55 W. Hendersonville	Harold Brown, Hend'ville
56 Zion Hill	Charlie Gordon, Zirconia

CONSTITUTION

Mell's Parliamentary Practice Followed:

Article 1—Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Carolina Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers of Missionary Baptist churches in Henderson and Polk counties, and any other Missionary Baptist churches which may wish to unite with them.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members in excess of one hundred. Only the names of the messengers attending the meeting shall be printed in the minutes.

Article 2—Objects

Section 1. The object of this Association shall be to devise and recommend measures for the increasing of mental and spiritual power of the churches, and for developing and directing their energies, their resources and gifts in advancing the Master's Kingdom throughout the entire world.

Article 3—Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational B. T. U. Director, all of whom shall be elected by a majority vote by ballot, at each annual meeting. These officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall, by fraternal visitation, counsel and advise with the churches regarding their work through the year.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches in the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment. His annual compensation shall be $50.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall have charge of all the funds which may be raised by the Association, of which he shall give an account at the annual meeting.

Article 4

Section 1. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as from time ot time be deemed advisable.

Article 5

Section 1. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ and the ordinances of His house as accepted by Missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, by a majority vote.

Section 2. Any church in good standing in this Association may, on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

Article 6

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Article 7

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2. Each fifth Sunday the association meets at some designated church at 2 P. M. and adjournes at 4:00 P. M.

3. The Sunday schools of the association meets every month on the third Sunday.

4. The Training Union meetings will be announced by the director.

5. The annual meeting of the W. M. U. will be held with the

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FRUITLAND BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

The Fruitland Baptist assembly and the Fruitland Preachers school is located in the Carolina association six miles east of Hendersonville.

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The next session of the Carolina Baptist Association will be held with the Valley Hill Baptist church on Aug. 9, 1949. The preacher for the annual sermon will be Claude E. Scarborough of the First Baptist church of Tryon, with George Roberts of Refuge Baptist church as alternate.

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Carolina Association For the Year Beginning August, 1948

Missionary: E. V. Plemmons ..... Rt. 2, Hendersonville, N. C.
Superintendent: Roy Huggins ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Asso. Supt. In Charge of Training: W. B. Sinclair, Hendersonville, N.C.
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Evangelism: Rev. Fred Poplin, Fletcher, N. C.
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Enlargement: Rev. E. V. Plemmons ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Vacation Bible School:
Mrs. H. T. Sitton ..... Rt. 1, Hendersonville, N. C.
Secretary-Treasurer: Rachel Kuykendall ..... Box 1041, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist: Miss Lois Parker ..... Etowah, N. C.
Chorister: Mrs. Annie Mae Parker ..... Etowah, N. C.

GROUP SUPERINTENDENTS:

No. 1—Mrs. H. L. Drake ..... Rt. 2, Hendersonville, N. C.
No. 2
No. 3
No. 4
No. 5
No. 6—Russell Hazeltine ..... Hebron Street, Hendersonville, N. C.

DEPARTMENT SUPERINTENDENTS:

Cradle Roll: Mrs. A. R. Karling ..... Kanuga St., Hendersonville, N. C.
& Nursery
Beginner: Mrs. Junius Huggins ..... Chimney Rock Road, H'ville, N. C.
Primary: Mrs. Edith Bollinger ..... Rt. 5, Henedrsonville, N. C.
Junior
Intermediate: Miss Izorah Reece ..... Washington St., H'ville, N. C.
Young People: Mrs. E. V. Plemmons
Adult: Mrs. J. R. Neville ..... Kanuga St., Hendersonville, N. C.
Extension: Rev. A. J. Neilson ..... Rt. 5, Hendersonville
Vacation Bible School: Mrs. H. T. Sitton ..... Rt. 1, H'ville, N. C.

STANDING COMMITTEES

State Missions ..... J. N. Shufford
Home Missions ..... N. A. Melton
Foreign Missions ..... W. C. Huntley
Ministers Retirement ..... D. G. Wilkie
Orphanage ..... M. K. Sinclair
B. T. U. ..... O. J. Smith
S. S. ..... Roy Huggins
Christian Education ..... Miss Della Garren
Temperance and Public Morals ..... V. E. Rector
Periodicals ..... M. L. Walker
Hospital ..... C. B. Vause
Promotion ..... T. G. Proctor
W. M. U. ..... Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
Obituaries ..... Geo. Pennell
Historian ..... Noah Hollowell
W. H. Davis
Layman's Work ..... A. J. Nanney
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Wayne Peek
N. B. Baldwin
Missions Committee ..... C. E. Scarborough, Chm.
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
J. N. Shufford
N. B. Phillips
Roy Huggins
Program Committee ..... Noah Hollowell, Chm.
F. M. Huggins
Fred Jervis

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Director	O. J. Smith
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Sec.-Treas.	Louise Cagle
Chorister	Junius Huggins
Pianist	Mrs. Fred Pressley
Pastor's Advisor	Rev. Fred Poplin
Adult Leader	Mrs. Clinton Smith
Young Peoples' Leader	Frank Neville
Intermediate Leader	Mrs. L. V. Lyda
Junior Leader	Mrs. Virgil Jones
Story Hour Leader	Mrs. Hazeltine
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No. 1	Albert Hill
No. 2	Euva Sentell
No. 3	Neil Scroggs
No. 4	Francis Waters
No. 5	Mrs. F. M. Huggins
No. 6	D. G. Wilkie

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Barnwell, Odell	Fletcher, N. C.
Brevard, Darrell	Fletcher, N C.
Burrell, C. P.	Landrum, S. C.
Capps, Harley	Zirconia, N. C.
Cox, T. P.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Crawford, J. N.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Canipe, J. C.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Davis, W. H.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Duffy, H. Y.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Green, T. P.	Henedrsonville, N. C.
Henson, Glenn	Horse Shoe, N. C.
Huntley, David	Fairview, N. C.
Huntley, B. E.	Bear Wallow, N. C.
Hollingsworth, Bobo	Hendersonville, N. C.
Lindsay, W. G.	Edneyville, N. C.
Mace, H. H.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Moore, M. L.	Henedrsonville, N. C.
Maimwaring, C. W.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Neilson, A. J.	Henedrsonville, N. C.
Orr, Finley	Hendersonville, N. C.
Pace, Edmond	Hendersonville, N. C.
Plemmons, E. V.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Reece, A. V.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Roberts, W. A.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Roberson, Edward	Fletcher, N. C.
Searcy, P. C.	Bear Wallow, N. C.
Thompson, Thomas E.	Hendersonville, N. C.
Vaughn, Ed	Hendersonville, N. C.
Vaughn, Manning	Hendersonville, N. C.
Wilkie, Woodrow	Fletcher, N. C.
Worsham, Cecil	Fletcher, N. C.

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Harrison Chapman ..... Lynn, N. C.
Leo Belle ..... Tuxedo, N. C.

CHORISTERS OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Balfour, E. A. Erwin ..... Balfour, N. C.
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Cross Roads, C. L. Osteen ..... Zirconia
Dana, Mrs. L. V. Lyda ..... Flat Rock
Double Springs, D. C. Hudson ..... Tigerville, S. C.
East Flat Rock, D. G. Wilkie ..... Hendersonville
Etowah, Mrs. Annie Mae Parker ..... Etowah
Fletcher, C. R. Cunningham ..... Fletcher
Fruitland, Junius Huggins ..... Hendersonville
Green River, Mrs. Essie Staton ..... Zirconia
Hendersonville, First, Mrs. P. F. Suddeth ..... Hendersonville
Holly Springs, Miss Mollie Pace ..... Hendersonville
Hoopers Creek, D. G. Wilkie ..... Fletcher
Middle Fork, Wade Huntley ..... Bear Wallow
Mt. Moriah, James Hill ..... Edneyville
Mt. Home, R. A. Jones ..... Edneyville
Mountain Page, Levi Pace ..... Saluda
Mountain Valley, Lincoln Maybin ..... Zirconia
Mud Creek, Mrs. John Perry ..... Hendersonville
Naples, Elmo Orr ..... Mountain Home
Pleasant Grove, Coy Blythe ..... Hendersonville
Refuge, Carroll Petitt ..... Hendersonville
Shaws Creek, A. J. Nanney ..... Hendersonville
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DANA: Earl Marshall, W. K. Hyder, Mrs. W. L. Willis.

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PACOLET: Bertha Panther, Genell Foster, Clara Coville, M. J. Ross and Mamie Ross.

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CONSTITUTION

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3. The moderator called the association to order and asked for a roll call of the churches present. There were 37 churches represented and the following visitors. Dr. Zeno Wall, from the Baptist Orphanage, Dr. Phil. Elliot from Gardner Webb College, Claude Gaddy, from Raleigh, Mrs. James Compton, and Rev. and Mrs. Hyers.

4. Bro. N. B. Phillips made motion that the following officers be re-elected for the coming year; F. M. Huggins, moderator, E. V. Plemmons, clerk, Otto Parham, Vice moderator, M. K. Sinclair, Treasurer, Noah Hollowell, Historian, W. H. Davis, Assistant Historian, M. L. Walker, Recorder Representative. Roy Huggins, Sunday School Supt., O. J. Smith Baptist Training Union Director and E. V. Plemmons, Association Missionary.

5. The Following program was presented by Claude Scarborough and adopted by the body.

6. A report on state mission was presented by T. G. Proctor pastor of Shaws Creek church and adopted by the body.

REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS

Our State Missions Headquarters at Raleigh, under the leadership of Dr. M. A. Huggins, directs a work that is diversified and all-important.

Mr. Claude Gaddy is the executive secretary of our Council on Christian Education. Our colleges are Wake Forest, Meredith, Mars Hill, Gardner-Webb and Campbell.

State mission field secretaries E. L. Spivey, J. C. Pipes, and E. L. Bradley direct work in their respective territories. Dr. Spivey is doing a great work in conducting schools for deacons. The churches in our association have been recently helped by this work. Missionary work is also done among people of other races. Weak churches, too, are financially aided.

Dr. J. C. Canipe, as state evangelist, promotes association-wide revival services, He conducts special preachers schools at Fruitland and other places. He thus gives an opportunity of training which could not otherwise be had.

The State Convention owns the Biblical Recorder, our state paper, and the Baptist Book stores at Raleigh and Charlotte. Orphanages at Thomasville and Kinston are maintained. Visual education is also promoted.

Our state assemblies are now held at Fruitland and Seaside. Here, our Baptist leaders from local churches all over the state are instructed and inspired to greater efforts.

The State Mission headquarters serves as a channel thru which support can be sent to Foreign Missions and other south-wide causes It works with, and receives the able support of, the Woman's Missionary Uuion.

Respectfully submitted,
T. G. Proctor, Jr.
Aug. 3, 1948

7. The following report on Home Missions was read by Jim Anderson, Pastor of the Mud Creek church and adopted

HOME MISSION REPORT

The annual report of the Home Mission Board reveals an interesting program of successful missionary endeavor.

The Missionaries

During the year there were some sixty replacements due to resignation, retirement, or death. Home Board missionaries serving in Guatemala and Honduras were transferred to the Foreign Mission board, which took over the work in those Central American countries. The total number of missionaries is 720, three more than the number reported in 1946. Add 286 student summer workers to the number of full-time missionaries and the grand total will be 1006.

Evangelistic Results

The missionaries delivered 68,425 sermons and addresses, made 255,388 religious visits, contacted 55,270 persons in personal work, and reported 24,221 conversions with 12,814 additions to the churches. There was an average of 30 conversions for every full-time worker.

Literature

Missionaries of the Home Board distributed 52,651 Bibles and gospels, 1,125,132 pages of tracts, and taught 10,709 classes in mission study. They conducted 1,135 revivals.

Co-operative Missions

Approximately one-fifth of the budget of the Home Mission Board is spent in co-operation with state boards. The work of that department is reported by the states. A summary of such reports would be an interesting chapter in the year's achievements.

Missionary Education

In the field of missionary education, it is reported that 1,979 churches participated in schools of missions, using 227 speakers and conducting 2,718 classes, with a total participation in the schools of 749,155. Seventy-one home missionaries served in 98 camps in 17 states, and twenty-one missionaries were committed to serve in other programs of mission study.

Peak circulation for **Southern Baptist Home Missions** was 119,200; and 110,722 mission study books were circulated.

Two 16 mm. home mission films were released and nine new sets of slides. Projected pictures were ordered by 518 churches during 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. Anderson

8. The report on Foreign Missions was submitted by Claude Scarborough, pastor of the First Church of Tryon. The report was adopted by the body.

FOREIGN MISSION REPORT

Foreign Mission is the term used in referring to our mission program beyond our Home Territory. Truly as we look at the world this morning we see that it stands in need of many things, but the one thing that it needs most is the gospel of Christ. Southern Baptist have never had a greater privilege, opportunity and responsibility for making Christ known in our world than they have today. From dying souls around the world we hear the cry, "Come over and help us".

The hope of our world does not lie in the United Nation's assembly, as important as it is, nor in the meeting of the political leaders of our world, but the hope of our world lies in Christ Jesus and those who have been redeemed through faith in him.

Our foreign mission work needs our prayers, our active good will, our young people and our money. May we not fail God and man by failing to make Him known in such an hour as this.

Respectfully submitted ,
C. E. Scarborough

Surely there has never been a time in the history of man when there were more hungry, cold and homeless people in the world than we have seen in the last few years. Shall we hear our Lord say, "In as much as ye did it unto one of the least of these, ye did it unto me", or shall He say, "In as much as ye did it not unto one of the least of these ye did it not unto me."

If your church has not sent in a relief offering for our suffering world, won't you go back and start such a movement yourself? Send your clothing, shoes, etc. to the SOUTHERN BAPTIST RELIEF CENTER, 718 RICHARD STREET, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA.

9. The following committee was appointed by the chair;
Reception of New Churches: Wade Sinclair, Otto Parham and Jim Anderson
Committee on Committees: M. L. Walker, T. G. Proctor, C. E. Scarborough.
Time, Place and Preacher: Fred Poplin, Wayne Peek, R. B. Staton.
Resolutions: George Roberts, Charles Vause, Junius Huggins.

10. The Associational Treasurer read the following report of finances which was adopted by the body.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

Financial Statement — Year Ending July 31, 1948

Cash on hand at beginning of year	$ 18.85	
Cash received for Minutes	254.18	
Cash received for Field Worker	1,594.52	
Cash received from Fruitland Trustees	194.47	
Cash received Quarterly meetings	149.08	2,211.10
Disbursements:		
Paid out for Minutes	250.00	
Paid out for Field Worker	1,759.27	
Paid out for Retirement Fund	80.00	
Paid out for Clerk	50.00	
Paid out for Associational expense	57.40	2,196.67
Balance on hand		14.43

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

Contributions to Minute fund and to maintain Associational Worker, since last report.

	Minutes	Asso. Worker
Balfour	6.00	58.21
Barker Heights	3.00	
Barnwell	1.50	5.00
Bat Cave	5.00	31.65
Bear Wallow	5.00	22.65
Berea	3.80	3.61
Beulah	5.00	21.40
Broad River	3.00	7.06
Cedar Springs	5.00	1.75
Crab Creek	8.60	6.00
Cross Roads	3.00	12.20
Dana	5.00	60.00
Double Springs	2.00	24.19
East Flat Rock	10.00	81.00
Ebenezer		31.14
Etowah	5.00	79.56
Fletcher	10.00	25.00
Fruitland	7.50	40.00
Green River	3.00	
Hendersonville First	15.00	150.00
Holly Springs	2.00	
Hoopers Creek		30.00
Horse Shoe	5.00	39.60
Jones Gap	5.00	14.75
Liberty		1.00
Locust Grove	2.00	7.00
Middle Fork	2.00	15.00
Mills River	10.00	31.00
Mount Gilead	5.00	25.00
Mount Moriah	3.75	73.14
Mount Zion	3.00	1.50
Mountain Home	3.03	
Mountain Page	2.50	
Mud Creek	20.00	82.30
Naples	5.00	25.00
Pacolet	5.00	46.80
Pleasant Grove	2.00	
Pleasant Hill	3.00	37.43
Refuge	10.50	41.00
Saluda	5.00	75.00
Shaws Creek	10.00	80.00
Tryon First	15.00	100.00
Tryon Second	3.00	
Tuxedo	10.00	73.00
Valley Hill	10.00	65.00
Warrior Mountain	1.00	6.00
West Hendersonville		64.58
Zion Hill	5.00	
	$254.18	$1,594.52

11. Dr. M. A. Huggins, General Secretary of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina brought a very timely and inspiring message on The World Mission Program of Jesus using Luke 10;25-37. His Subject being 'Sharing or Shearing." He stated that the brotherhood of man is more than mere ideals, and there is in the world to great philosophies; that of shearing practiced by the pressure groups and that of sharing practiced by the Christians and some non-Christian groups.

12. Allard Garren, Educational Director of the First Baptist Church in Henedrsonville made announcement in regard to conveniences and lunch for the messengers and visitors of the association.

13. After a congregational hymn, "Amazing Grace" led by Fred Poplin, the annual association sermon was delivered by Ralph Banning, a former pastor in the Carolina Association. Bro. Banning used Rev. 2:1-5 for his text, speaking from the subject "The Danger of Getting over It". He stressed the danger of drifting away from the compassion of Jesus for the lost, The danger of luke-warmness in our churches, and the danger of getting over the zeal and compassion that follows conversion.

14. A delightful lunch prepared by the host church and an hour of fellowship was enjoyed by all present, after being dismissed with prayer by Claude Scarborough, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Tryon.

AFTERNOON SESSION

15. The afternoon session was opened with Fred Poplin leading the congregation in singing "I Love To Tell The Story", "Must Jesus Bear The Cross Alone", and "When I Survey the Wonderous Cross". J. E. Blythe read and commented on John 11:28. Z. V. Brookshire the opening prayer.

16. The following visitors were recognized: L. E. Martin of the Allied Church League of N. C., W. K. McGee from the North Carolina Baptist Hospital at Winston Salem, Marc Lovelace from Wake Forest College, and L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the "Biblical Recorder".

17. A report on Ministers Retirement was presented by A. J. Neilsen of the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville.

REPORT MINISTERS RETIREMENT PLAN

The Ministers Retirement plan has proved its value in the favor it has won among our Southern Baptist Churches. It is perhaps the best method of cooperation between pastors, churches and denomination in meeting a great need. Every church look in its planning of entering its membership with the board that directs the work. Surely, the men who have served as pastors of our churches should not be left without a reasonable income after the useful years of their life has passed.

Respectfully submitted,

A. J. Neilson

18. Roy Huggins, Associational Sunday Supt. of the Carolina Association submitted the following report on Sunday School work and progress in the association.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

The year ending July 31, 1948 with respect to Sunday School has been somewhat gratifying. Our Associational Sunday School Officer's Cabinet requires 26 persons holding a responsible position. We are happy to report all these offices this year have been filled except one. Officers in general have done a splendid job.

We have held 4 Associational Officer's Councils. 2 Associational wide Meetings have been conducted. 403 letters and cards have been mailed in Sunday School interest. 86 visits have been made to the churches, aiding in preparation for better Sunday School Workers Councils, Better Teaching, Daily Vacation Bible Schools, and in some special calls have helped moderate in pastor's elections.

A report of 10 churches studying the book of Ephesians in January. 20 churches were visited with the 1948 Program-planning in keeping with efforts for past two years for February-March.

At a luncheon Meeting May 16, 1948 of the Associational Officers a plan was agreed upon for a progressive program each month, as follows: One month a meeting with some church in Association featuring conferences, reports, and inspiration; then the following month an Associational Officer's Luncheon Meeting analyzing meeting of last month and planning meeting of next in the Association. This work is gaining momentum and recognition.

The next Associational Sunday School meeting is slated to be with Valley Hill Baptist Church on Sunday, August 15, 1948, at 2:30 P. M. This will be a conference-type meeting.

We have two mission Sunday Schools and 55 churches with active Sunday Schools. Approximate Enrollment 7,927. Daily Vacation Bible Schools conducted this year 22. Gave to Orphanage through Sunday School in produce, value $140.80. Churches taking Study Courses 4. Awards issued 114.

No new Sunday Schools have been organized, but we have two prospective mission communities, and almost as many possibilities for Sunday Schools as we have enrolled. "The fields are white unto harvest" for more and better Sunday Schools.

I respectfully submit this report.

Roy Huggins, Assoc. S. S. Supt.

19. The report on periodicals was read by Wade F. Sinclair. He introduced L. L. Carpenter, editor of the Recorder who spoke on the "Biblical Recorder". After the discussion the report was adopted as read.

REPORT ON PERODICALS

The strength of an organization depends to a great extent upon the intelligence of its members, and having long realized this fact, Baptists have been out in the front with the soundest literature in the world. We offer no apology for the great doctrines which have made us under God what we are. We do apologize for the ignorance of our people who have read unsound, misleading literature.

We need to work out some plan to get sound religious literature before our people and thus counteract the flood of misleading perodicals published and circulated freely everywhere by the various cults that keep springing up over the land.

We quote Dr. L. L. Carpenter with reference to the RECORDER:

"The report on the Biblical Recorder this year is encouraging, although we face some financial difficulties due to the increasing cost of print paper and other items. The present circulation is around 44,000. For this large circulation we are grateful to God and to those who have supported the paper and tried to get it in the homes of our people.

Our aim is to make the Recorder both a good wholesome, attractive family weekly, and a solid denominational journal. We feel, since it is the organ of the Baptist State Convention and because of the service it will render, that it ought to be in every Baptist home.

In addiion to the information about our Baptist work, the Recorder carries week by week significant articles which deal with the great issues of life, which all our people must face . . . we want to be a comrade and helper to every Baptist home and church in North Carolina and do what we can for the support of every cause dear to the hearts of our people."

With reference to Charity & Children, published at Thomasville, we commend the paper to every church, and individual. Many Sunday Schools receive bundles of the paper for circulation, thus keeping us informed about the work of the Orphanage.

There are many sound publications that are true to the Bible, and your pastor will be happy to inform you, and advise you about these. We feel that it is the duty of every pastor to inform his people with regard to unsound and dangerous literature as well as that which is sound and safe to have come into their homes.

W. F. Sinclair

20. William Huntly, pastor of the Balfour Baptist church gave the following report on the Baptist Hospital at Winston Salem after which W. K. McGee spoke briefly on the work there and expressed the thanks of the personnel there for the increase in the offerings on last Mothers Day from the association. The report was adopted by the body.

REPORT ON NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Our North Carolina Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem ministers to the sick from all parts of our state. It is our Good Samaritan, in the name of the Great Physician, to those who suffer and do not have sufficient money to pay the large cost of the best medical care.

From among those of limited means 26,000 visits were made to the Out-Patient Department for examination, diagnosis and treatment last year. There will be about 35,000 visits this year. This is one of the most important services of our Hospital and it is being enlarged as rapidly as possible.

As the services of our Hospital have grown, the Mother's Day offerings from our churches likewise have grown. Those offerings are all used to help pay the cost of caring for those who receive this ministry and do not have the money to pay the total cost themselves. In order to provide such help for as many as possible, our Hospital adds to the Mother's Day offerings all the funds it can get for this purpose from the welfare agencies of the state and counties, the Duke Endowment, contributions from individuals, and any other available sources. The calls for help are far beyond the means of our Hospital to supply, however. We hope the Mother's Day offerings will continue to grow in our churches in order that our Hospital may provide more service for more people.

Our Baptist Hospital maintains a Department of Religion. This provides a chaplain service for the patients, especially for those with particular spiritual needs. It provides a religious program among the students, seeking to help establish Christian faith and promote spiritual growth.

It offers courses in pastoral councelling for pastors and ministerial students designed to prepare the pastor better to minister to his people in their personal needs and problems. This department serves as a link between our hospital and our churches and people when we have needs and problems in relation to the hospital.

North Carolina Baptists have developed an outstanding medical center. It is for its ministry to those with little money that we appeal to the churches of our Association to give generously on Mother's Day.

Respectfully submitted,
W. C. Huntley

21. W. H. Davis, assistant historian presented the following history of the work of the past year in the Carolina Association. Motion made that this history be recorded in the minutes. Motion passes.

REPORT OF HISTORIAN

The Carolina Association was organized at Double Springs Church in 1877. At that time there were some customs practiced in the churches that have since been abandoned. The first one was Foot Washing as a Church Ordinance. That was practiced in some of the churches. The second old custom was a custom among some old preachers of announcing that they would preach on some controversial subject, such as Baptism or Communion, or falling from grace, a few weeks before preaching the sermon so that they might have a crowd to hear them. They had a crowd all right but part of the crowd came in a fighting attitude so nothing good was gained by the custom. The third old custom was a custom of the Moderator calling for the fellowship of the church at the beginning of a Church Conference. If there was any objection to fellowship, the objector was taken into consideration and his objection investigated. There were two offenses that were considered, the private offense and the public offenses. These are noted in Matt. 18:15, 16 and 17 and 2nd Thes. 3, 6 and were dealt with according to the Word. This was called discipline then and is discipline now. The chief difference between discipline then and now is that more stress is laid now on training and less on force. Teaching in evangelism and training for service is the sort of discipline we need now.

Progress Made By The Churches

Turning from these old customs we note the progress made by the churches last year. Balfour Church has built a parsonage. Otto Parham has resigned and taken a new field, and the Church has called W. C. Huntley who is now on the Field. Barker Heights Church is now remodeling their Church and building Sunday School Rooms. Bear Wallow has called Ralph Nix as their pastor. Berea is building a new House of Worship and has it almost completed. Beulah Church has called Ernest Blythe as pastor, since Poplin has resigned, and has installed a new heating plant. L. G. Redding has resigned Broad River Church and the Church is without a pastor at present. The Church has been wired for electricity.

Dana Church has finished a new Sunday School Department and a kitchen in the basement. Double Springs had Percy Ray in a revival this summer, organized a W. M. U and a Training Union. East Flat Rock is building a new House of Worship. Ebenezer has installed new pews and pulpit furniture at a cost of $3500.00 Etowah has called Wade Sinclair as pastor. French Broad has called B. G. Henry as pastor and is building new Sunday School rooms.

Fletcher has called Fred Poplin as pastor. Fruitland has finished a new House of Worship and has a good attendance at services. Hoopers Creek is now without a pastor. Horse Shoe has called Otto Parham as pastor. Mount Gilead is building a new Sunday School Department in the basement.

Mount Moriah has called Otto Parham as pastor. They recently closed a very fine Vacation Bible School. I was amazed at the work that had been accomplished by a few weeks of training of the children. The young people are living in a new day—a day of training.

Naples has called Fred Poplin as pastor. They are building new rooms to their church and enlarging their Sunday School plant. Ralph Banning has resigned Pleasant Grove Church and the Church is now without a pastor. Pleasant Hill Church has called John Middleton as pastor. Refuge is building a new House of Worship.

Dr. O. M. Seigler resigned from the pastorate of the First Baptist church on the 14th day of April, 1948. Since this Church has been without a pastor they have had 22 additions to the membership, and the attendance in the Sunday School has been above that of last year. Shaws Creek has installed a Baptistry in the Church and is building a Sunday School annex. They have organized two more Baptist Training Unions with an average attendance of 70 members. Saluda has bought a new parsonage and started a building fund for a new House of Worship.

The Church at Warrior Mountain has painted and repaired the church building. West Hendersonville has built a new Sunday School plant. The new Church organized at Union Hill is planning to build a new House of Worship at the end of the City Bus line on the Blue Ridge Highway. They are still carrying on their work under the leadership of Rev. J. W. Jackson. Tuxedo Church reports, "We have bought two acres of ground for a cemetary at a cost of $1,000.00, built a parsonage at a cost of $10,000.00, have given to Cooperative Program $220.00. Total given this year $1,020.00, conversions and renewals for 1948—135.

Increase In Pastors Salaries

The pastors salaries in one of the leading churches in our Association have increased from a pair of homemade socks sixty years ago for once a month preaching to $2600.00 for full time service last year. The salaries at another large church in the Association have increased from $65.00 a year for once a month preaching 45 years ago to $2300.000 a year for full time preaching. The smallest salary paid last year was $50 at one church for services two Sundays in the month. The largest salary paid last year for full time services was $4900.00. We note, however, that an increase in church finances has meant a decrease in spirituality.

Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute

We had a total of two hundred men who attended the Institute. About twenty-five Associations were represented and covered an area of territory all the way from Whiteville and Red Springs to Hillsboro, Greensboro and to Boone in the northwest and back to Murphy in the west.

Average attendance was one hundred and ten preachers.

The curriculum covers subjects of Bible, Old and New Testament Theology, Evangelism, Homiletics, Rural Sociology, Christian Education, Church History and English.

We had a total last year of five members of the faculty and we had outside speakers from the leading churches every week and we operated from October 25th to April 1st. Our faculty members are: J. C. Canipe, President and Teacher of Bible and Evangelism; B. G. Henry, Teacher of Christian Education, English and Business Manager; J. L. Jenkins, Teacher of Homiletics, and Church History; E. L. Spivey, Teacher of New Testament Interpretation, and J. C. Pipes, Teacher of Grammar.

The next session will open October 25, 1948 and the outlook is the brightest in the history of the School. We are expecting over one hundred men for the first session and the School is now in its third year.

"We consider the Baptist Bible Institute one of the best things we have in the Carolina Association, greatly appreciate the work it is doing and most heartily commend it to the preachers who desire to better prepare themselves for the work of the ministry."

Respectfully submitted,
W. H. Davis, Assistant Historian

22. C. Fred Jervis, secretary of laymen's work presented the following report which was adopted by the body.

LAYMEN'S WORK

There is no doubt that interest in Laymen's work has gone forward with considerable speed within our association during the past few years. The Minutes of the year 1946 reveal the fact that there were only two Brotherhood organizations among our churches, that of the Tryon First Church with an enrollment of 30, and that of the Hendersonville First Church with an enrollment of 125; while the minutes of the year 1947 show that these churches had been joined by Fruitland, Naples, and Shaws Creek Churches with new organizations, and the the total enrollment of men had increased from the 155 as shown above to 207.

Of course a vast amount of good was done by men not enrolled in organizations, but it is felt that the Brotherhood method is one of the best ways in which our laymen can organize for more intensive work. It is hoped that the 1948 reports will show that other churches have joined in the movement.

Largely through the efforts of our Associational Missionary, there was held in our association during the week of February 2 to February 6 a school for deacons and other laymen. Four central churches were selected for classes in which that most intensely interesting book, Honoring the Deaconship, was studied. These classes were held at Tuxedo, Fruitland, Saluda, and Shaws Creek, the teachers being Rev. J. C. Pipes, Dr. J. C. Canipe, Dr. Earl Spivey, and Dr. W. K. MaGee. On the last night, all assembled at the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville in one great mass-meeting of pastors, deacons, and other laymen for a dinner and for inspirational addresses by two laymen, Hon. Don C. Young of Asheville and Hon. Calvin Edney of Marshall. Much enthusiasm was kindled as a result of these meetings, and it is believed, the growth of the Kingdom was enhanced. Men of our churches, let us go forward in our laymen's work and make the Brotherhood movement as effective and convincing as our good women have made their missionary organizations.

Respectfully submitted,
C. F. Jervis

23. The report on obituaries was read by Otto Parham with N. B. Phillips leading the prayer. See "In Memoriam" at the close of the record of proceedings.

24. John Middleton submitted the report of the work in the Baptist Orphanage at Thomasville, North Carolina, which was adopted by the association.

25. The report of Committee on committees was made by M. L. Walker and adopted by the body. See "Standing Committee" for report.

26. The resolution committee report was made by Charles Vause and adopted by a standing vote.

RESOLUTIONS

REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1. Whereas our associational missionary, the Rev. E. V. Plemmons, has labored so faithfully, diligently and fervently in our midst to help us to serve our Lord in a greater way; and whereas our churches have been blessed through his ministry; therefore, be it resolved that we express to him our gratitude, our thanks and our love; and that we pledge to him our support in our prayers, in our cooperative efforts, and through financial support of the mission program.

2. Whereas the two Hendersonville newspapers, THE TIMES-NEWS, and THE CAROLINA TRIBUNE have done a splendid work in publicizing the work of our association and the several churches thereof; and whereas their publicity has resulted in the advancement of the Lord's causes in our midst; therefore, be it resolved that we express our gratitude and thanks to them for this service: first, by personally expressing our gratitude to the management whenever we see them; and secondly, by asking the clerk of our association to write letters to each of these papers on behalf of the Carolina Baptist Association to express our deep and heartfelt gratitude for the services they have so unselfishly rendered.

3. Whereas the members of the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville have invited the Carolina Baptist Association to meet with them, and have spent themselves and their facilities in such a christian spirit to supply our needs both physical and spiritual; therefore, be it resolved that we say unto them: we were hungry, and you fed us; we were thirsty, and you gave us drink; we were in need, and you ministered unto us; hence, we thank you from the depths of our hearts, and we pray God's blessings upon you in fulfilling His other commands as completely as you have done this.

Resolutions Committee

Charles B. Vause Ralph Banning George Roberts

4. Whereas the following churches: Pleasant Grove, Double Springs,, Pacolet and Ebenezer have opened their doors and invited the Carolina Baptist Association to meet with them on the fifth Sundays, be it resolved that we express to them our gratitude and thanks, and bid them God speed in their work, praying His blessings upon them in their every effort in His name.

27. The report for the committee on time, place and preacher was made by Fred Poplin which is as follows; We recommend that the association hold the seventy third annual session with the Valley Hill Baptist Church on August 8, 1949. Claude Scarborough will preach the association Sermon with George Roberts as alternate.

28. Dr. Zeno Wall from the Baptist Orphanage at Thomasville, N. C. Brought the closing Message with E. V. Plemmons leading the closing prayer the assembly was adjourned until 7:30 P. M. at which time the evening session was held.

REPORT OF THE BAPTIST ORPHANAGE OF NORTH CAROLINA TO THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Last year 608 children were cared for in both our homes, 83 children in foster homes and 80 children were given Mothers Aid, making a total of 771 children helped directly. The case workers helped with the plans for 749 other children, thus serving 1,520 children in one year.

If one could spend some time at either Mills Home or Kennedy Home he would discover that the workers take seriously their work and are giving their best to it.

Most of the buildings in both homes are old and need constant repairs. They are now being renovated and having furnace heat installed. At Kennedy Home a new cottage to take care of 25 children is to be built this year; also a silo and a granary. At both homes frozen food plants are under construction and will be completed within a short time. Space is provided in these buildings for storing canned goods contributed by generous friends.

While the foster program is still in its initial stage, it is rendering a timely and worthwhile service to the 83 children being cared for in these homes which would require more than three new cottages.

At 8:40 each morning Dr. Wall calls the office staff into an "Upper Room" where the Word of God is read and prayers are uttered for all the workers, all the children and all the Sunday Schools and churches. There is a spirit of cooperation and unselfishness which is most beautiful. Recently the Mills Home pastor, John Walton, led 42 of the children down to the pool and buried all with Christ in baptism.

Respectfully submitted,
John Middleton.

THE EVENING SESSION

29. The evening session was opened with Fred Poplin leading the congregation in singing hymns, "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "Jesus Paid It All," Rev. Otto Parham, vice-moderator, presiding.

30. Ray Marshall from the Dana Baptist Church led in a short devotional message and prayer.

31. O. J. Smith, Associational B.T.U. Director, gave the following report on Training Union work, which was adopted by the body.

REPORT OF THE BAPTIST TRAINING UNION WORK OF THE CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

The Training Union Department of the Carolina Association has in its effort to promote the denominational program in training, made progress.

After a clinic in Morganton with the state and southwide officers, we made plans for our years work, which is as follows:

An associational rally was held in the West Hendersonville Church, December 6, 1947. The yearly theme "Follow Me" was very ably discussed by Rev. J. C. Canipe. There were 7 executive meetings held, 3 associational meetings, 1 Young People's rally led by Frank Neville, Young People's director.

The associational elimination contest was held April 18, 1948, at the Hendersonville First Church at which time Quinelle Shipp, Shirley Lee, Jimmy Plemmons and Mary Alice Fetner were chosen to represent the Junior Department at Canton and later at Fruitland where they were announced state winners. Doris Edmonson was representative in the Young People's Department and Mrs. Ella Seamore from Fruitland who were alternates to the state. A great number of our people attended the regional meeting at Canton, May 7 and 8.

Study courses were promoted in local churches and a large number of awards were received. I wish to thank every one who has had a part in the work, especially Rev. Plemmons our Associational Missionary.

Respectfully submitted,
O. J. Smith.

32. Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Superintendent of Womans' Missionary Union of the Carolina Association, presented the following report which was adopted.

W. M. U. REPORT OF CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

This is a significant year in the history of our work, marking as it does the sixtieth anniversary of its organization. Our goal is ten more W. M. Unions. To realize this aim we know that we must depend on the leadership of the Holy Spirit. As we labor, and give our best, He is able to help us accomplish the unusual in this great commemoration year.

The theme for the year is "For God, Home and Every Land." This desire seems to pervade the atmosphere in all of our meetings. We are not depending on our wisdom, strength and ability, but on Him who knows the need. He can use those, and only those, who are willing to follow Him, those who step by step and day by day fully trust Him to lead to the tasks that honor and please Him. We are well aware that to undertake without His guiding presence means that we fail and His cause suffer defeat, but when we are in His will, working out His purpose, we know the results shall be pleasing in His sight. With this deep conviction in our hearts, and controlling our efforts, we believe that some day we shall see that our labors have not been in vain but have been used of Him to bring to many who are now strangers to the Lord Jesus, the story of His redeeming love. That is the supreme need of our day and we must not fail Him, and souls that are lost, by keeping to ourselves the good news that Jesus came to seek and to save that which was lost.

We are grateful for the co-operation and earnest efforts of the faithful few who have labored and prayed this year. It is true that we have not seen the visible results that we have hoped for but some progress has been made in several of our Unions. Much emphasis has been placed upon the work for our young people. We need more interested consecrated leaders. There is an opportunity to instill into young lives who shall become efficient Christian leaders in the cause of missions when we have to give over our places of responsibility to them. We cannot be too deeply concerned about this.

We had a splendid R. A. Conclave, which was held at Shaws Creek church. Seven chapters were present and each rank was represented.

Our annual meeting was held at Fruitland church. The fellowship was an inspiration, we believe, to all who were there. Dr. Edwin Dozier, our missionary to Japan, and Mrs. John Wacaster, our state field worker, were our guest speakers.

We reached our apportionment in gifts and nine points in our Associational Standard. We had an encouraging increase in gifts and offerings with a total for the year of $7,937.45, which was made possible through an increased number of tithers, the number for the year being 463. This does not tell all - so much is not reported but is recorded by Him who never overlooks expressions of sacrificial love for His cause. May God richly bless each and all whose faithful service makes this report possible. To Him be all the honor and glory for what has been accomplished.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair.

WOMANS MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

33. After the congregational singing of "America" a pageant was presented by the W.M.U. which portrayed the progress of Southern Baptist for one hundred years.

34. Junius Huggins of the Fruitland Baptist Church presented the following report on Christian Education, which was adopted.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION TO THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION, MEETING WITH THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, HENDERSONVILLE, N. C. AUGUST 3, 1948

First, let us look in on the work of Christian Education in our Southern Baptist Convention. Our sixty-four Baptist schools, academies, colleges and seminaries—are completing one of the best years, in many respects, in their history. This year there are 54,531 students in our Baptist schools, of whom 16,275 are veterans.

During the past twelve months our Baptist schools have received through Baptist State Conventions $2,830,296.30, and from outside gifts, $3,532,219.52.

"The Southern Baptist Educator" is our magazine on Christian education, and it is meeting a real need in our schools. It is publishing material of outstanding value in the field of Christian education. Libraries in our schools are expanding; endowments are on the increase.

The necessity to educate Christian leaders falls on our Christian schools. Our Southern Baptist schools have been providing Christian leadership for more than one hundred years.

Now we come to Christian education in our State of North Caroline. Wake Forest College, which is our largest and oldest college, had an enrollment of 2,000 students last year. She received from the State Convention $118,000 last year, besides the present successful efforts to provide $1,500,000 from the churches toward the new Wake Forest to be located at Winston-Salem.

Mars Hill is our next largest college and was our first co-educational school in the state. It had an enrollment of more than 1,000 last year. The Baptists last year gave about $65,000 through the Co-operative Program to Mars Hill.

Campbell College enrolled approximately 600 students last year, and received $47,000 dollars from the state Convention.

Wingate College is also a co-educational Junior College with an enrollment of more than 600 students, and approximately $86,000 from the Co-operative program in 1947, it continues to train young women in many important services in the state and beyond its borders.

Gardner-Webb College is our youngest college, which started in 1907 as a high school, and has grown to be a most thriving Junior College, with an enrollment of about 400 students and contributions by the Baptists of the state of about $42,000 last year.

With more than 5,000 students and contributions of about $348,000 these colleges have had their most successful year from many standpoints.

Of the 5,000 students enrolled in these Baptist Colleges about 500 of them have dedicated themselves to full time Christian service.

Christian education constitutes our first wall of defense against the evils of our world, and it has no source of support other than that to be found in Christian people. And we shall have a Christian civilization to the extent that Christian people are willing to provide it. These colleges offer us the opportunity for investing our lives and our money in the building of a Christian world. How much do we love them and how much do we believe in them? They need us and we cannot get along without them.

Respectfully submitted,
Junius Huggins.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT

35. After a special message in song, "The Love of God" by Rev. Hayers, Dr. Hoyt Blackwell, President of Mars Hill College, brought the closing message on Christian Education.

36. A motion was made by Rev. A. J. Nielsen that E. V. Plemmons, Associational Missionary, be granted a two-weeks vacation with pay. Motion carried.

37. The congregation joined in singing a closing hymn, "Blest Be The Tie" and were dismissed with prayer by Claud Gaddy.

IN MEMORIAM

BALFOUR

Mrs. Doc. Bentley
Mrs. W. P. Maxwell
Mr. John Carver

BAT CAVE

Mrs. Vernie Freeman

BEULAH

Mr. W. C. Raines
Mr. M. H. Belle
Mrs. Cynthia Cantrall
Mrs. Martha Cantrell
Mr. B. B. Blythe
Mrs. Mildred Osteen
Miss Carrie Justus

DOUBLE SPRINGS

Mr. W. J. Csott, Deacon

EAST FLAT ROCK

Mr. W. G. Hill
Mr. W. T. Williams

EBENEZER

Mr. N. D. Ledbetter
Mrs. J. W. Clayton
Mrs. Leona Thompson

ETOWAH

Mr. Tyre E. Duncan, Deacon

FLETCHER

Mr. E. N. Case, Deacon
Mrs. Lynn Waldrop

FRUITLAND

Mrs. Ida Jackson

GREEN RIVER

Mrs. Julia Levi

HENDERSONVILLE FIRST

Mr. C. R. Whitaker
Mr. W. H. Williams
Mr. Edgar Nelson
Mr. W. A. Keith
Mr. S. D. Sudduth
Mr. Woodrow Shytle
Mr. Jacob Foster
Dr. Furman Clayton
Miss Emmie Collins
Mrs. William Lott
Mrs. H. M. Flynn
Mrs. Flora Allen

IN MEMORIAM

HOLLY SPRINGS
Mrs. Mary Hamilton

HOOPERS CREEK
Mrs. Clyde Barnwell
Mr. Jerry Murphy

HORSE SHOE
Mrs. L. A. Lewis

MIDDLE FORK
Mrs. Leah Bailey

MILLS RIVER
Mrs. Elnora Gillespie Field

MT. MORIAH
Mr. W. F. Hill, Deacon
Mrs. G. G. Laughter

MT. HOME
Mrs. Nellie Williams

MT. PAGE
Mrs. Nettie Pace
Rev. J. B. Middleton
Mr. John B. Ward

MT VALLEY
Mrs. Lovedy Johnson

MUD CREEK
Mr. Jin Williams, Deacon
Mr. Otis Drake, Deacon
Mr. Charlie Bayne, Deacon
Mr. John Perry, Sr.
Mrs. Ann Thompson
Mr. D. S. Pace

PACOLET
Mr. Charles Foster, Deacon
Mr. T. G. Rhodes
Mr. Tom Ravan
Mrs. Ellen Ballard

PLEASANT GROVE
Mr. J. C. Orr, Deacon

PLEASANT HILL
Mr. Blane Drake

REFUGE
Mrs. Gladys Hyder Wright
Mrs. Lou Case
Mrs. J. A. Marshall
Mr. Fernando Gibbs
Mrs. Emily Jackson

SHAWS CREEK
Mr. Hubbard Allen

TUXEDO
Mr. J. N. Garner
Mrs. G. H. Corn
Mr. H. C. Bradley

WARRIOR MT.
Mr. John Fisher

REPORT OF THE ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY TO THE

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

We come to give our report of the preceeding year with deep heartfelt gratitude and sincere appreciation for the fine spirit of co-operation that has been manifested by the pastors and leaders of our Association. We report that we have been unable to enter every door that has been opened in the past year. The work has been challenging as we have sought the will of the Master. To Him who saved us and called us to this glorious task, and to you, our fellow-laborers, we give thanks. We hereby give a brief report of our work for the year:

Miles driven	10,604	V. B. S.	4
Meetings	235	Study courses	11
Conferences	393	Supply pastor	58
Revivals	7	Sermons preached	148

Prepared and distributed 300 calendars.

Compiled and distributed minutes for Association.

We would make special mention of the fine cooperation and work of Roy Huggins, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Superintendent of W. M. U. work and O. J. Smith, Associational B. T. U. Director. Miss Euva Sentelle, a student of Brevard College and Miss Pauline Ledbetter, a student of Berea College helped in Vacation Bible Schools this summer. The churches paid half their salary and the State Mission Board paid half. Ray Marshall, another one of our fine young people, who is a ministerial student, has been assisting in pastoral supply during the summer. May we seek to find other young people like these and help them find a place of service in His Kingdom.

The past is history and eternally gone. Many problems are yet unsolved. The past challenges us to do more in the future. May we forget those things which are behind and reach forth unto the things which are before us. We desire the prayers of all of you that in the coming months we shall be wholly dedicated to His will.

Respectfully submitted,

E. V. Plemmons.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION, held with The Fruitland Baptist Church, April 28, 1948

The annual meeting of the W.M.U. of the Carolina Association was held on April 28, 1948 at the Fruitland Baptist Church.

The meeting opened at 10:00 A.M., with Mrs. M. K. Sinclair presiding. A very beautiful worship period was conducted by Mrs. Howard Sitton and Mrs. L. V. Lyda.

Visitors were recognized, among whom was Dr. Edwin Dozier, missionary to Japan, who has just returned to the states. Mrs. J. O. Crenshaw, Divisional Community Missions Chm., and Mrs. John Waycaster were welcomed.

The Young People's Leader, Mrs. F. M. Huggins, presented goals for the young people's work. She emphasized the facts that since our camps are at Fruitland we should see that our young people attend in great numbers.

Dr. Dozier spoke both morning and afternoon. He mentioned three forces at work in Japan: The American Tobacco Company, "A Light in Every Mouth"; the Standard Oil Company, "A Light in Every home"; and American Missions, "A Light in Every Soul."

A bountiful lunch was served to 125 people in the assembly hall by the ladies of the Fruitland Church.

The afternoon session opened with a devotional given by Allard Garren. Reports were given by Mrs. Elva Brake, Mrs. E. V. Plemmons, Mrs. Earl Marshall, and Mrs. O. J. Smith.

The report of the nominating was read and accepted:

The meeting was closed with an address by Dr. Dozier.

The next meeting will be held with Dana Church.

PROCEEDINGS

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QUARTERLY MEETING

— OF THE —

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

— HELD IN —

The Double Springs Baptist Church, Nov. 30, 1947

The quarterly meeting of the association convened at the Double Springs Baptist Church with D. G. Wilkie leading the congregation in singing "The Light of The World is Jesus." A brief devotional period was led by Z. B. Brookshire, using Psalm 51, and leading in prayer.

After the roll call of churches and recognition of visitors the moderator called for reports of standing committee, which were as follows; report of finance, John Sinclair; report of the Baptist Training Union, D. G. Wilkie; report of Sunday School work, Roy Huggins; report of Women's Missionary Union, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair; E. V. Plemmons read the report for the committee on Wake Forest Fund; O. M. Seiglar gave a report on the organization of a new church at Dana, known as the Union Hill Missionary Baptist Church and presented their request to become a member of the Carolina Baptist Association. Motion made by N. B. Phillips that they be accepted, motion carries.

Upon invitation from both Pacolet and Ebenezer Churches the body voted to have the February meeting at Pacolet and the May meeting at Ebenezer.

N. B. Phillips speaking on "Christian Training in the Home" deplored the fact that the home had lost much of its Christian status: had dropped the art of proper religious training and was paying the price for such neglect in an increase of 131 percent in crime among young men and women.

O. M. Seiglar, in discussing "Christian Education in Our Christian Schools," followed the history of religious schools from the time when there were ten before the Revolutionary War until they sprang up in great numbers and then gradually dwindled in late years because of a lack of appreciation of what they had to offer. He declared that Christian colleges were needed to keep a balance with secular schools, to give training for Christian leadership in the many walks of life and to thereby preserve our democratic form of government. He said the Christian schools needed money and pupils.

Special music was furnished by the quartet from the Mud Creek Baptist Church.

The body was adjourned with prayer by Chas. Vause, pastor of the Bat Cave Baptist Church.

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QUARTERLY MEETING

— OF THE —

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

— HELD WITH —

The Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, August 31, 1947

The meeting was opened with Roy Huggins leading the congregation in singing "Praise Him, Praise Him." and "Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus." Ralph Banning the host pastor led in a brief devotion using Ephesians 3:1-21, commenting briefly on verse 16. The opening prayer was led by N. A. Melton, pastor of Fruitland church.

After the roll call of churches a short business session was held in which (1) Noah Hollowell read an admendment to a previous reported historians report which was adopted, (2) Dr. O. M. Seiglar made a motion that a committee be appointed to suggest names for the buildings at Fruitland Baptist Assembly. (3) The following committee was appointed, N. A. Melton, O. M. Seiglar, and Brownlow Jackson. (4) Roy Huggins presented the associational Sunday School officers for the coming which were elected by the body. (5) The association voted to hold the next quarterly meeting at Double Springs Church.

Claude Scarborough, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Tryon spoke on Spiritual Values from Personal Tithing. He said, the men who are giving large sums of money to Kingdom Building today are men who started tithing on small salaries. Tithing does not enrich God but the tither. It is Gods plan to grow his children. It gives one a greater vision of His Kingdom. It makes one a co-worker with God. It is a way to lay up treasures in heaven and bring blessings to the tither on earth.

Victor Rector brought a very helpful message on "Biblical Basis for Christian Stewardship, stating that God gives to us as we are able to use. Christian stewardship calls for all we have. He said there are three philosophies of life in the world today, namely, the robber which says what is yours is mine and I will take it, Priest and Levite who say whats mine is mine and I will keep it, the Samaritan who says whats mine is thine and you shall have it as long as you need it.

O. M. Seiglar spoke briefly on the tithing movement in our churches in October, November and December. Almost the entire body committed itself to the movement.

M. L. Walker closed the meeting with a prayer of dedication.

PROCEEDINGS

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QUARTERLY MEETING

— OF THE —

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

— HELD IN —

The Pacolet Baptist Church, Feb. 29, 1947

The quarterly meeting of the Carolina Baptist Association was held with the Pacolet Baptist Church, Feb. 29, 1948. The meeting was opened with the singing of hymns, "Send The Light" and "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart."

A short devotion was led by the host pastor, M. J. Ross. Special music was rendered by the Pacolet trio, and E. V. Plemmons led the opening prayer.

At the roll call of churches, representatives from twenty churches answered present.

During the business session M. L. Walker reported that some money had been left in the hands of the Fruitland trustees for a number of years, which had come from the churches of the Carolina Association. He made a motion that this money be turned over to the Association Treasurer for Associational Mission work. Motion was carried. Roy Huggins gave a report on Sunday School work; Mrs. M. K. Sinclair on W. M. U. work, O. J. Smith on B. T. U. work, E. V. Plemmons on Associational Missions, and John Sinclair gave the treasurer's report.

Special music was given by the Balfour trio: Miss Eula Mae Corn, Miss Jewel Corn and Viola Parham.

A very timely message on "The layman and His Pastor Co-operating" was delivered by C. Fred Jervis, Sunday School Superintendent of the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville. Fred Poplin, pastor of the Fletcher and Naples Baptist Churches, brought a very helpful message on "The Pastor and the Church Program."

The meeting was adjourned with prayer.

PROCEEDINGS

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QUARTERLY MEETING

— OF THE —

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

— HELD IN —

The Ebenezer Baptist Church, May 23, 1948

The Carolina Baptist Association convened in a quarterly meeting, May 23, 1948 with N. A. Melton serving as moderator. The congregation joined in singing "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart," led by Fred Poplin.

A short devotion was led by the host pastor, L. K. Holbert, the opening prayer being led by William Huntley, pastor of the Hoopers Creek Baptist Church.

After the roll call of churches a short business session was held, when Fred Poplin, pastor of the Fletcher and Naples Churches, was elected chorister of the Association. The body voted to go to Fletcher for the next quarterly meeting. John Sinclair, chairman of the Finance Committee of the Association, made his report.

Special music was presented by a girls' sextet from the Fletcher Baptist Church,. accompanied by Mrs. Fred Poplin at the piano.

M. L. Walker read a report on "Temperance and Public Morals" which was adopted after discussion by L. A. Martin, president of the Allied Church League for the Abolition of Alcoholic Beverages. A motion was made and passed that a committee be appointed to canvass the churches for subscriptions for "Tomorrow," magazine published by the Allied Church League. The committee were as follows: Victor Rector, F. M. Huggins, and Fred Poplin. After singing of the hymn "Stand Up, Stand Up For Jesus," the meeting was adjourned with prayer by Otto Parham.

REPORT ON TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

Made at Ebenezer Church, May 23, 1948

The subject of temperance and public morals is an old one and we regret to state that the picture is not as bright as we wish it were. We are concerned at the present time, we think, chiefly with the question of Sabbath desecration, the divorce evil, and the liquor problem. There are other issues that confront us but it seems to me that these are the three that we should try to do something about at the present time. We are not going to solve these issues by passing resolutions and by "viewing with alarm," as we see it. We all recognize these three, and other evils that confront us, and the question arises, "What can we do as individual Christians and as a Christian group to remedy the situation?" We offer a few suggestions:

As to Sabbath observance, we would re-emphasize the fourth commandment, "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy," which has never been repealed. We, as Christians, can set an example by obeying this precept and keeping the Lord's day for worship and for service to God, and in doing good, and, certainly, we can oppose all movements and trends toward the desecration of the Sabbath.

As to the divorce evil, surely we should do all we can to emphasize to all our people the importance of building Christian homes. The home is the first institution that God founded and undoubtedly we should do what we can to emphasize the sancity of the home and the importance of training our children in leading them to become useful Christians and good citizens. We should strengthen our Sunday Schools in the teaching of the Bible and in the Worship Program, and encourage all the family to take part in this.

As to the liquor problem, we make these suggestions: First of all, all of us as Christians certainly should, and must be, total abstainers. We can use our influence to stamp out this evil. We can help our officers and courts in enforcing the dry laws. We can refuse to be caught by the propaganda of the wets. We can work and pray towards a dry County, State and Nation, and, finally we can go to the ballot box and vote for those candidates who are men of character and whom we know to be personally and politically dry.

On the three issues above mentioned, all of us as Christians should be willing to stand up and be counted and be true to our convictions. In conclusion, we would urge this, that we strive to revitalize our churches, that their influence for good may be enlarged and broadened, that we emphasize evangelism and teaching and enlisting of all our people so that our churches may become stronger and be used in a greater way in the establishment of righteousness. What a power the 10,000 Baptists in the borders of our Association could be for righteousness if we would arouse ourselves and really put on the Christian armor!

M. L. Walker,for the Committee.

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE I. CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location OC-V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS		LOSSES		Total Resident Members	Total Non-Resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Special Information			
					Baptisms	Letter and Other Additions	Loss by Death	Total Losses				Revival Meetings Held	Number Tithers	State Paper in Budget	Church Library
Balfour	V	1908	All	W. C. Huntley, Balfour	5	7	2	32			385	2		No	No
Barker Heights	V	1944	All	C. E. Haynes, R. 5, Hendersonville	20	26		1			116	2		No	No
Barnwell	OC	1864	1,2,3,4	V. D. Jones, Balfour					11		11	1	2	No	No
Bat Cave	V	1892	2,4	Chas. Vause, Rutherfordton		2	1	1	78	50	128			No	No
Bear Wallow	OC	1868	1,3	Ralph Nix, Edneyville	4	1		4	56	15	71	1		No	No
Berea	OC	1921	2,4	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville											
Beulah	OC	1910	1,3	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	18	7	7	15			290	2		No	No
Broad River	OC	1866			2	1		3	43	49	92			No	No
Calvary															
Cedar Springs	OC	1887	1,3	Z. V. Brookshire, Hendersonville				6	70	85	155			No	No
Crab Creek	OC														
Cross Roads	OC	1912	2,4	Z. V. Brookshire, Hendersonville	2			2			120	1		No	No
Dana	OC	1936	All	J. N. Shuford, Hendersonville	2	7		1	85	34	118		15	No	No
Double Springs	OC	1871	All	E. M. Chilton, Tigerville, S. C.	8	5	1	1	60	55	115	2		No	No
East Flat Rock	T	1911	1,2,3,4	N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock	2	7	2	13	156	101	257	1	30	No	Yes
Ebenezer	OC	1817	All	L. K. Holbert, Flat Rock, N. C.	10	5	3	13			314	1		No	No
Etowah	OC	1926	2,4	W. F. Sinclair, Arden, N. C.		7	1	9	156	39	195			No	No
Fletcher	V	1838	1,2,3,4	Fred Poplin, Fletcher	8	13	2	13	203	53	256	1	15	No	No
French Broad	OC	1789	All	B. G. Henry, Hendersonville	5	7			39	8	47		5	Yes	No
Friendship	OC			Josiah Holbert, Saluda											
Fruitland	OC	1815	2,4	N. A. Melton, Columbus		3	1	4			184		40	No	No
Green River	OC	1846	1,3	W. R. Hester, Hendersonville							96	1	12		
Hendersonville First	C	1844	All		26	71	12	140	1161	449	1610		337	No	Yes

Holly Springs	OC	1860	1,3	E. A. Kilstrom, Penrose, R. 1			1	3	69		69			No	No
Hoopers Creek	OC	1856	All	Odell Barnwell, Fletcher, R. 1	22	3	2	9	170	75	245	1	5	No	No
Horse Shoe	OC	1888	1,2,3,4	Otto Parham, Edneyville	10	14	1	12			172	1	16	No	No
Jones Gap	OC	1892	1,3	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock	6			2	45	38	83	1		No	No
Laurel Springs	OC		1,3	Paul Ballenger, Hendersonville		3					24				
Liberty	OC	1911	1,2,3,4	J. W. Jackson, Horse Shoe		1			42		42	1	8	No	No
Locust Grove	OC	1898	1,2,4	Quay Corn, Hendersonville, N. C.	2	2		2			85	1		No	No
Macedonia															
Middle Fork	OC	1886	1,3	Roscoe Huntley, Rutherfordton	3	2	1	1			85	1		No	No
Mills River	OC	1835	2,4	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock	6	6	1	2	81	47	128	1	3	No	Yes
Mount Gillead	OC	1883	All	W. F. Sinclair, Arden		6		2			203	1		No	No
Mount Moriah	OC	1896	1,2,3,4	Otto Parham, Edneyville		13	2	4	129	90	219	1	7	No	No
Mount Olivet	OC														
Mount Zion															
Mountain Home	OC	1892	2,4	O. B. Williams, Spindale	1		1	6			249	1		No	No
Mountain Page	OC	1789	1,3	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	2		3	10			254	1		No	No
Mountain Valley	OC	1933	1,3	J. N. Batson, Traveller's Rest, S. C.	4		1	3			75	1		No	No
Mud Creek	OC	1804	All	Jim Anderson, Etowah	9	12	6	13	264	168	432	1	23	No	Yes
Naples	OC	1942	1,2,3,4	Fred Poplin, Fletcher	5	6			98		98	2		No	No
Oak Grove															
Pacolet	V	1916	1,2,3,4			14	4	18	160		160	2		No	No
Pleasant Grove	OC	1859	1,2,4	Albert Laughter, R. 3, Hendersonville	4		1	6	40	127	167	1		No	No
Pleasant Hill	OC	1890	1,2,3,4	John Middleton, Fletcher		5	1	1	50	25	75		1	No	No
Refuge	OC	1837	All	Geo. Roberts, R. 1, Hendersonville	10	2	3	5			345	1	40	No	No
Saluda	T	1882	All	F. M. Huggins, Saluda	3	5			141	45	186	1	38	No	No
Shaw's Creek	OC	1881	All	T. G. Proctor, Hendersonville, R. 4	3	8	1	3	148	18	166	1	20	Yes	Yes
Tryon, First	C	1891	All	C. E. Scarborough, Tryon	29	53		13			288		30	Yes	Yes
Tryon, Second	C	1924	2,3,4	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	5	5		10	30	29	59	2	12	No	No
Tuxedo	V	1910	All	Wayne Peek, Tuxedo	10	4	3	12	360		360	1	25	No	Yes
Valley Hill	V	1908	1,2,3,4		11	4		1			274	1	30	No	No
Warrior Mountain	OC		1,2,3,4	M. R. Early, Saluda	9	4	1	14	30	20	50	1		No	No
West Hendersonville	C	1934	All	W. R. Hester, Hendersonville	32	20		15	205		205	2	37	No	No
Zion Hill															
Totals					294	361	65	425	4180	1620	9358	43	751		

TABLE II. THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL SUPERINTENDENT Roy Huggins Hendersonville SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT												V. B. S.	
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes and Departments	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance
Balfour	Jimmy Riddle Hoover, Balfour			20	24	28	50	45	103		4	274	147	98	64
Barker Heights	Quay Nelson, R. 5, Hendersonville				30	13	20	15	25			103	70		
Barnwell	V. D. Jones, Balfour											35	17	20	18
Bat Cave	W. H. Garvin, Bat Cave			23		14	6	13	36			92	55	20	18
Bear Wallow	Clinton P. Merrell, Gerton			4		5		12	12			33	29	34	33
Berea															
Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, R. 3, Hendersonville			20	15	20		20	40			126	85		
Broad River	Michael Ledbetter, Black Mountain			6	6	22		10				44	30		
Calvary															
Cedar Springs	Lewis Levi, Zirconia			15	10	20		45	40			130	45		
Cross Roads	C. L. Osteen, Zirconia			10		5		22	24		7	68	45		
Dana	X. Ray, R. 1, Flat Rock	1	7	7	4	7	9	10	30		3	78	31	18	18
Double Springs	David Hudson, Zirconia					6	8		25		2	41			
East Flat Rock	M. K. Sinclair, E. Flat Rock		20	34	24	37	39	103	55	20		332	196		
Ebenezer															
Etowah	C. W. Sumner, Etowah			25	24	30	40	40	50			213	130		
Fletcher	Howard Garren, Fletcher			23	20	25	15	25	58			166	79	59	35
French Broad	R. M. Pinson, Rugby			28	30	25	30	20	65		4	202	109	130	110
Friendship				14	12		12		20			58	30		
Fruitland	Howard Pryor, R. 2, Hendersonville	6	8	6	12	12	20	18	59			141	86	32	62
Green River	U. S. Staton, Zirconia		4	14		9		24	11			62	45		
Hendersonville First	C. F. Jervis, Hendersonville	90	45	47	74	109	112	118	356	110	5	1066	489	208	155

Holly Springs	Odell McKinney, R. 1, Penrose												40	30			
Hoopers Creek	Wade Garren, Fletcher, R. 1				52	32	36	48	70		10	238	200				
Horse Shoe	Finley Pace, Hendersonville			18		16	18	40	10			102	70	54	32		
Jones Gap	Mrs. Jack Arrington, R. 4, Hendersonville			16		12	12	12	25			77	30				
Laurel Springs																	
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville	2		1	3	7	2	4	15			34					
Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hendersonville			15			15	15	10			55	35				
Macedonia																	
Middle Fork	Edward Huntley, Bear Wallow			7		6		26	13			52	28				
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe, N. C.			12		18		20	25			75	43				
Mount Gilead	C. C. Ballard, Fletcher			14	13	29	15	10	31			112	65	85	65		
Mount Moriah	Clannie Laughter, Edneyville			12	20	15	18	15	40		3	123	90	83	66		
Mount Olivet																	
Mount Zion																	
Mountain Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville			18	15	20	25	30	20			128	72				
Mountain Page	D. B. Metcalf, Saluda			34	15	15	15	60	12			150	75				
Mountain Valley	B. A. Heatherly, Zirconia			12		8		11	11			42	35				
Mud Creek	Arthur Freeman, Hendersonville	7	24	25	34	44	22	63	33	13	5	270	122	96	78		
Naples	V. D. Orr, Mt. Home	14		15	14	20	20	20	40			140	102	48	44		
Oak Grove																	
Pacolet	Herman Case, Lynn			16	15	18	12	10	30			96	80	92			
Pleasant Grove	Walter Gray, R. 4, Hendersonville				12	13	5	14	10		5	59					
Pleasant Hill	Albert Laughter, R. 3, Hendersonville			10	5		10	7	15		5	52	30				
Refuge	W. J. Ballard, R. 1, Flat Rock		6	29	26	30	40	47	55		3	236	151	64	56		
Saluda	Mrs. D. W. Pace, Saluda			13	6	16	15	7	18			75	50	125	88		
Shaw's Creek	A. J. Nanney, R. 4, Hendersonville		10	15	18	24	18	36	52		13	173	87	58	51		
Tryon, First	B. B. Flynn, Tryon, N. C.	20	30	22	31	35	22	23	74	30	4	291	133				
Tryon, Second	Hurley Burrell, Tryon			16		21	10	15	15		4	79	80				
Tuxedo	Carson Lewis, Tuxedo, N. C.			21	10	30	33	46	47		3	210	125				
Valley Hill	Jones Banning, R. 3, Hendersonville		10	15	18	28	37	33	47			190	95				
Warrior Mountain	Ned Anderson, Saluda											40			20		
West Hendersonville	John Rollins, Hendersonville				43	48	20	22	59			192	95	40			
Zion Hill																	
Totals		140	164	652	635	892	781	1174	1788	173	80	6595	3641	1414	1013		

TABLE III. TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR O. J. Smith Hendersonville TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Number of Story Hours	Number of Junior Unions	Number of Intermediate Unions	Number of Young Peoples Unions	Number of Adult Unions	Grand Total Unions	Story Hour Enrolled	Junior Enrolled	Intermediate Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Adult Enrolled	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance	Youth Week	Christian Home Week
Balfour	Edna Corn, Balfour, N. C.		1	1	1	1	4		10	12	6	12	2	52	30	No	No
Barker Heights	Glen Conner, R. 5, Hendersonville		1	1	1		3		16	21	11			48	30	No	No
Beulah	J. W. Cantrell, Hendersonville		1		1	1	3		20		20	24	7	71	50	No	No
Dana	R. H. Lincoln, R. 1, Hendersonville	1	1		1	2	5	5	7		11	28	6	57	32	No	No
East Flat Rock	Clyde Goodman, E. Flat Rock		1		1	1	3		10		15	8	10	43		No	No
Etowah	Miss Euva Sentelle, Etowah	1	2	1	1	1	6	12	18	19	12	12		73	31	No	No
Fletcher	N. B. Baldwin, Fletcher		1	1		1	3		12	15		12	3	42	35	No	No
Fruitland	Junius Huggins, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	3	14	12	15	8	61		No	No
Hendersonville, First	Keith Arledge, Hendersonville	1	4	4	3	2	14	21	50	62	51	33	16	233		No	No
Jones Gap	Mrs. Virgil T. Jones				1		1				21		4	25	12	No	No
Mt. Moriah	Foy Hill, Edneyville	1	1	1		1	4	17	16	18		12	2	65	37	No	No
Mud Creek	O'Neal Scroggs, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	17	9	11	12	5	63	56	No	No
Naples	L. L. Moore, Arden, R. 1	1	1	1	1	2	6	6	15	10	10	15	5	61	48	No	No
Refuge	Grady Walker, R. 2, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	5	12	11	16	15	3	57	50	Yes	No
Saluda	Clyde Whitlock, Hendersonville		1	1		1	3		8	17		14	2	41	28	No	No
Shaw's Creek	Harvey F. Drake, R. 4, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	8	10	12	14	16	2	62	50	No	No
Tryon, First	Fred Powell, Tryon	1	2	1	1		5	8	26	11	21		3	69	45	Yes	Yes
Tuxedo	W. J. Lewis, Tuxedo	1	1	1	1	1	5	5	15	12	15	12	2	61	35	No	No
Valley Hill	Harold Kilpatrick, R. 4, Hendersonville		1	1	1	1	4		10	15	32	25		82	55	No	No
West Hendersonville	H. F. Cantrell, Hendersonville																
Totals		11	23	18	18	19	89	105	275	258	268	265	80	1266	624		

TABLE IV. WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL PRESIDENT Mrs. M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	W. M. S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	R. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	R. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Enrolled in Mission Study	Total Tithers All Organizations
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Flat Rock, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	5	5	5	6	31	0	6
East Flat Rock	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	1	1	2	2	1	7	15	8	35	12	16	86	70	30
Etowah	Mrs. Ralph Nicholson, R. 4, Hendersonville	1					1	22							
Fletcher	Mrs. Ruby Garren, Fletcher	1		2	2	1	6	11		6	3	3	23		
Fruitland	Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	25	10	12	9	15	66	33	35
Hendersonville First	Miss Myrtle Bennett, Hendersonville	1	1		1	1	4	180	16		8	6	210	94	75
Mud Creek	Mrs. Mamie Orr, Hendersonville	1					1	20					20		10
Naples	Mrs. Ethel Smith, Naples	1					1	9					9		
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Earl Gray, Etowah	1					1	12					12		
Refuge	Mrs. Wesley Lamb, Dana	2	1				3	42	12				54		20
Saluda	Mrs. D. W. Pace, Saluda	1		1			2	8		15			23	8	7
Shaws Creek	Mrs. Herbert Orr, R. 4, Hendersonville	1		1	1	1	4	15		11	16	10	52	6	5
Tryon, First	Mrs. Fred Owens, Tryon, N. C.	2		1	1	1	5	44		12	14	15	85	74	27
Tuxedo	Mrs. W. J. Lewis, Tuxedo	1	1	2	1	1	6	15	12	10	12	14	63	63	10
Totals		16	6	11	10	8	51	428	63	106	79	85	734	348	230

TABLE V. BROTHERHOOD WORK—BUILDING

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	Brotherhood					Building	
		Enrolment of Brotherhood	Meetings Held During Year	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Spent on Building and Remodeling	Building and Reserve Funds On Hand at End of Year	Total Church Debt at End of Year
Balfour				10000.00	25000.00			
Barker Heights					8200.00	2642.10	298.00	1182.95
Barnwell					500.00			
Bat Cave					10000.00	2000.00	334.42	
Bearwallow					3783.25		39.99	
Berea								
Beulah					3525.00	525.00		
Broad River								
Calvary								
Cedar Springs					1500.00			
Crab Creek								
Cross Roads					3500.00			
Dana				10000.00	35000.00	1302.81	608.27	
Double Springs					10000.00		80.00	1080.00
E. Flat Rock					50000.00		50000.00	
Ebenezer					12000.00			
Etowah					4000.00	916.79	51.55	298.00
Fletcher					5000.00	25000.00	1140.00	1040.00
French Broad					20000.00	751.25		1308.36
Friendship								
Fruitland	H. L. F. Drake, Hendersonville	15	6		25000.00	3363.65		6959.80
Green River					2000.00		791.64	
Hendersonville 1st	A. R. Karling, Hendersonville	154	11	15000.00	75000.00		130000.00	

Holly Springs								
Hoopers Creek					20000.00	1143.00		
Horse Shoe					20000.00	3262.94	529.87	
Jones Gap					3000.00	75.20	37.75	150.00
Laurel Springs								
Liberty							35.88	
Locust Grove					1000.00			
Macedonia								
Middle Fork					1000.00			
Mills River					2000.00		141.34	
Mount Gilead					8000.00	1662.35	9.00	
Mount Moriah					10000.00	1000.00	400.00	
Mount Olivet								
Mount Zion								
Mountain Home					7300.00	1697.00		848.00
Mountain Page					5000.00	587.99		
Mountain Valley					1500.00		413.36	
Mud Creek					10000.00	608.96	116.95	
Naples					5000.00		45.72	75.00
Oak Grove								
Pacolet					4000.00			
Pleasant Grove					2000.00			
Pleasant Hill					3000.00			
Refuge					14970.00	8971.91	1400.00	
Saluda				5000.00	8000.00			
Shaws Creek					10000.00	2300.19	21.28	
Tryon First				12500.00	42500.00	1315.94	12943.42	
Tryon Second					6000.00			
Tuxedo				12000.00	27000.00	9865.33		5016.33
Valley Hill					8000.00	1413.96		
Warrior Mt.								
W. Hendersonville					11000.00	4535.71	264.06	1340.00
Zion Hill								
Totals		169	17	64500.00	499977.00	74942.08	199701.62	19148.44

TABLE VI. GIFTS FOR LOCAL WORK OF CHURCH

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER John Sinclair East Flat Rock TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Pastor's Salary Paid for Year	Janitor, Fuel, Repairs, Insurance, etc.	Asst. Pastor, Educational Director, Choir Leader	Revival Expense and Pastoral Supply	Paid on Church Debt Out of Current Funds	Literature, Quarterlies, Church Paper, Song Books	Local Benevolences	Building Fund (Given Associational Year)	Local Missions	Other Objects	Total Given for Local Church Work
Balfour	D. R. Lyda, R. 2, Hendersonville	1925.00	566.77		461.74		231.52	170.00	750.10	314.00	356.59	4776.72
Barker Heights	Mrs. G. W. Medlin, R. 5, Hendersonville	1583.06	135.51			1132.56	103.60		200.00	22.00		3576.76
Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, Edneyville, N. C.	193.99			27.00		13.53				34.54	296.06
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave, N. C.	616.22	147.08	75.00			41.80	50.00				930.10
Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrell, Gerton, N. C.	240.97	129.15		191.49		34.39		32.66		35.75	664.41
Berea												
Beulah	J. P. Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.	796.46	127.00		42.17		127.16	60.63			525.00	1672.42
Broad River	Luther Ledbetter, Black Mountain	60.12					7.00					67.12
Calvary												
Cedar Springs	H. G. Capps, Zirconia	389.00	108.00				51.81					548.81
Crab Creek												
Cross Roads	M. L. Jones, Zirconia	245.82			80.00		57.03				106.94	489.79
Dana	W. T. Willis, R. 2, Hendersonville	1500.00	180.15		362.00		81.93	165.65		42.60	67.34	3703.48
Double Springs	Mrs. Elbert Peace, Zirconia	500.00	78.00		519.00		250.00					1166.00
East Flat Rock	Hugh D. Morrison, Hendersonville	1500.00	347.51	90.00	125.00		438.06		7574.11	535.11	35.00	10644.79
Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, R. 1, Hendersonville	2050.82	172.21	272.14			136.05	272.14			17.22	2920.00
Etowah	R. N. Sentelle, Etowah, N. C.	418.09	191.60		144.56		133.14	166.25	968.34		349.60	2371.58
Fletcher	Mrs. N. B. Baldwin, Fletcher	1247.00	216.79			250.51	146.66				107.93	1968.89
French Broad		1060.00	125.87		15.00	191.64	62.94	145.28	751.25			2351.98
Friendship												
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, R. 2, Hendersonville	800.00	143.88			780.00	157.15	20.00	5673.05	5.00		7579.08
Green River	Mrs. U. S. Staton, Zirconia	360.44					55.00		791.64			1207.88
Hendersonville First	B. B. Massagee, Hendersonville	4848.61	4619.84	5946.00	230.19		1482.87	68.00	25293.43	68.00	3865.77	46286.79

Holly Springs	Miss Molly Pace, R. 1, Penrose	160.00	86.00				30.00						
Hoopers Creek	J. K. Williams, Fletcher	2026.01	494.00				55.08	1131.04					3706.00
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Finley Pace, Hendersonville	880.66	285.34	60.00	100.00	3262.94	75.15	91.18	3200.13			46.10	8001.50
Jones Gap	Mrs. M. S. McCarson, R. 4, Hendersonville	215.47			7.00	75.20	30.00	18.00				57.65	403.00
Laurel Springs	C. L. Morgan, Fairview, R. 1												
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville	281.34			35.10		31.00					21.00	368.44
Locust Grove		150.00			50.00		54.00				16.00		270.00
Macedonia													
Middle Fork	Mrs. Luther Hill, Bear Wallow	350.00	98.55		100.00		35.66					14.40	598.61
Mills River	Chas. Sitton, Horse Shoe	486.09	16.39	18.75	100.00		49.90	20.00				16.85	747.98
Mount Gilead	E. L. Lanning, Fletcher	1805.46	62.53				60.24	43.87	1671.35	59.26			3702.71
Mount Moriah	V. A. Gilbert, Hendersonville	985.00	210.00		95.54		105.50			12.00			1408.04
Mount Olivet													
Mount Zion													
Mountain Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville	676.30	195.03		66.13		106.70		95.50				1141.63
Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda	436.16			43.19		20.95	101.17				41.50	642.97
Mountain Valley	Grant Mayhin, Zirconia	350.00	110.00				25.00		330.00				815.00
Mud Creek	Mrs. Lula Kent, Hendersonville	3003.35	428.89		148.12		279.02		526.54	189.67	473.52		5083.02
Naples	Mrs. Alma Corn, Mt. Home	1300.00	193.56		121.15	2125.85	177.18	101.65					2655.83
Oak Grove													
Pacolet	W. K. Ross, Lynn	1140.00	1094.77		11.75		79.91						2326.43
Pleasant Grove	Mr. Henry Reed, R. 4, Hendersonville	565.17	131.76		46.26		37.72	7.00		247.07	65.08		900.06
Pleasant Hill	Mary Freeman, R. 3, Hendersonville	450.00	835.27				50.00						1335.27
Refuge	Clarence Creasman, Dana	2150.37	514.18		120.60		267.23	75.25	5947.71	139.37	142.11		9356.82
Saluda	Mrs. W. G. Egerton, Saluda	1500.00	457.56	30.00	114.70		160.57	68.73	1331.32	43.27	98.64		3804.79
Shaws Creek	J. L. Nanney, 1511, 5th Ave. W., Hendersonville	2760.00	286.26		119.50		368.19	51.00		85.00	638.74		6605.88
Tryon First	R. E. Brantley, Tryon	3450.00	1142.34	764.08		675.17	705.18	50.00	8000.00		276.93		15063.68
Tryon Second	E. B. Bradshaw, Lynn	735.00	202.89		148.95		65.10			213.55	184.60		1550.09
Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo	2860.00	632.62		706.07		277.46	513.13	1486.20		157.47		6633.13
Valley Hill	Clinton Smith, R. 4, Hendersonville	1137.25	443.61	50.00	84.87		199.75			101.00	173.74		2190.22
Warrior Mountain	Mrs. Ned Anderson, Saluda	225.00	2.00		44.00		40.00				13.00		324.00
W. Hendersonville	Mrs. Ruby Davidson, Hendersonville	2133.41	300.09		312.16		181.24	174.17	4535.71				7636.78
Zion Hill													
Totals		**52552.63**	**14631.00**	**7233.97**	**4773.24**	**8493.87**	**7159.37**	**3564.14**	**69259.04**	**2092.90**	**7923.01**		**180464.74**

TABLE VII. GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY E. V. Plemmons Hendersonville CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Co-operative Program (or Unified Budget)	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Schools, Colleges, and Seminaries	Orphanage, Total Gifts	Designated to Hospitals	Relief and Annuity; Other Objects	Total Gifts for Missions	Grand Total Gifts for All Purposes	Pledged to Cooperative Program or Unified Budget for Coming Year	Pledged Associational Missions for Coming Year
Balfour	Woodroe Maxwell, R. 2, Hendersonville	150.00	58.21					219.26	145.00		572.47	5349.19		
Barker Heights	Mrs. Quay Nelson, R. 5, Hendersonville		3.00					124.97	72.00		199.97	3776.63		
Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, R. 1, Edneyville		5.00						22.39		27.39	296.45		
Bat Cave	Carrie F. Cannon, Bat Cave	122.85	31.65		32.74			179.67	81.10		421.36	1351.46		
Bear Wallow	Mrs. Modeen Bradley, Gerton	26.30	22.65					41.73	17.00	4.77	112.45	776.87	25.00	
Berea														
Beulah	J. P. Huggins, R. 3, Hendersonville	164.65	21.40					164.65	49.70		413.60	2086.02		
Broad River	Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mountain	14.00	7.00	4.37							25.37	92.39		
Calvary														
Cedar Springs		27.10	8.21					36.00	34.21	102.22	207.74	756.55		
Crab Creek														
Cross Roads	Sue Jones, Zirconia		12.20					12.00	13.04	65.00	102.24	592.03		
Dana	Roy F. Saltz, R. 2, Hendersonville	557.56	60.00	21.46	32.37	32.15	60.00	142.03	17.32		922.89	4626.37	400.00	60.00
Double Springs	Mrs. Elbert Peace, Zirconia	74.07	24.19					15.00	10.00		123.26	1289.26		
East Flat Rock	John A. Sinclair, East Flat Rock	244.69	91.00	110.21	97.80	274.40		1604.00	281.05	155.22	2858.37	13503.16		81.00
Ebenezer	B. C. Marlowe, Hendersonville, N. C.	31.14						276.74	41.50		349.00	3269.86		
Etowah	Mrs. W. A. Morgan, R. 4, Hendersonville	72.00	35.35	34.42		168.82		346.51	52.00		727.10	3089.34		
Fletcher	Mrs. C. F. Dockings, Fletcher	128.10	25.00	49.68				73.64	36.45		312.81	2281.76		
French Broad	Mrs. W. A. Egerton, Box 1151, Hendersonville			60.70				37.00		57.60	155.30	2507.28	250.00	50.00
Fruitland	A. B. Pittillo, Hendersonville	46.90	40.00	48.80	56.00	65.95	286.00	551.50	121.00	33.00	1248.15	8035.23		
Friendship														
Green River	Mrs. U. S. Staton, Zirconia							22.85			22.85	1229.93		
Hendersonville First		7996.84	931.90			3.00	600.00	996.97	267.25	1123.63	11619.59	55906.30		

Holly Springs																
Hoopers Creek	Lawrence Garren, Fletcher							90.00	30.15	160.93	281.08	3987.08				
Horse Shoe	Mrs. H. P. Houk, Horse Shoe							243.27	7.55		250.82	8252.32				
Jones Gap	Mrs. Virgil T. Jones, R. 4, Hendersonville								21.76		21.76	424.76				
Laurel Springs																
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville								10.00		10.00	378.44				
Locust Grove			7.00								7.00	277.00				
Macedonia																
Middle Fork	Wade Huntley, Bear Wallow		15.00					40.00	38.00	42.00	139.00	737.61				
Mills River	G. C. Field, Horse Shoe	104.26	31.00	33.00	8.00	17.00	100.00	236.28	50.00	18.16	598.26	1346.24	100.00	25.00		
Mount Gilead	Ray M. Crawford, Horse Shoe		25.00	10.00				30.00	20.26		85.26	3787.97				
Mount Moriah	Mrs. J. O. Byres, Edneyville, N. C.		25.00		17.50				11.02		50.12	1458.16				
Mount Olivet									1.00							
Mount Zion																
Mountain Home	R. W. Jones, Edneyville								11.00		11.00	1152.00				
Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda							27.43	20.95		48.38	691.35				
Mountain Valley	Elmo Corn, Zirconia							85.00			85.00	900.00				
Mud Creek	John Anders, R. 5, Hendersonville	443.65	82.30	100.00	23.00	33.90	127.10	305.89	142.25		1258.07	6307.28				
Naples	L. L. Moore, Arden								50.80		50.80	2706.63				
Oak Grove																
Pacolet	W. K. Ross, Lynn	17.00			259.80			40.00	25.00		324.80	2651.23	25.00	60.00		
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lathe Williams, R. 4, Hendersonville	20.00	61.81					176.77	50.80		309.38	1209.44				
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Lewis Womack, Hendersonville							5.00	20.00		25.00	1360.27				
Refuge	Bessie Marshall, R. 1, Hendersonville	272.00	66.00	59.16	30.00	99.00		248.14	69.82		843.98	10200.80		50.00		
Saluda	Mrs. E. B. Hall, Saluda	194.98	75.00	51.85	31.39	108.50	50.00	234.46	48.69	52.06	846.93	4651.72	150.00	75.00		
Shaws Creek	Troy A. Drake, R. 4, Hendersonville	156.49	85.00	39.98	62.27	34.21		27.05	35.50	20.00	375.50	6981.38				
Tryon First	Miss Iris Jackson, Tryon	772.44	100.00	35.00	45.00	75.00	150.00	85.46	69.18		1332.08	16395.76	800.00	100.00		
Tryon Second	Gertrude Howard, Tryon								39.00		39.00	1589.09				
Tuxedo	S. W. Bane, Tuxedo	371.00	128.00	40.00	24.00	200.00		188.22	89.80	34.00	1075.02	7708.15	371.00	128.00		
Valley Hill	Glenn B. Summey, R. 3, Hendersonville							45.06	50.00		95.06	2275.28				
Warrior Mountain	Mrs. Ned Anderson, Saluda	10.00		5.00				10.00			25.00	349.00				
W. Hendersonville	Harold Brown, Hendersonville	133.33		50.00	56.50	72.17		364.71	50.00		726.71	8363.69				
Zion Hill																
Totals		12151.35	2076.87	753.63	776.37	1204.10	1373.10	7321.26	2220.74	1868.59	29336.92	209801.66	2121.00	629.00		

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ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS

1. Pastors Conference—The ministers of the association meet each Monday at the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville. This meeting comes at 10:00 A. M.

2. Each fifth Sunday the Association meets at some designated church at 2:30 P. M. and adjourns at 4:00 P. M.

3. An Associational Sunday School meeting is held on the third Sunday of each month.

4. The Training Union meetings will be announced by the director.

5. The Annual meeting of the W. M. U. will be held with the East Flat Rock Baptist Church.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

The Fruitland Baptist Assembly is located six miles east of Hendersonville and is in session from June 1 through August 31. Rev. B. G. Henry, Hendersonville, N. C., is business manager.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE

Located at the Fruitland Assembly is the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, a preachers' school conducted each year, in three six-weeks terms, October through March, under the direction of Dr. J. C. Canipe, President and State Secretary of Evangelism.

CAROLINA BAPTIST OFFICE

The Carolina Baptist Office is located in Room 8, Hunter Bldg., Hendersonville, Phone 1300. E. V. Plemmons, Associational Missionary, can be contacted at this address.

NEXT SESSION

The next session of the Carolina Baptist Association will be held with the Dana Baptist Church, August 8, 1950. The preacher of the annual sermon will be D. H. Daniels of the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville, with J. A. Anderson of Mud Creek Baptist Church as alternate.

ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

Moderator, M. L. Walker ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Vice-Moderator, Albert Hill ..... Edneyville, N. C.
Clerk, E. V. Plemmons ..... Rt. 2, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer, M. K. Sinclair ..... East Flat Rock, N. C.
Historian, N. A. Melton ..... Rt. 2, Hendersonville, N. C.
Sunday School Superintendent, Roy Huggins ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
B. T. U. Director, O. J. Smith ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
W. M. U. Superintendent, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair ..... East Flat Rock, N. C.

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Superintendent: Roy Huggins ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Association Supt. In Charge of Training: W. B. Sinclair
..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Asso. Supt In Charge of Evangelism: Fred Poplin ..... Fletcher, N. C.
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Enlargement: E. V. Plemmons
..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Vacation Bible Schools:
Mrs. H. T. Sitton ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Secretary-Treasurer: Rachel Kuykendall ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist: Miss Lois Parker ..... Etowah, N. C.
Chorister: Mrs. Annie Mae Parker ..... Etowah, N. C.

STANDING COMMITTEES

State Missions ..... J. A. Anderson
Home Missions ..... Junius Huggins
Foreign Missions ..... J. Laxton Hamerick
Ministers Retirement ..... W. F. Sinclair
Orphanage ..... Wayne Peek
B. T. U. ..... O. J. Smith
S. S. ..... Roy Huggins
Christian Education ..... Howard Sitton
Temperance and Public Morals ..... J. E. Shipman
Periodicals ..... W. C. Huntley
Hospital ..... Emery Nester
Promotion ..... Fred Poplin
W. M. U. ..... Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
Obituaries ..... Clifford Fields
Historian ..... N. A. Melton
Layman's Work ..... Kieth Arledge
Finance Committee ..... M. K. Sinclair, Chm.
John Sinclair
Albert Hill
Finley Pace
R. H. Brady
Roy Huggins
M. L. Walker
Missions Committee ..... C. E. Scarborough, Chm.
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
N. B. Phillips
D. H. Daniels
Roy Campbell
Program Committee ..... Noah Hollowell, Chm.
E. V. Plemmons
T. G. Proctor
C. F. Jervis
M. L. Walker

ASSOCIATIONAL TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

Director: O. J. Smith ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Associate Director: Junius Huggins ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Secretary-Treasurer: Louise Cagle ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Chorister: David Huff ..... East Flat Rock, N. C.
Pianist: Mrs. Fred Stepp ..... Balfour, N. C.
Pastor-Advisor: D. H. Daniels ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Adult Leader: Frank Nevelle ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Young People's Leader: Fred Poplin .....
Intermediate Leader: Mrs. L. V. Lyda ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Junior Leader: Mrs. Virgil Jones ..... Balfour, N. C.
Story Hour Leader: Mrs. Jim Brown ..... Mountain Home, N. C.
Social Leader: E. L. Porter ..... Flat Rock, N. C.

Group Directors:

No. 1. Albert Hill, Edneyville, N. C.
No. 2. L. L. Moore, Naples, N. C.
No. 3. O'Neal Scroggs, Hendersonville, N. C.
No. 4. Carson Lewis, Tuxedo, N. C.
No. 5. Clyde Whitlock, Saluda, N. C.
No. 6. D. G. Wilkie, East Flat Rock, N. C.

ORDAINED MINISTERS WHO ARE NOT PASTORS

Bell, Leo ..... **Tuxedo, N. C.**
Burrell, C. P. ..... Tryon, N. C.
Cable, Vincent ..... Flat Rock, N. C.
Canipe, J. C. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Corn, D. R. ..... Zirconia, N. C.
Corn, Quay ..... Rt. 2, Hendersonville, N. C.
Cox, T. P. ..... Arden, N. C.
Crawford, J. M. ..... Arden, N. C.
Davis, Wm. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Duffie, H. Y. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Edney Arnold ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Field, W. A. ..... Horse Shoe, N. C.
Green, I. H. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Henson, Glenn ..... Horse Shoe, N. C.
Hollingsworth, Bobo ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Holtzclaw, Walter ..... Rt. 4, Hendersonville, N. C.
Huntley, B. E. ..... Bear Wallow, N. C.
Huntley, David ..... Bear Wallow, N. C.
Linsay, W. G. ..... Edneyville, N. C.
Maimwaring, C. W. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Neilson, A. J. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Plemons, E. V. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Quinn, R. P. ..... Rt. 3, Hendersonville, N. C.
Reese, A. V. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Robinson, Edward ..... Fletcher, N. C.
Roberts, W. A. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Searcy, P. C. ..... Bear Wallow, N. C.
Sitton, Frank ..... Arden, N. C.
Thompson, Thomas F. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Vaughn, Ed ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Wall, J. O. ..... Gerton, N. C.

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Harrell McKinnish ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
W. M. Burrell, Jr. ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Douglas Blackwell ..... Gardner Webb College
Oscar Smith ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Luther Tweed ..... Hendersonville, N. C.
Perry Gibbs ..... Hendersonville, N. C.

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Darrell Brevard ..... Fletcher, N. C.
Cecil Worsham ..... Fletcher, N. C.
Emery W. Nester, Jr. ..... 530 King St., Hendersonville, N. C.

CHOIR DIRECTORS

Balfour, Ernest Erwin	Balfour, N. C.
Barnwell, Virgil D. Jones	Balfour, N. C.
Bear Wallow: Mr. Foy J. Wall	Gerton, N. C.
Berea: Newell Salts	Hendersonville, N. C.
Beulah: Robert Drake	Hendersonville, N. C.
Cedar Springs: Fred Ward	Zirconia, N. C.
Cross Roads: C. L. Osteen	Zirconia, N. C.
Dana: Mrs. L. V. Lyda	Flat Rock, N. C.
Double Springs: Esley Hudson	Zirconia, N. C.
East Flat Rock: D. G. Wilkie	East Flat Rock, N. C.
Ebenezer: D. C. Orr	Hendersonville, N. C.
Etowah: Mrs. Annie May Parker	Etowah, N. C.
Fletcher: C. R. Cunningham	Fletcher, N. C.
French Broad: Edgar L. Keuling	Hendersonville, N. C.
Fruitland: Junius Huggins	Hendersonville, N. C.
Green River: Mrs. Essie Staton	Zirconia, N. C.
Hendersonville, First: Miss Lillian Howell	Hendersonville, N. C.
Hoopers Creek: Volley Suttles	Fletcher, N. C.
Horse Shoe: Mrs. J. C. Heffner	Hendersonville, N. C.
Jones Gap: Virgil T. Jones	Hendersonville, N. C.
Locust Grove: Wayne Brevard	Hendersonville, N. C.
Middle Fork: Wade Huntley	Bear Wallow, N. C.
Mills River: Mrs. Clifford Sitton	Horse Shoe, N. C.
Mount Gilead: Frank Sitton	Arden, N. C.
Mountain Home: Roland Jones	Edneyville, N. C.
Mt. Moriah: James Hill	Edneyville, N. C.
Mountain Page: Lewis Pace	Saluda, N. C.
Mounatin Valley: Raleigh Maybin	Zirconia, N. C.
Mountain View: Clayton J. Logan	Hendersonville, N. C.
Mud Creek: Mrs. John Perry	Hendersonville, N. C.
Naples: Mr. Elmo Orr	Mountain Home, N. C.
Oak Grove: Lee Crisp	East Flat Rock, N. C.
Pleasant Grove: D. R. Justus	Hendersonville, N. C.
Pleasant Hill: Samuel Soseboe	Hendersonvlile, N. C.
Refuge: Carl Garrett	Flat Rock, N. C.
Shaws Creek: A. J. Nanney	Hendersonville, N. C.
Tryon, First: Mrs. H. B. Frankenfield	Tryon, N. C.
Tuxedo, Carl Bell	Tuxedo, N. C.
Valley Hill: M. J. Banning	Hendersonville, N. C.
West Hendersonville: J. B. Westall	Hendersonville, N. C.
Zion Hill: J. C. Pace	Zirconia, N. C.

OFFICERS OF THE WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Auxiliary to the Carolina Association

Superintendent: Mrs. M. K. Sinclair	East Flat Rock
Associate Superintendent: Mrs. M. L. Walker	Hendersonville
Young People's Leader: Mrs. F. M. Huggins	Saluda
Sect.-Treas.: Mrs. Fred Bowman	Hendersonville
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Mission Study Chairman: Mrs. J. C. Brown	Mountain Home
Margaret Fund, Trn. School: Mrs. O. J. Smith	Hendersonville
Literature Chairman: Mrs. J. C. Canipe	Hendersonville
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G. A. Leaders: Mrs. Junius Huggins, Mrs. E. V. Plemmons—	Hendersonville
Sunbeam Leader: Mrs. A. R. Karling	Hendersonville
Chorister: Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield	Hendersonville
Pianist: Mrs. Amos Bennett	Hendersonville

LIST OF MESSENGERS

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BARKER HEIGHTS: Mrs. Lottie Hyder, Mrs. Fracier Griffin, Mrs. Margaret London.

BARNWELL: Mrs. Edgar Barnwell, Mrs. Fred Huggins, Mrs. Ruby Lyda, Rev. Virgil Jones.

BAT CAVE: Mrs. Callie Barnwell, W. H. Garven, Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Carrie Cannon.

BEAR WALLOW: Mr. R. M. V. Merrell, Mr. Lawrence Huntley, Mr. Hal Oates.

BEREA:

BEULAH: J. P. Huggins, P. L. Cantrell, J. W. Cantrell, C. G. Thortan.

BROAD RIVER:

CALVARY: Miss Jessie Shipman, Mrs. Jess Brooks, Mrs. B. Dill, Mr. R. C. English.

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FRENCH BROAD: Mrs. B. G. Henry, Mrs. W. S. Henderson.

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HORSE SHOE: Mrs. Madge Pettit, Miss Betty Pettit, Vick Williams, Mrs. Vick Williams, Mr. L. Norton.

JONES GAP: Rev. W. J. Jackson, Mrs. W. J. Jackson, Mr. Lenord Nelson, Mrs. Lenord Nelson, Mrs. T. D. McCarson.

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MOUNT MORIAH: Mrs. Calvin Skipper, Mrs. Raymon Jackson, Mr. Albert Hill, Mrs. Albert Hill, Mr. J. O. Byers, Mrs. J. O. Byers.

MOUNT OLIVET:

MOUNT ZION:

MOUNTAIN HOME: Mr. V. Laughter, Mrs. V. Laughter, Mr. Claude Justice, Mrs. Pierce Spicer, Mrs. W. A. Martin, Miss Mazie Nix.

MOUNTAIN PAGE: R. W. Bell, Beatrice Davis, Nina Hill.

MOUNTAIN VALLEY: Grant Maybin, Elmo Corn, Buck Maybin.

MOUNTAIN VIEW: Cecil A. Worsham, E. V. Plemmons.

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NAPLES: Bobby Davis, V. D. Orr, Joyce Ivester, Mrs. V. D. Orr, Mrs. Dora Orr.

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PACOLET:

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SALUDA: Mr. W. G. Egerton, Mrs. W. G. Egerton, Mr. R. B. Staton, Mr. M. F. Arledge, Mrs. M. F Arledge

SHAWS CREEK: Miss Della Garren, Mr A. J. Nanney, Mrs. T. G. Proctor, Jr., Mr. W. Glazener, Mrs. W. Glazener.

TRYON FIRST: C. E. Scarborough.

TRYON, SECOND:

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VALLEY HILL: Mr. D. H. Kilpatrick, Mrs. D. H. Kilpatrick, Mr. Charles Jackson, Mrs. Charles Jackson, Rev. Jyles Hall.

WARRIOR MOUNTAIN: F. D. Hipps, B. F. Foster, Mrs. M. R. Early, Mrs. F. A. Hipps, Mrs. Grady Johnson.

WEST HENDERSONVILLE: W. R. Hester, Mrs. J. B. Westall, Mrs. Delno Steppe, Mrs. Dulus Hyder, Mr. Cantrell.

ZION HILL: J. C. Pace, Mrs. J. H. Stanbury, Mrs. Nora Anders.

CONSTITUTION

Mell's Parliamentary Practice Followed:

Article 1 — Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Carolina Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers and pastors (who have been elected as exoficio members with voting privileges) of Missionary Baptist churches in Henderson and Polk counties and other Missionary Baptist churches who wish to unite with them.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members in excess of one hundred. Only the names of the messengers attending the meeting shall be printed in the minutes .

Article 2 — Objects

Section 1. The object of this Association shall be to devise and recommend measures for the increasing of mental and spiritual power of the churches, and for developing and directing their energies, their resources and gifts in advancing the Master's Kingdom throughout the entire world.

Article 3 — Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational B. T. U. Director, all of whom shall be elected by a majority vote at each annual meeting. These officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall, by fraternal visitation, counsel and advise with churches regarding their work through the year.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches in the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment. His annual compensation shall be $50.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall have charge of all the funds which may be raised by the Association, of which he shall give an account at the annual meeting.

Article 4

Section 1. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as from time to time be deemed advisable.

Article 5

Section 1. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ, and the ordinances of His house as accepted by Missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, by a majority vote.

Section 2. Any church in good standing in this Association may, on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

Article 6

Section 1. The Association at any meeting may withdraw fellowship from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

Article 7

Section 1. This Association regards each Baptist church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body for furthering the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity, the preaching the gospel, and promoting Christian education.

Article 8

Section 1. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion or resolution of the body, except to amend the constitution which shall require a two-third vote of the members.

Article 9

Section 1. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the beginning of each day and corrected, if necessary. Before final adjournment the entire minutes shall be read and approved.

Article 10

Section 1. The Association shall, before its final adjournment, fix a place for the next meeting and select one of the ministers of the body to preach the annual sermon .

Article 11

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the pastor and one layman from each church, said layman to be duly appointed or elected by the church annually, and in addition thereto, the following: the Moderator of the Association, the Clerk, the Associational Field Worker or Missionary, the Superintendent of the Woman's Missionary Union, the Associational Sunday School Superintendent, the Associational Baptist Traniing Union Director.

A quorum shall consist of all the members of the Executive Committee present after due notice has been given by card or letter.

2. Program Committee Duties:

A. Work with the program committee of the pastor's cnoference in correlating the programs of the two groups.

B. Assume responsibility for programs for meetings of the Association in which objectives of the State and Southern Baptist Denominational calendar shall be given proper emphasis.

C. Cooperate with the Field Worker or Associational Missionary, the Sunday School, Training Union, and Woman's Missionary Union departments of the Association so as to co-ordinate the Associational work.

D. Arrange all special Associational meetings when desired.

E. Prepare and publish programs for the quarterly and annual meetings of the Association.

F. Prepare the Association's calendar of meetings and general activities for the year or shorter periods .

3. Mission Committee Duties:

A. Direct and work with the Association's Missionary in cooperation with the State and Home Misison Board.

B. Survey the field for more effective action.

C. Establish missions where deemed advisable.

D. Conduct revival meetings when deemed advisable with pastorless or non-self-supporting churches, or communities without a Baptist Church.

E. Organize new churches when and where the Executive Committee deems advisable.

F. Conduct Daily Vacation Bible Schools.
G. Conduct Bible Classes.
H. Conduct Association-wide Sunday School revivals.
I. Aid pastorless churches, etc.

4. Finance Committee Duties:

Prepare the Associational budget for proposed work to be done by the Executive Committee through all committees and secure necessary funds to accomplish the proposed programs.

POLICIES

Distribute the activities of the Association throughout the year by holding quarterly afternoon or night sessions. Organize the work of the Association so that it will be broader in scope with a set-up ample to take care of the average situation. Aid pastorless churches and establish and sponsor missions, Sunday School and hold revivals outside of our organized churches when such is deemed advisable by our Executive Committee.

By changing our annual program and having the addresses from those representing our Hospital, Orphanage, Biblical Recorder ,Home and Foreign Missions, Temperance, and other causes presented at our quarterly sessions, we give more deliberate and intelligent thought to these matters than when they are properly spaced in between our local program. This would permit more discussion, freedom of spirit and greater inspiration to a less crowded program of our annual session.

If the customary program should crowd the annual session too much for one day and not permit free and liberal discussion where desired, reports such as that of the historian, and that on temperance and morals, the orphanage, hospitals, periodicals and other subjects not directly dealing with our local Association's activities might be made topics for discussion by visiting speakers at our quarterly meetings rather than at our annual session. Such arrangement would become a part of the duty of the Program Committee under this proposed set-up.

This would reduce the burden of preparing food for two days instead of one and would maintain a good attendance as we have now on the first day.

By distributing the quarterly meetings among the different churches we would place our sessions in closer proximity to the people and also enlist more interest in such gatherings.

The night session of the second day of our Association, which is devoted to the work program of the B. T. U. and Sunday School, would be held at the afternoon quarterly meetings.

Under this plan the minutes of the quarterly meetings would be embraced in the annual published minutes of the Association.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The Association shall convene at 9:30 a. m. on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year.
2. The Association shall open and close with prayer each day. The title of "Brother' shall be used in all meetings of the body.
3. The rules of order may be changed at any session by a vote of the majority of members present.
4. That reports be limited to 500 words.
5. All questions of order shall be decided by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 9, 1949

1. The Carolina Baptist Association opened its seventy-third annual session at the Valley Hill Baptist Church on August 9, 1949, with F. M. Huggins as moderator and E. V. Plemmons as clerk.

2. The devotional period was begun with the congregational hymn, "Crown Him Lord of All", led by Fred Poplin of Fletcher. Dr. W. F. Powell, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Nashville, Tenn., read the Scripture and led in prayer.

3. The moderator called the association to order and asked for a roll call of churches. There were 45 churches represented and the following visitors: Dr. Zeno Wall of the Baptist Orphanage, Dr. L. L. Carpenter, editor of the Biblical Recorder; Rev. Lawrence Erwin of S. C.; Dr. Claude Gaddy, secretary of the Council on Christian Education; Rev. Glenn Blackburn, pastor at Wake Forest; Miss Louise Nesbitt, Vacation Bible School worker in the Association; Dr. Earl Bradley, Field Secretary of Eastern Carolina; and Rev. Hudson of Florida.

4. The following officers were elected for the coming year: M. L. Walker, Moderator; E. V. Plemmons, Clerk; Albert Hill, Vice-Moderator; M. K. Sinclair, Treasurer; N. A. Melton, Historian; Roy Huggins, Sunday School Superintendent; O. J. Smith, Training Union Director.

5. The program for the day was presented and adopted by the body. The following committees were appointed: Time, Place and Preacher: J. A. Anderson, W. C. Huntley, N. B. Baldwin; Resolutions: Roy Campbell, M. K. Sinclair, W. H. Davis; Reception of New Churches :N. B. Phillips, D. H. Daniels, N. A. Melton.

6. The State Missions Report was presented by A. J. Nielson and adopted by the body.

STATE MISSIONS — 1949

Since the organization of the Baptist State Convention, State Missions has been central in the thinking of North Carolina Baptists. Baptists are a powerful denomination today, and so far as one can see this is true because during the years there has been in operation a fairly agressive State Mission program.

Most of the churches in North Carolina have been aided in one way or another through the State Mission program. Within the past fifteen years some four hundred new churches have come into existence, and State Missions has helped, in one way or another, perhaps three fourths of them.

For many years aid was principally extended in helping a little on pastors' salaries in new churches located in strategic centers. Speaking in business terms these investments have brought rich dividends, and every activity which Baptists support through the State Mission program has touched the churches more directly than the activities of other agencies.

As the denomination has grown, so has the State Mission program. There are now nineteen different activities in this program. These activities are listed herewith:

Sunday School Work
Training Union Work
Summer Assemblies
Teaching Activities
Visual Education, Radio, etc.

Evangelism
New and Needy Churches
Work among Indians
Schools For Ministers
Work Among Silent People
Interracial Activities
Allied Church League, Rural Work, etc.
Neglected Areas
Student Work among 15,000 Baptist students

How is this great work supported? State Missions receives 13c out of every Cooperative Program dollar. In addition to that some money is received through the Sunday School Board to promote the departments of Sunday School, Training Union, and Student Work. In addition the Woman's Missionary Union makes a special offering in September. Then October is State Mission month. During that month, and particularly on the last two Sundays people are asked to make a special offering through the Sunday Schools and churches for this great cause.

Special attention should be given to the work accomplished in our two assemblies—Frluitland and Seaside. These are now placed on a permanent basis and will become a real factor in enlarged denominational life. It is hoped that every pastor and every Sunday School superintendent, along with the teachers in the Sunday Schools, will get behind the program in October and get the greatest offering by far than has even been made to State Missions.

Respectfully submitted,
A. J. Nielson

7. The following report on Home Missions was read by N. A. Melton and adopted by the body:

REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS

Home Missions affords an opportunity to all Southern Baptists to co-operate in doing mission work. The Home Mission Board with Dr. J. B. Lawrence as secretary is located in Atlanta, Ga. A message from him furnishes the information given in this report.

There can be little doubt as to what Christ commanded his people to do. Those who read and believe the Scriptures are not at a loss to know what it is all about. Let him speak to us today as he spoke to his disciples of old and all confusion and fog and misunderstanding would vanish in the light of his clear revelation. "As the Father has sent me, even so send I you."

This gives us a basis for our mission undertaking as broad and wide and deep as the purposes of God. We may break our mission work up for convenience in thinking and for economy in operation but it is not broken up in the thinking of our Lord. State, Home, and Foreign missions, Christian education, and benevolence, are all included in one great enterprise.

What is missions? It is the people of the gospel, with the gospel, giving that gospel to people without it, no matter who they are or where they are. It is the churches of Jesus Christ without exception going into all the world without limitation, preaching the gospel without modification, to every creature without discrimination. Missions is the highest conception of God's selective purpose, the saving of individuals for the sake of lost communities.

There is but one ground for a plea for any missions, and that is, that Jesus Christ may be made known among men as Saviour and Lord. Our Southland must be made Christian and its forces mobilized for world conquest for Christ. Our supreme task is to marshal a great denomination and make its men and its money, its institutions and its churches, its very resource available for kingdom conquest.

In the evangelization of the homeland there are problems to solve, conditions to meet, and work to be done which are southwide in their nature. This gives to us a southwide undertaking. It calls for a southwide operation. There are frontiers of work stretching in every direction. More than 500 missionaries are supported in doing direct mission service in the United States, Canal Zone, Panama, Costa Rica, and Cuba. Right now work is being enlarged in the far western states and in Alaska .

There are special departments for work among the Jews, among many tribes of Indians, and among the Negroes. Special workers are provided for Foreign Language groups, such as Spanish, French, Italian, and Chinese who live in our larger southern cities. Chaplains are provided for the army and the navy. As a source of information concerning all this work we commend to you the reading of the splendid monthly magazine, **Southern Baptist Home Missions.** Also there are many good books for private reading and for study courses.

Yes, living and giving in the home church one may have a share in service which is southwide and beyond as we co-operate in home missions. "Who saves his homeland saves all."

N. A. Melton, Chairman of Committee

8. The report on Foreign Missions was ommitted. An informative and inspiring missionary address was delivered by Dr. Earl Bradley of Raleigh, who is Field secretary of Eastern North Carolina.

9. The congregation stood and sang together one verse of "Rescue the Perishing", Fred Poplin leading. Dr. L. L. Carpenter spoke briefly on the Biblical Recorder. A motion was made that the W. M. U. and Periodical reports given at the last quarterly meeting be adopted. The reports were adopted.

10. The Associational Treasurer read the following report of finances which was adopted by the body:

REPORT OF TREASURER FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1949

Balance on hand Aug. 1, 1948	$ 14.43	
Contributions to maintain Field Worker	2,003.23	
Receipts at Quarterly Meetings	124.24	
Contributions made to Field Worker	154.66	
Contributions for Minute Fund	296.00	
Note discounted	1,000.00	
Contribution for expense to Convention	25.00	3617.56
Disbursements:		
Salary of Field Worker	2,444.56	
Retirement Field Worker	140.00	
Expense—Printing, Stamps, Paper, Service Chg.	30.46	
Expense to Convention—Field Worker	25.00	
Clerk	50.00	
Associational Minutes	252.85	
Interest — Note discounted	15.00	2957.87
Balance on hand	$659.69	

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

Churches that have contributed to Minute Fund and to support of Field Worker for this Associational year:

	Minute Fund	Field Worker
Balfour	$ 25.00	$ 133.00
Barker Heights	3.00	
Barnwell	2.00	10.87
Bat Cave	5.00	30.81
Bear Wallow	5.00	19.69
Beulah	2.00	
Cedar Springs	5.00	3.50
Cross Roads	5.00	
Dana	5.00	120.00
Double Springs	4.00	
East Flat Rock	15.00	81.00
Ebenezer	5.00	27.55
Etowah	14.00	39.25
Fletcher	7.50	45.00
French Broad	5.00	
Fruitland	10.00	40.00
Hendersonville First	25.00	300.00
Horse Shoe	6.00	44.03
Jones Gap		10.00
Liberty	2.00	
Locust Grove	3.00	
Middle Fork	2.00	
Mills River	10.00	25.00
Mount Gilead		18.73
Mount Moriah	5.00	57.00
Mount Zion		3.50
Mountain Home	2.00	
Mountain Valley	5.00	
Mud Creek	20.00	150.17
Naples	7.50	15.00
Pacolet	10.00	
Pleasant Grove	5.00	
Pleasant Hill		22.50
Refuge	10.50	50.00
Saluda	10.00	75.00
Shaws Creek	10.00	85.00
Tryon First	15.00	167.40
Tryon Second	4.00	
Tuxedo	10.00	143.00
Valley Hill	15.00	56.86
Warrior Mountain	1.50	
West Hendersonville		26.27
	$296.00	$1,800.13

Respectfully submitted,

M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

11. M. K. Sinclair presented the report of the Baptist Orphanage of N. C., which was adopted.

REPORT OF THE BAPTIST ORPHANAGE OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Our Baptist Orphanage began caring for orphan boys and girls, August 5, 1885. From the humble beginning 64 years ago thousands of needy boys and girls have been cared for. They have been fed and clothed, but our concern has not stopped there. Down through the years a training program has been carried out which has made it possible for those who have come under the helpful influence and efficient instruction, to be had at our Orphanage, to prepare for useful careers and a life of service. The boys and girls thus trained have gone forth to bless the world. This has been made possible because we as Baptist followers of the Lord Jesus Christ have supported the Orphanage with our prayers and our gifts. Praying and giving go together in doing a fine job like we find there. We have gone just half way to do a worthwhile task when we have prayed about it, and not backed up our prayers with our gifts.

Last year we helped 793 children in Mills Home, in Kennedy Home and in foster homes. Our Sunday schools and churches that have contributed to the support of the Orphanage have made it possible for these 793 children to have a home, and all that goes into the home to make it a place worthy of the name it bears.

One new home has been built, this year, that will make it possible to care for twenty-four children. Other homes need to be built in order to be able to care for other children as applications come to us. Many boys and girls have had to grow up and face life without the preparation, the environment, the helpful interest and instruction that they deserved to have had, because our Orphanage was filled to capacity and could not accept them. They are the poorer because somebody failed them and those who could have given, and did not, are the poorer here and will be lacking over there in the Land where we are admonished to lay up our treasurers.

Now, to our pastors, Sunday school superintendents, Deacons and church leaders. What part have you had and what part are you having in making it possible for us to have and maintain a home for our needy children? If you do not encourage the people where you labor to support our Orphanage, if you do not recommend a contribution, and see to it that one is made at least monthly, you are failing the orphan children of North Carolina. You are saying by your lack of support that you are not concerned, that other Sunday schools and churches can take care of our orphans—that you are not interested in them and do not care to help them.

Our Father is concerned about and interested in our orphans but He has left the work in your hands and mine to give them what they need. In James 1:27 we find these words: "Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father, is this, To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction and to keep himself unspotted from the world". There are two classes of Baptist members in our churches —the spotted and the unspotted, the selfish and the unselfish, the concerned and the unconcerned.

We find another passage in Matthew 25th chapter with reference to those who do and those who do not. He says "I was hungry and you fed me not, naked and you clothed me not, sick (or in need) and you visited me not." What kind of Baptist are you? Do you aspire to be one of the annointed of God, demonstrating what pure religion—the religion of the Lord Jesus Christ—means to you, by helpin gto make it possible for our orphans to be cared for as they deserve to be?

Do you get Charity and Children in your Sunday school? It shows, from time to time, those that do support the Orphanage and those that do not. Some Sunday schools make some effort at Thanksgiving and Christmas, to send something to the Orphanage. How would you and I look if the Lord blessed us half-heartedly once a year? I am not recommending something to you that we do not observe in our Sundoy school. We make an offering one Sunday each month to the support of our Orphanage. That is the practical, reasonable and sure way for the Orphanage to receive the support that is needed for them to continue to do the fine work they are now doing.

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair

12. The Chairman of the finance committee, John Sinclair, discussed a budget for the coming year and submitted for adoption the following report which was adopted by the association:

ESTIMATED BUDGET FOR ASSOCIATIONAL EXPENSES
1949-1950

Salary	$2000.00
Travel Expense	600.00
Rent	150.00
Retirement	140.00
Convention	110.00
Clerk	50.00
Minutes	250.00
Miscellaneous	200.00
Total	$3500.00
5% of salaries based on associational report	$2629.00

This is $871.00 short of what is needed to balance budget.

As a method of balancing this budget, we recommend that every church in the asociation adopt either the 5% or 10% plan, leaving it entirely with the church to adopt whichever plan they feel that they will be able to support.

Finance Committee,
John A. Sinclair
Wayne Peek

13. After a congregational hymn, "Glory To His Name", George Roberts read Matt. 16:13, and led in prayer. The annual associational sermon was delivered by C. E. Scarborough, who used as his subject, "Keeping Faith With Tomorrow's World."

SERMON — KEEPING FAITH WITH TOMORROW'S WORLD

We meet today in the 73rd annual meeting of the Carolina Association. Many things have happened since that day when our forefathers met. According to the historical table there were only sixteen of the present seventy-six churches organized.

Thirty-one years ago the Carolina Association met with this church for its annual meeting. When we turn our minds back over the years we see that many changes have taken place since this association was organized, and even since we met here thirty-one years ago. Many changes have been made in the roads. Also there have been changes in the mode of travelling. Most of those early delegates came walking, or on mule or horse back, or by wagon or oxcart, but today we came riding in our cars, and over good roads.

Then there have been changes in our homes and in our school plants and systems. Today we see beautiful homes all along the roadway, and our spacious school plants are located in the several communities. Also modes of communication and systems of governments have changed. If those who met in the first meeting of the Carolina Association should return today, they would think that they were in another world from the one they lived in back in their day. Changes are all about and the future will bring more changes in our world than the past has brought.

But, today as we meet, it will help us to look at some of the things that have not changed and will not change. The nature of man has not changed. He is still a sinful creature, and like Adam, he is prone to go the way of sin rather than the way of God. Neither has the Devil changed in the least. He is the same lying, deceitful and betraying creature that he was in the long ago. Also the sinfulness of sin has not changed. It still breaks the heart of God, wrecks lives and damages souls both here and hereafter. Likewise the condition of the sinner before God has not changed. Sin still separates from God. "He that sinneth shall die," and "the wages of sin is death." It is still true that "Whatsoever a man soeth that shall he also reap". The sinner is lost, and without Christ there is no hope.

Thanks be to God there are some great things in man's favor which have not changed and will not change. God has not changed. His Holy Word has not changed. Jesus and His great gospel of hope, love and redemption have not changed. The plan of salvation is still working today, for every believing, repenting sinner still finds a forgiving Father and a loving Saviour. Neither have the need for the gospel at home and around the world changed. The only hope for our sin cursed world is found in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Ours has been a glorious past. The principle for which Baptists stand have been bought with blood, tears and suffering. Peter, John, Paul and all the early martyrs gave their lives that we might know. John Bunyan, Rogers Williams and those early Baptist preachers suffered more than we can ever know, so that the belief of Baptists might be known in our world.

We stand today as a conencting link between the past and the future. What if the connecting link breaks? What if we fail? What if we let the light go out in our lives, churches and in our world? Will we keep faith with the past? Will we keep faith with tomorrow's world?

If we will keep faith with tomorrow's world there are a few things which we must do today. We must not be ashamed to carry the open Bible to all the people of the world. It is still the Book of life, and the gospel is still the hope of the world. We need to proclaim it in its fullness with all the passion of our lives. Also we must keep our teaching and preaching Christ-centered. Baptists must not get off center here. Then we must lot loose our aggressiveness and our evangelistic spirit. The command is still to go out into the hedges and the highways and compel them to come in. Then last, but not least, we must teach them to do what He has commanded us so that they may in turn teach those whom they will to go and do likewise.

We will keep faith with tomorrow's world as we are faithful to Christ today.

14. The morning session was dismissed with prayer by D. H. Daniels. A delightful lunch was prepared by the hostess church and an hour of fellowship was enjoyed by all present.

THE AFTERNOON SESSION

15. The afternoon session was opened with the congregational singing of the hymn, "I Love To Tell The Story". Roy Campbell led a brief devotioonal period using John 1:1f, and led in prayer.

16. The following visitors were recognized: M. H. Kendall, Professor of Bible at Mars Hill College, and W. K. McGee, Chaplain at the North Carolina Baptist Hospital. These new pastors were recognized: Jyles Hall, Pastor at Valley Hill; D. H. Daniels, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville; Roy Campbell, Pastor of Dana and Cecil Worsham, Pastor of Mountain View.

17. The following resolution was submitted by the moderator and adopted by the association:

RESOLUTION ON BARDEN BILL

In keeping with the Baptist position of separation of church and state, be it resolved by the Carolina Baptist Association, meeting in annual session at the Valley Baptist Church on August 9, 1949,

(1) That we look with disfavor and disapproval upon the efforts of the Catholic church to secure Federal funds to support their parochial schools. It matters not that these funds be used for transportation of children to and from school, or in providing a better health program. It is a violation of the Constitution of the United States, and of the American tradition of the separation of church and state. Baptists do not ask for state or federal funds to help support their schools, and we protest their use by any other group in the support of private or parochial schools.

(2) That we look with favor and approval upon that part of the Federal Aid to Education Bill (H. R. 4643) by Representative Graham Barden of North Carolina which denies, or prohibits the use of any of this money ($300,000,000) for private or parochial schools.

Respectfully submitted,
F. M. Huggins

18. The following report on reception of new churches was made by N. A. Melton:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NEW CHURCHES

We received one application of a new church seeking membership in our body, that of Mountain View Baptist church situated about two miles east of Hendersonville.

This church was constituted on July 10, 1949 as a regular missionary Baptist church. They have elected Rev. Cecil A. Worsham as pastor.

After careful inquiry and investigation your committee unanimously recommends that this new church be received into our fellowship and its messengers be seated.

Committee
N. B. Phillips, Chairman
D. H. Daniel
N. A. Melton

The report was adopted, and the new church was welcomed by the moderator and her delegates recognized by the Association.

19. The following report of the resolutions committee was submitted to the body by Roy Campbell:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Amendment to the Constitution:

1. Resolved that Article 3, Section 1, be amended by striking out the words: "By ballott".

2. Resolved that the rules of order be amended by changing rule 1 to read "9:30 A. M." instead of "10:00 A. M."

3. Resolved that Article 1, Section 2, be amended by adding the words, "pastors and," making it read thus: "It shall be composed of pastors and messengers of missionary Baptist churches of Henderson and Polk Counties", etc.

4. Be it resolved by the Carolina Baptist Association that the associational year end with the last Sunday in June of each year.

5. That this body express its appreciation by a rising vote to Valley Hill Baptist Church for her splendid hospitality and the fine way in which we have been entertained here today.

Roy D. Campbell
M. K. Sinclair

Resolutions 1, 2, 4 and 5 were adopted by the association. Resolution 3 was amended to read thus: Resolved that Article 1, Section 2, be amended to read thus: It shall be composed of messengers and pastors (who have been elected as exofficio members with voting privileges) of Missionary Baptist Churches, etc.

20. The report of the committee on Time, Place, and Preacher was presented which is as follows "We recommend that the Association hold its 74th annual session with the Dana Baptist Church on August 9, 1950. D. H. Daniels will preach the Associational sermon with J. A. Anderson as alternate." The report was adopted. The First Baptist Church of East Flat Rock was decided upon as the place of meeting for the next quarterly meeting, October 30, 1949.

21. D. G. Wilkie submitted the report on Ministers Retirement, which was adopted by the body.

MINISTERS' RETIREMENT PLAN FOR MINISTERS AND CHURCH EMPLOYEES AND THE WIDOWS' SUPPLEMENTAL ANNUITY PLAN

The purpose of these plans, promoted by the Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention and the State Convention is:

1. To provide annuities for ministers and church employees who participate in the plans when they reach retirement age, sixty-five, or at any period they may retire after reaching that age, and an annuity to the widow.

2. To provide a dsiability annuity if such disability occurs at any time prior to age sixty-five.

3. To provide an annuity for the widow in the event of the death of the member before reaching age sixty-five.

Dues are payable monthly or quarterly. The pastor pays 4% of his salary. The church, or churches, pay 4% of his salary, or an amount equal to that paid by the pastor. The Convention adds to that amount.

During any one year then there is laid aside to build up an annuity an amount equivalent to about 9% of what a man receives in actual salary, exclusive of any amount he may receive for a home. This means that while about 9% of the salary a pastor receives is laid aside for payment of annuities, he pays only 4%, if his churches join with him in this plan. Of course the Convention will join with him if the churches agree to do so.

Funds are handled by our own Relief and Annuity Board and no profit is made out of it, and all amounts earn interest.

There are other benefits and provisions to be derived from this plan which we do not have space and time to mention in this report.

We would suggest that any pastor or church official who wishes further information on the retirement plan, contact the Raleigh office.

The State Board has issued 885 certificates since the plan was started in 1940.

Fifty-two ministers have retired and are drawing checks each month.

There are 8 on disability list and 13 widows of members who had retired or were eligible for retirement.

This I think is a fine plan and would like to urge the Churches and Pastors of our Association to take advantage of the retirement plan and its benefits.

Respectfully submitted,
D. G. Wilkie

22. T. G. Proctor presented the following report on promotion, and it was adopted by the body.

PROMOTION REPORT

First, we highly commend the fine work of Bro. E. V. Plemmons and recommend that he be retained as associational missionary.

Probably the greatest need of our day is Bible study. The great challenge of Chester Swor to establish family altars in all our Baptist homes, is being answered by many, by a return to God in Bible study and prayer. We should constantly urge ourselves and our people to renew Bible study in our homes, and in our churches.

Then, it is necessary for us to know the great needs of our mission fields, here and abroad. Missionary speakers and mission study books could awaken us to our big responsibility. Missionaries can be heard at Fruitland, and many times can be obtained to speak in our individual churches. Our Associational Missionary can provide missionary films.

Perhaps the greater number of Baptists do not know what a great work our denomination is doing. It is not nationally advertised in our magazines or public movie houses as is "Boy's Town" and "Notre Dame", but a much greater and truer work is done in each of our state Baptist orphanages, hospitals and schools. What a tragedy that this true work of Christ is not better known and suppored. It can be thru our W. M. U. and Brotherhood organizations. Our Cooperative Program needs our support.

It is recommended that W. M. U. organizations with their young people's work be organized and developed in every Baptist church. Furthermore that men form Brotherhood chapters to evangelize study mission needs, support church programs, and sponsor our boy's R. A. work. Sunbeam, G. A. and R. A. chapters should be in every church. Our men are the logical ones to win and lead boys in Christian service. Brotherhoods are, and can be great agencies for soul winning.

With the advancement of our King's program, there will be need of enlargement and beautification of church buildings and grounds. Worthy signs erected should designate that these beautified buildings are Baptist churches.

Respectfully submitted,
T. G. Proctor

23. The historian's report was given by W. H. Davis, assistant historian. The report was adopted.

REPORT OF HISTORIAN

The territory west of the Blue Ridge, known as Western North Carolina, was settled by people who were Baptists, either as members of Baptist Churches or Baptists in sentiment. Consequently Western North Carolina has always been considered Baptist territory.

The first Church to be organized west of the Blue Ridge was French Broad Baptist Church. This church was organized in 1789. This was the beginning of Baptist work in Western North Carolina. Other churches were organized later from this church until the territory was covered with Baptist Churches. Quoting from a historical sketch written by Brother A. J. Justice. The first association organized in this state west of the Blue Ridge was the French Broad, which was constituted in 1807, meeting for the purpose of organization with the French Broad Church. This association was composed of only six churches, French Broad, Cane Creek, Caney River, Little Ivy, New Found, and Locust Old Field. The ordained ministers in this association were Benjamin King, Humphrey Posey, and Stephen Morgan. Bro. Justice says, "These men were flaming evangelists, going everywhere proclaiming the gospel of Christ as God's only means of saving a lost world. None of these men made any claim to scholarship. They were not educated in the schools, yet they were men of God and went forth with a conviction that God had called them into the ministry. These men knew God and the Bible and were filled with that burning zeal which accounts for the rapid progress made by Baptists in these early days."

The Salem Association was organized at Old Salem Church near Fletcher in 1838. This church was moved to Fletcher and is now Fletcher Baptist Church. The territory covered by the Salem was South Buncombe and Henderson Counties. It contained the churches of Asheville, Hendersonville and Brevard together with nearly all of the most prominent country churches in the territory.

The ministers in the association at that time were Thomas Stradley, James Blythe, Baily Bruce, Merrit Richman, William Mince, R. Jordan, J. Cantrell, Jonathan King and J. Evans. At a later date the seeds of disruption entered into the associations and they began to divide. They divided first over the doctrines of Election and Fm agency. These doctrines have always played a conspicious part in our divisions. The Carolina Association was organized at Double Springs Church, October 19, 1877. The organization included six churches taken from the Transylvania Association and located in the Green River Section of Henderson County.

The Henderson County association was organized at Old Salem Church on October 19, 1882, with eleven churches as follows: Hendersonville, Hoopers Creek, Salem, Refuge, Ebenezer, French Broad, Mud Creek, Pleasant Hill, Mills River, Boilston, and Pleasant Grove In this same year the Salem Association dissolved. The Henderson County association was merged into the Carolina at Refuge Church in 1887. The Carolina and the Henderson County associations covered the same territory for five years. The ministers at that time in the Henderson County Association were D. B. Nelson, W. C. McCarthy, F. M. Jordan, G. S. Jones, T. Bright and Joseph E. Carter, all men of ability. By the blending of these two associations the Carolina became a strong body in number of churches and also in membership, but she has never measured up to her ability in Missionary enterprises.

In the year 1845, the W. N. C. Baptist convention was organized at Boiling Springs Campground on the Kanuga Road not very far from Hendersonville. This convention covered all the territory west of the Blue Ridge and took in one church East of the Blue Ridge. Brother A. I. Justice gives in his historical sketch the second article of the constitution of this body which reads as follows: "The primary object of the convention shall be to distribute Bibles among the destitute, the employment of home Missionaries within her bounds, the sustaining of foreign and domestic and Indian missions. Also to educate poor young men called of God to the ministry of the gospel who may be approved by their churches". Many of the people in the W. N. C. Baptist convention believed in Missions and in Christian education, but our schools were few and our educational advantages very limited. We had no railroads, were shut off from Eastern N. C. by mountain ranges and were deprived of many advantages enjoyed by our eastern brethren. But efforts were made at an early date to establish Baptist schools in this territory.

The first Baptist school to be opened west of the Blue Ridge was Mars Hill College in the year 1856. This school was closed for a while during the Civil War, but was opened again in the year 1890 and has done good work since that time.

In 1858 an effort was made to establish a female college at Hendersonville in the Carolina Association. Trustees were appointed and an agent was put in the field to raise funds. About $10,000 was expended and a building of stones erected. The work was progressing well until it was stopped by the Civil War. The building was finished in 1879, and the institution was opened for students, with Professors W. A. G. Brown and W. G. B. Morris as teachers. Its Name had been changed from W. N. C. Female College to Judson College, and it was made co-educational. Rev. W. A. Nelson was elected as its first president. A faculty was organized and it started out upon its career as a full fledged Baptist College. W. C. McCarthy was elected as the next president of the college, and was followed by J .B. Boone in 1883.

With the election of Rev. J. B. Boone as president, it was considered the outstanding Baptist College of Western North Carolina. Judson College did good work until her doors were closed as a Baptist College in the summer of 1889 when Rev. J. B. Boone resigned as president. During its existence up to this time it had turned out four graduates, Rev. W. H. Rich, Rev. B. P. Robertson, who died recently at Siler City. Miss Ida Osborne, who became the first wife of B. P. Robertson, and Miss Laura Church. There were a number of other preachers and women, not a few, who attended Judson College and were greatly helped. Some of them went to other colleges and graduated. It helped many a boy and girl and its influence for good will live forever. Miss Sallie McCracken, one of the outstanding women of North Carolina, now at our Baptist Orphanage, received her training at Judson College.

Judson College was not a failure except in the matter of finances. The value of a college is measured by the character and strength of its faculty rather than by the value of its equipment.

The First Baptist Church of Hendersonville was built during the administration of J. B. Boone as president of Judson College. Rev. B. P. Robertson was ordained by this church on Aug. 11, 1888. The Judson College property was sold for debt on March 7, 1892.

In the year 1898 the Executive Board of the Western North Carolina Baptist Convention selected C. S. Cashwell, of Eastern North Carolina as Mission secretary of this convention. Brother Cashwell came to Asheville to meet with the brethren and investigate the condition of the work of the churches in this section. Upon investigation, he decided that the best thing that could be done for the progress of the churches would be to disband the Western North Carolina Convention, so in that same year, 1898, through the influence of Brother C. S. Cashwell an dthe influence of Rev. A. I. Justice, the convention disbanded in her last session at Hendersonville and the churches that remained in the convention at that time joined the state convention in a body at Greenville, N. C. This closed the work of the Western North Carolina Baptist Convention. The last Baptist paper published in the convention was the Western North Carolina Baptist, published by Brother J. D. Boone at Waynesville, N. C.

The closing of Judson College, 1889, as the outstanding Baptist school in Western North Carolina left the Carolina Association without a Baptist high school. The need for such a school was clearly seen and keenly felt. A committee was appointed by the Association to lay plans and select a place for the establishment of a Baptist school. Rev. A. I. Justice was made chairman of this committee. The place selected for the school was 7 miles from Hendersonville and called Fruitland. The school was opened by Rev. A. I. Justice as principal in 1899. Rev. W. F. Powell was chosen as a member of the faculty during the first term. After one year with the school, Rev. W. F. Powell was made principal of the school. This school continued to operate as Fruitland Institute up to the year 1936. It was closed in that year for debt and lack of funds. In 1901 the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention established a system of Home Board schools and Fruitland Institute was incorporated in that system. At the head of that system was Dr. A. E. Brown, Home Mission schools were established in a number of Associations in Western North Carolina and did good work until crowded out by state supported high schools.

The Fruitland school property was turned over to the state mission board in 1946 and is now being used for the purpose of holding a Baptist Bible School. This school has at its head Dr. J. C. Canipe, a man who is well fitted for a work of this kind. He has associated with him a good faculty. The school has already turned out nine graduates. The attendance in this school last year was about 100 preachers from all parts of North Carolina. The next session of school will open next October. We recommend most heartily this school to any preacher who wants better training for the work of the ministry.

Respectfully Submitted,

W. H. Davis, Assistant Historian

24. A. V. Reese read to the body the obituary report which was adopted after the congregational singing of hymn, "Asleep in Jesus".

OUR BELOVED DEAD

BALFOUR
Mr. J. W. Erwin
Mr. G. R. Flowers
BARKER HEIGHTS
Mr. Jamers Heaton
BEAR WALLOW
Mrs. Ida Maxwell
Mrs. Flora Oates Merrell
BEREA
Mr. Leland Camp
BEULAH
BROAD RIVER
CRAB CREEK
CROSS ROADS
Mr. H. B. Davis
Mr. Rufus Coggins
Mr. Boney Russell
Mrs. Rosa Russell
DANA
Mrs. M. L. Pace
EAST FLAT ROCK
Mr. J. C. Corn
Miss Nora Jones
Mr. Mitchell Thompson
Mr. E. W. Ward
EBENEZER
Miss Lula Williams
Mr. G. P. Maxwell
ETOWAH
Mr. Earl Moffitt
FRUITLAND
Mr. John Goforth
HOOPERS CREEK
Mrs. Harriet Wilkie
HENDERSONVILLE FIRST
Mr. J. C. Ayers
Mr. John T. Wilkins
Mr. George W. Justice
Mr. C. W. Orr
Mr. D. H. Lee
Mr. J. L. Cantrell
Mr. Tucker D. James
Mr. G. J. Wile
Miss Louise Bowen
Mrs. Charles Allen
Mr. Wade H. Britt
Mrs. Minnie Story
Mr. Roy H. Young
Mr. G. J. Wile

JONES GAP
Rev. J. T. Jones
LAUREL SPRINGS
MOUNT GILEAD
Mr. W. M. Taylor
MOUNT OLIVET
MT. MORIAH
Mrs. LeRoy Nix
MOUNTAIN HOME
Mrs. Ethel Jackson
Mrs. Hester Williams
Mrs. Bessie McCraw
MOUNTAIN PAGE
Mr. G. B. Davis
Mr. Lum Pace
Mr. Joe E. Peace
MOUNTAIN VALLEY
Mrs. E. E. Honeycutt
MOUNT ZION
MUD CREEK
Mr. W. Clarence Bell
Mrs. J. J. Brian
Mr. Ray Hollingsworth
PLEASANT GROVE
Mr. James Hamilton
REFUGE
Mrs. A. C. Roberts
Mrs. Anthret E. Pace
SALUDA
Mrs. Ella Guice
SHAWS CREEK
Mrs. V. P. Adair
Mrs. J. V. Voncannon
Mrs. C. N. Laughter
Mr. O. A. Anders

TRYON
Mrs. J. L. Williams
Miss Daisy McFee

VALLEY HILL
Mr. V. Frank Mintz

WEST HENDERSONVILLE
Mr. J. W. Brown

ZION HILL
Mr. Henry Lindsey
Mrs. Salley Anders
Mr. John Lindsey

25. The report on Laymen's work was ommitted. Miss Della Garren presented an interesting report on Christian Education which was spoken to by Dr. Claude Gaddy, Sec'y of the Council on Christian Education. The assembly was adjourned until the evening session with the singing of "Amazing Grace".

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Christian education may include any type of learning that helps one to live an abundant life. Any means, methods, or instructions which increase that learning may be classed as part of the Christian educational system.

In Deuteronomy 6;7 we read "And thou shalt teach them diligently to thy children", referring to the commandments of the Lord. The best place for Christian education to begin is in the home, when the child is young and at his most impressive age. Perhaps Timothy's greatest teachers were Lois and Eunice. Dr. Oscar Johnson said he got his theology from his father and mother, not in college. The Southern Baptist Convention made an important step toward Christian education in setting a goal to establish 1,000,000 family altars over our Southland this year.

The next courses in Christian education are given in S. S.'s, B. T. U.'s, Sunbeams, R. A.'s, G. A.'s, etc., where our chaildren are taught the Bible and different phases of Baptist work. All of these institutions give basic training for leaders in our churches and for those who make up the student bodies of our Christian Colleges. Literature used in this training include the Bible, Ambassador Life, World Comrades, Home Life, Biblical Recorder, and other publications for Southern Baptists.

From these Christian homes and church organizations come inspirations and ideals which go with the young men and young women as they enter the colleges and seminaries provided by Baptists of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

For the following facts in regard to our schools, I am indebted to Executive-Secretary Claude F. Gaddy, The Biblical Recorder, and Charles D. Johnson.

From the Cooperative Program funds, the six Baptist Colleges in N. C. received during 1948 a total of $358,221 for operating purposes. Reports from each of these colleges indicate that this money was well spent.

At Wake Forest all previous enrollment records were broken last year, when the number of students reached 2561. We find an even greater persentage of increase in the number of graduates, the total for the year from both the college and the Bowman Gray school of medicine being 513. There were enrolled more than 160 students for the Ministry, 16 planning to be missionaries, and 8 others preparing for work in Medical Missions.

Wake Forest stands out not only in enrollment but in scholastic achievement and many other ways.

Meredith College for our girls is going forward with a program for increasing her capacity for service. A new building is now under construction at an estimated cost of $500,000. This will make it possible to do much greater work, especially in the music department.

Last year Mars Hill enrolled 1000 students representing 87 counties of N. C., 20 states, Hawaii, and 5 foreign Countries. This college is noted for its thorough scholarship and high moral standards. It provides opportunities for work in all departments necessary for the development of its students.

Campbell College has a plant worth a million dollars and is a fully accredited Junior College. This year there were 150 graduates out of a student body of 564.

From Chowan College in the eastern part of N. C. went 95 graduates with high ideals for their tasks in life. In the Piedmont section Wingate Junior College enrolled 350 fine young men and women ,and Gardner-Webb near Shelby had 425. Where can young

people find more consecrated instructors and greater advantages for learning to live abundantly than in these Baptist Colleges in our own state?

Chairman Johnson of the Education commission of the Southern Baptist Convention reports that Southern Baptists have an investmen of $115,131,099.45 in three Seminaries, 29 Universities and Senior colleges, 23 Junior Colleges, 8 Academies, and a Missionary Training School. Enrolled in these institutions were 6571 Ministerial Students and 2197 Volunteers for special religious work.

Substantial improvement in building has been made and endowment has been increased. But there is need of still greater endowment in order that at least one or two Baptist Universities may be able to offer courses in the Major Departments leading to the Ph. D. degree. Then vacancies occurring in our Colleges and Universities could be filled without having to rely upon state Universities for our most highly educated faculty members. Baptist Colleges and Universities need greater support in order that they may continue to expand their services into every walk of life. In business, in government, in our public schools, and in our Churches, there is a crying need for well trained Christian leaders.

May we give our hearty support,—in money, in service, and in prayer to all our institutions that they may continue to push forward the cause of Christian Education.

Respectfully Submitted,
Della Garren

EVENING SESSION

26. The evening session was opened at 7:30 with a welcome, extended by F. E. Edney, director of the Valley Hill Training Union.

27. E. V. Plemmons led the congregation in quoting I Cor. 13 as the devotional period, with Dan Pace leading in prayer.

28. Junius Huggins, Associational Training Union chorister, led a song service, with several youth groups participating. Special messages in song were delivered, and brief testimonies from different young people were given.

29. The Training Union report was read by Miss Betty Smith, and following its adoption, O. J. Smith, Training Union director, spoke briefly.

CAROLINA ASSOCIATION TRAINING UNION REPORT

The Carolina Association has taken a leading part in a number of its works and the Training Union is one of its progressive departments. The pulse of interest in the Training Union is quickning and during the past year we have had several new organizations. It is fitting that appreciation be expressed to Rev. E. V. Plemmons our missionary and many other workers including some from the State Training Union Board who have given of their time in the interest of the Training Union work.

One of the best increases in the Training Union work has been study courses and study course awards. There has been a study course in practically every church with a Training Union. There is a great field of challenge for every Training Union in the coming year, both in its own local church and as a misison project to find a church without a Training Union and through prayerful interest help organize one. We challenge each Training Union in this Association to find a church without a Training Union and help organize one.

One of the highlights of our associational year was the great number attending the regional convention and those participating in the tournaments. The representatives from our Junior Departments and the Hymn Festival also represented us at the state meeting at Fruitland.

During the year there were three Associational meetings and three group meetings.

Respectfully submitted,
O. J. Smith, Director

30. G. W. Bullard, Secretary of Associational Missions in the state, brought the message of the evening and the closing message of the association. He used as his subject, "A World To Wallop", stressing, (1) that prayer is essential; (2) the necessity of exercising faith in God and man, and (3) that we must love.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT FOR AUGUST, 1948 THROUGH JULY, 1949 — MONTHLY ACTIVITIES AS FOLLOWS:

August—Associational Meeting at Valley Hill, "Theme, Better Teaching."

September—Officer's Planning Meeting.

October—Associational Meeting at Balfour, "Introducing the Sunday School Program for 1949." Completion of plans and organization of Team Workers. Clinic held at First Baptist Church in Hendersonville for Team Workers.

November—22 Teams consisting of 72 members took the Sunday School Program into every church of the Association except two. Officer's Planning Meeting.

December—Compiling information from Team Work. Contacting churches and making plans for and enlisting churches and workers for the week of study to be held during January.

January—19 Churches participated in the week of Study, using the book, Studies in John.

February—Associational Officer's Planning Meeting. Review of results from the week of Study during January.

March—Associational-wide Meeting held at Calvary Baptist Church. The program majored on Vacation Bible Schools.

April—Officer's Planning Meeting for Vacation Bible Schools and the Enlargement Campaign.

May—Associational Meeting at West Hendersonville Church, using State Worker, Rev. D. P. Brooks, to pave the way for the Enlargement Campaign.

June—Officer's Planning Meeting. Enlargement Campaign—20 churches participating, using 24 State Workers. There was an Enrolment of 2,873 in the Enlargement Campaign.

July—Promoting Vacation Bible Schools.

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22 Churches had Study Courses during the year.

Approximately 30 Vacation Bible Schools were held.

311 Letters and cards were written to officers, superintendents, and pastors.

650 Programs printed.

628 Letters and forms printed for other phases of associational work.

Total Sunday Schools: 57

New Sunday Schools: 1

Enrollment, Approx.: 7778

Average Attendance, Approx.: .....

Respectfully submitted,
Roy Huggins,
Associational Sunday School Euperintendent

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION held with

The Dana Baptist Church, April 28, 1949

The annual meeting of the W. M. U. of the Carolina Association was held in the Dana Baptist Church on April 28, 1949, beginning at 10:00 A. M. The session was opened with the hymn for the year, "O For A Thousand Tongues To Sing", and the watchword, "Laborers Together With God" was repeated.

A very beautfiul period of devotions was conducted by Rev. E. V. Plemmons on the subject, "For God so Loved the World". He emphasized the fact that the way of love is a difficult way. It is a highway, a patient way, a sacrificial way, a way to victory and triumph. Prayer was led by Rev. N. B. Phillips and special music was rendered by Miss Howell of Hendersonville, First.

Among those attending were three pastors; Rev. Plemmons; Mrs. Roberson, Divisional Young People's Leader; Mrs. Crenshaw, Divisional Community Missions Chairman; Miss Laura Frances Snow, State field worker; and Miss Sarah Diaz, missionary from Ybor City in Tampa, Fla., who gave an informative message.

The topic for the day was "Making Jesus Known in Our Association". This topic was discussed in the light of Community Missions by Mrs. D. B. Hart, "Making Him Known In His Mighty Works Today." Mrs. J. C. Canipe, Literature Chairman, presented an interesting demonstration, comparing Baptist literature to an umbrella. Mrs. C. E. Scarborough, Stewardship Chairman discussed "Making Him Known through 'Every Baptist A Tither'."

After congregational singing of the hymn, "O Zion Haste" Miss Laura Frances Snow brought an inspirational message on "The Urgency of Making Him Known in our State".. A plea for food for overseas was made.

An excellent lunch was served by the ladies of the Dana Church.

The afternoon devotional period was conducted by Mrs. T. G. Proctor.

Mr. M. L. Walker and Miss Blackwall discussed the work of the Y. W. A. Miss Snow spoke about our Training School, and Mrs. O. J. Smith spoke briefly of the Margaret Fund.

The following committees reported:

Time: Mrs. L. G. Proctor, Miss Myrtle Bennett, and Mrs. Clara Pace.

No decision was reached concerning the time.

Resolutions were read by Mrs. W. C. Powell; obituary report by Miss Myrtle Bennett.

The report of the nominating committee was read and adopted.

The closing address was given by Rev. D. H. Daniels of Hendersonville, First Church.

The next meeting will be held with the First Baptist Church of East Flat Rock.

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Supt.

Mrs. O. J. Smith, Sec'y.

PROCEEDINGS

— OF THE —

QUARTERLY MEETING

— OF THE —

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

— HELD WITH THE —

Fletcher Baptist Church, August 29, 1948

The quarterly meeting of the Association convened at the Fletcher Baptist Church at 2:30 P. M. Aug. 29, 1948. Fred Poplin led the congregation in singing, "Take Time To Be Holy" and "Blessed Assurance". A short devotion was conducted by John Middleton who read Psalm 25. H. M. Hocutt led the opening prayer.

After the roll call of churches and recognition of visitors, a business session was held in which (1) Roy Huggins recommended the election of Assoc. Sunday School officers for the coming year. A motion was made and passed that they be elected; (2) Report of finance committee was made by John Sinclair; (3) The body voted to hold next meeting with the Cedar Springs Church; (4) An offering was taken.

E. V. Plemmons, Associational Missionary, made his annual report. Special music was given by the East Henedrsonville Quartet, Mrs. John Sinclair at the piano.

An oral temperance report was given by George Pennell, after which H. M. Hocutt, Assoc. Missionary of the Buncombe Association, spoke, using the subject, "The Evils of Liquor".

A motion was made that a full report of the meeting be given to the local press; the motion passed.

Fred Poplin led the congregation in singing "Savior Like A Shepherd", and N. B. Phillips led the closing prayer.

PROCEEDINGS
— OF THE —
QUARTERLY MEETING
— OF THE —
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
— HELD WITH THE —
Cedar Springs Baptist Church, October 31, 1949

The second quarterly meeting of the Carolina Association was held with the Cedar Springs Baptist Church. The meeting was opened with the congregational singing of the hymns "Stand Up For Jesus" and "Rescue the Perishing", led by Fred Poplin, pastor of the Fletcher and Naples Baptist Churches. Scripture was read and prayer was offered by Z. V. Brokshire, the host pastor.

After the roll call of churches a short business session was held in which (1) John Sinclair made a report of finances and presented a plan for supporting association work. (2) A motion was made that the salary of the Associational Missionary be increased from $2400 to $3000 per year. The motion passed. (3) The report of Sunday Schools was given by Roy Huggins, Associational Supt., Training Union by O. J. Smith, Associational Director; and Woman's Missionary Work by Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Associational Supt. (4) The body voted to hold the next meeting with the Mt. Gilead Church.

Plans were made for collecting produce for the Baptist orphanage at Thomasville. Every church was urged to bring their collection of produce to Huggins Battery and Electric Company on South Main Street in Hendersonville where a truck from the orphanage would pick it up.

A sextette from the Fletcher Church brought a very inspiring message in song.

A helpful, inspiring, and informative message on our Baptist Orphanage was delivered by N. B. Phillips ,pastor of the First Baptist Church of East Flat Rock.

The body was adjourned with prayer.

PROCEEDINGS
— OF THE —
QUARTERLY MEETING
— OF THE —
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
— HELD WITH THE —
Mt. Gilead Baptist Church, Jan. 30, 1949

The quarterly meeting of the Carolina Association was held with the Mt. Gilead Church at 2:30 P. M., Jan. 30, 1949. The meeting began with the congregational singing of "Revive Us Again" Fred Poplin leading. The devotional period was conducted by Wade Sinclair, host pastor.

After a roll call of churches a business session was held in which (1) M. K. Sinclair, Assoc. Treasurer, and John Sinclair, Chairman of finance committee, made financial reports; (2) Roy Huggins made a report on Sunday School work and O. J. Smith reported Baptist Training Union activities in the Association; (3) The motion was made and passed that we have a Sunday School Enlargement Campaign in June; and (4) that the Association go on record as favoring a state wide referendum and a report of this action be forwarded to R. L. Whitmore and W. B. Hodges.

Charles B. Vause, pastor of the Bat Cave Baptist Church made the following report on the work of the Baptist Hospital:

HOSPITAL REPORT

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION—1948-1949

Take your Bible, read the Gospels of Matthew, Mark and Luke and mark the passages which deal with Jesus' ministry to the physical needs of mankind. You will find that more than half of the words, or space, is devoted to Jesus healing the sick, feeding the multitudes, and meeting the physical needs of mankind in other ways.

North Carolina Baptists were very slow to recognize this element in the Christian Gospel. The North Carolina Baptist State Convention had been organized and holding annual conventions for more than a hundred years before we started the Baptist Hospital. But at long last we started by establishing a hospital at Winston-Salem twenty-five years ago.

At the time the Baptist Hospital was established there was no place in North Carolina where a person could study to become a docotr, receive his M. D. degree and be prepared to render medical service to the people of the State. Now we have such a place in connection with the Baptist Hospital. But there is still no place where a person can study to become a dentist, and care for the teeth of the people within our State. We are greatly neglecting this phase of the physical care program.

Our hospital has grown from one of 112 beds to one of more than 300 beds, and yet the need is not supplied .The clinic, operated within the hospital for treatment of patients that do not need hospializing, and for diagnosing cases that should be admitted to the hospital has grown greatly. Many times the number of patients which were thus treated in the early years of the hospital receiev help now within a single year.

When we first established our hospital and had the charter issued by the State, the charter was made out in the plural—NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITALS. We still have only one hospital!

Many people, many Baptists, are so far removed from our hospital that it is difficult for them to go there for treatment. Only in a case of life or death or the utmost necessity is the hospital used by many people of the State. There is great need of enlarging our area of service by building another hospital in the eastern part of the state, and one in the western section of North Carolina. Such hospitals could and should be maintained by North Carolina Baptists.

More than half the people of North Carolina who are church members are Baptists, while a small percent of them are Catholics, but the Catholics maintain more hospitals in North Carolina than do the Baptists! We have made much progress in meriting the good word of Jesus: "In as much as you have done it unto the least of these, ye have done it unto me." But we must quicken our pace, increase our efforts ,and widen our field of service in this much-needed field.

Charles B. Vause

Dr. W. G. McGee, director of religious activities at the Baptist Hospital at Winston-Salem, brought a very helpful and inspiring message on the three phases of the work being done there, Namely (1) in patient, (2) out-patient and (3) religion.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer.

PROCEEDINGS
— OF THE —
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— OF THE —
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
— HELD WITH THE —
West Hendersonville Baptist Church, May 29, 1949

The Carolina Baptist Association met in quarterly session with the West Hendersonville Baptist Church with twenty churches represented.

After Fred Poplin led the congregation in singing "Alas and Did My Saviour Bleed" and "Praise Him, Praise Him" W. R. Hester led a short devotional period, using as his Scripture, 2 Chron. 7:14.

In the business session A. J. Neilson was appointed to give the annual report on state missions, A. V. Reese was appointed to make the obituary report, and Virgil Jones was appointed on the association missions committee, succeeding J. N. Shuford who was called to another field of service.

Special music was furnished by the combined choirs of the Naples and Fletcher Churches—a special arrangement of "The Lily of the Valley".

E. V. Plemmons, Associational missionary, made a report of the activities since Jan. 1st and presented plans for the summer. He stressed the need of a Vacation Bible School in evrey church and the coming Sunday School enlargement campaign in June.

D. H. Daniels brought a very inspiring message on winning the lost to Christ, using I Cor. 2:2 as his text. He stated that the message we have to proclaim is (1) the same message it has always been, (2) for every one, (3) adaptable to our own age, (4) a simple message, (5) an effective message.

D. P. Brooks, associate secretary of Sunday Schools in N. C., brought the closing message, outlining the advantages of a Sunday School enlargement campaign.

C. E. Scarborough brought a report of the meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention, which met in Oklahoma City.

Fred Poplin led a closing hymn, after which the meeting was adjourned with prayer.

PROCEEDINGS
— OF THE —
QUARTERLY MEETING
— OF THE —
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
— HELD WITH THE —
Hooper's Creek Baptist Church, July 31, 1949

The meeting began with Fred Poplin, associational chorister, leading the congregation in singing "'Tis So Sweet To Trust in Jesus". The Naples youth choir rendered a special number, "Near To The Heart of God". Odell Barnwell the host pastor, read the Scripture and led in prayer.

After the roll call of churches the following business session was conducted: (1) M. L. Walker, C. E. Scarborough and Mrs. M. K. Sinclair were appointed by the chair to secure a committee on committees to report at the annual meeting. (2) M. K. Sinclair gave the treasurer's report, and (3) E. V. Plemmons gave a report of associational activities.

Special music was furnished by Junius Huggins and Mrs. E. V. Plemmons of the Fruitland church, who sang, "Thy Will Be Done" and "He Will Never Forget To Keep Thee".

M. L. Walker presented the following report on periodicals:

REPORT ON PERIODICALS

When we think of Christian literature, I am sure that all of us think of the Bible first. The Bible is a complete library within itself consisting of 66 books. We believe it to be God's inspired word for our faith and practice; certainly each of us should read and study it daily and this would cause us to be better Christians. It has been said that the Bible will keep us from sin or that sin will keep us from the Bible.

What we read becomes a very part of us and our convictions depend to a great extent upon our information. Therefore, we commend especially in the field of our Baptist literature, our two State papers, our "Biblical Recorder" and "Charity and Children". The Recorder is the journal of our Baptist State Convention and now has about 43,000 subscribers, with L. L. Carpenter as editor and business manager. We think the paper is better now than it has ever been before. There are 3 subscription plans for the Recorder which are $2.50 a year for individual subscriptions, $2.00 a year in clubs and $1.50 a year for the Every-family plan.

We are sorry to say that only 13 churches in our Association subscribe through the Club plan. These total only about 275 subscriptions. If there are 2500 Baptist families in our Association, then not over 10% are getting the Recorder. We wish it could go into every Baptist home in the Association.

"Charity and Children" is published every week at the Orphanage and Miss Louise McMillan, who succeeded her late father as editor, is giving us a fine paper.

We commend all of the publications gotten out by our Sunday School Board who publish our Sunday School and Training Union literature. We would also urge our people to read the "Commission", a world mission journal published by our Foreign Mission Board and "Southern Baptist Home Missions" published by our Home Mission Board. Also, we commend the literature we publish which our women use, such as "Royal Service", and others.

These publications will help to inform and enlist our people, will furnish good literature in place of so much bad that is to be had today, and at the same time give us wholesome family reading.

We need not apologize for the literature gotten out by our denomination but the great need is for more of us to use it.

Sincerely,

M. L. Walker

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair gave the following report on the work of the woman's Missionary Union:

REPORT OF WOMANS MISSIONARY UNION OF CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1949

The Womans Missionary Union, within the bounds of the Southern Baptist Convention territory, has grown from a small band of praying women to a world-wide organization. There is a reason for this unusual growth. It is founded on the missionary message of the Bible—seeking obedience to His great commission, "Go ye". We have not been and are not content to stand like a sign board pointing the way, but with personal touch and individual guidance, through community missions, winning lost souls, ministering to the sick and needy, accepting our stewardship of time and money.

Our noble women of the past, and those of the present, whose lives have counted and are being used to honor our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, have been careful to declare ourselves on the side of all the forces of righteousness.

In our Carolina Association, composed of 56 churches, our work has grown slowly but we are grateful and happy to see improvement and a growing interest. Some have and are doing outstanding mission work. Much interest is shown in our special season of prayer. This is expressed in showing a splendid increase, in our special gifts of $2,732.05, or a total of $7,990.04 for the past year. This gives us, where we have an organization, an opportunity to have part in promoting the cause of Christ to the uttermost parts of he earth.

One of the great needs of our Association is, for all of the women in every church to become deeply concerned about the cause of missions—thus making it possible to make Him known to a greater number of people on the various mission fields. Those of us who do not have an organization sponsor every phase of the Southern Baptist Program.

During the year many special gifts have gone to our hospitals, orphanages, and to far away needy neighbors who live across the seas. A spirit of love exists here that cannot be found anywhere else. Were we to cease the cause of missions would suffer, at home and abroad.

We can go forward when we have the co-operation of our pastors and church leaders. May we urge you to pray more for the Holy Spirit to be allowed to work among us. He can and will help us to study missions and to practice missions in our every day life. May our prayer be: Dear Lord open our eyes to see the need, our ears to hear the call, our hearts to unedrstand and to become willing for Thee to speed us along—tellingly—in the cause of missions, which is the supreme cause of Christ's coming into the world.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair

The closing message was delivered by H. H. McMillan, missionary to China for 34 years. He described the good and unfavorable years of mission work in China. He said the spread of Communism in China at the present time makes the outlook dark, but his faith in God is firm, and he expects to return to the field of service soon.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer after the congregational singing of "Jesus Paid It All".

HISTORICAL TABLE
Carolina Baptist Association

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith			
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshu Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshu Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text Gen. 35:34
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Saluda	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Fruitland	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Beulah	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Conner	J. T. Freeman	Hoopers Creek	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Riverside	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Fruitland	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Mt. Gilead	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	E. H'ville	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	F. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthorne	Salem	K. W. Cawthorne
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mt. Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	E. Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargent	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	E. Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Mrs. J. L. Redden	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Chas. Vause	H'ville 1st	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Fletcher and E. Flat Rock	W. W. Worley Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek and Refuge	O. M. Seigler B. G. Henry
1945	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Horse Shoe and Balfour	J. N. Shuford L. A. Erwin
1946	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostock	Oak Grove	Wayne Peek
1947	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Mud Creek	Fred Poplin
1948	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	H'ville 1st	Ralph Banning
1949	F. M. Huggisn	E. V. Plemmons	Valley Hill	C. E. Scarborough

STATISTICAL

TABLES

TABLE 1. CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location OC-V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS		LOSSES	TOTAL			Special Information			
					Baptisms	Letters and Other Additions	Losses by Death, Transfer, etc.	Total Resident Members	Total Non-resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Revival Meetings Held	Number Tithers	State Paper in Budget	Church Library
Balfour	V	1908	All	W. C. Huntley, Balfour, N. C.	28	8	13			401	2		No	No
Barker Heights	V	1944	All	C. E. Haynes, R. 5, Hendersonville, N. C.	4	18	8			130	2		No	No
Barnwell	OC	1264	1,2,3,4	Vergil D. Jones, Balfour, N. C.		3		15		15	1	2	No	No
Bat Cave	V	1892	2,4	Chas. Vause, Rutherfordton, N. C.	2	1	1	71	50	121			No	No
Bear Wallow	OC	1868	1,3	Ralph Nix, Edneyville, N. C.	3	2	4	55	18	73	1	6	No	No
Berea	OC	1921	2,4	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville, N. C.			1				1			
Beulah	OC	1820	1,3	J. E. Blythe, Hendersonville, N. C.	17	12	14	200	25	225	1		No	No
Broad River	OC	1866	1,3	Grady Putman, Mooresboro, N. C.				44		44	1		No	No
Calvary	C		All	E. W. Nester, 530 King St., H'ville, N. C.	7	2				300			No	No
Cedar Springs	OC	1887	1,3	J. W. Jackson, R. 1, Horse Shoe, N. C.							1		No	No
Crab Creek				John Middleton, Fletcher, N. C.										
Cross Roads	OC	1912		Z. V. Brookshire, Hendersonville, N. C.		13	9			122	1		No	No
Dana	OC	1936	All	Roy D. Campbell, Rt. 1, H'ville, N. C.	1	4	20	76	33	109		18	No	No
Double Springs	OC	1871	1,3	Z. V. Brookshire, Hendersonville, N. C.				60	53	113	1		No	No
East Flat Rock	T	1911	1,2,3,4,5	N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock, N. C.	17	16	15	167	83	260	1	35	No	Yes
Ebenezer	OC	1817	All	H. K. Holbert, Flat Rock, N. C.	38	10	8			365	2		No	No
Etowah	OC	1926	1,2,3,4,5	Wade Sinclair, Arden, N. C.		4	3	136	60	196			No	No
Fletcher	V	1838	1,2,3,4	Fred R. Poplin, Fletcher, N. C.	5	11	3	216	53	269	2		No	No
French Broad	OC	1789	All	B. G. Henry, Hendersonville, N. C.		6		39	12	57			Yes	No
Friendship														
Fruitland	OC	1875	2,4	N. A. Melton, Rt. 2, Hendersonville, N. C.	8		3	180		180	1	30	No	No
Green River	OC	1846	1,2,3,4,5	W. R. Hester, Hendersonville, N. C.	23	4				119	1		No	No
Hendersonville, First	C	1844	1,2,3,4	D. H. Daniels, Hendersonville, N. C.	38	54	63	1187	427	1614		298	No	Yes

Holly Springs	OC	1860	All	E. A. Kilstrom, Penrose, N. C.	19	11				124	2		No	No
Hooper's Creek	OC	1776	1,2,3,4	Odell Barnwell, Fletcher, N. C.	42	14	86	263		263	2	7	No	No
Horse Shoe	OC	1888	1,2,3,4		4	6	4			180	1		No	No
Jones Gap	OC	1892	2,4	J. W. Jackson, R. 1, Horse Shoe, N. C.	7	10	6	79	30	109	1		No	No
Laurel Springs														
Liberty	OC	1911	1,2,3,4,5	John Middleton, Fletcher, N. C.						39	2		No	No
Locust Grove	OC	1898	1,3	Carl Taylor, Hendersonville, N. C.	10	3				99	1		No	No
Macedonia														
Middle Fork	OC	1886	1,2,3,4,5	Roscoe Huntley, Bear Wallow, N. C.	9	8				105	1		No	No
Mills River	OC	1835	2,4			2	7	73	50	123	1	3	No	Yes
Mt. Gilead	OC	1883	All	W. F. Sinclair, Arden, N. C.	7	5	9			206	1		No	No
Mountain Home	OC	1892	1,2,3,4	Ralph Nix, Edneyville, N. C.	6		6			249	1		No	No
Mount Moriah	OC	1896	1,2,3,4,5		26	7	8	90	160	250	1	10	No	No
Mount Olivet														
Mountain Page	OC	1789	1,3	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville, N. C.	11	5	5			265	2		No	No
Mountain Valley	OC	1915	1,2	H. H. Mace, R. 3, Hendersonville, N. C.			3			75			No	No
Mountain View	OC	1949	2,3,4	Cecil Worsham, Fletcher, N. C.		12		12		12		4	No	No
Mount Zion														
Mud Creek	OC	1804	All	Jim Anderson, Etowah, N. C.	20	3	18	270	172	412	1	28	No	Yes
Naples	V	1942	1,2,3,4,5	Fred Poplin, Fletcher, N. C.		8		65	45	110	1		No	No
Oak Grove	OC	1875	1,2,3	Ed Summey, Rosman, N. C.	4	6	1	199		199	1	2	No	No
Pacolet	V	1916		Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe, N. C.	21	7	7	181		181	2		No	No
Pleasant Grove	OC	1859	1,2,4	Albert Laughter, R. 3, Hendersonville, N. C.	7	6	1	40	139	179	1		No	No
Pleasant Hill	OC	1880	1,2,3,4	John Middleton, Fletcher, N. C.	7	2	1	50	66	116	1	1	No	No
Refuge	OC	1837	All	George Roberts, Rt. 1, Hendersonville, N. C.	22	16	4			379	1	43	No	No
Saluda	T	1882	All	F. M. Huggins, Saluda, N. C.	5	2	8	129	40	169	1	18	No	No
Shaw's Creek	OC	1881	1,2,3,4	T. G. Proctor, R. 4, Hendersonville, N. C.	8	8	14	150	12	162	1	20	No	Yes
Tryon, First	C	1891	All	C. E. Scarborough, Tryon, N. C.	5	21	15	286	24	310		30	Yes	No
Tryon, Second	V	1924	All	Wayne Thompson, Greenville, S. C.	19	7	2	47	34	81	2	12	No	No
Tuxedo	V	1910	All	Wayne Peek, Tuxedo, N. C.	52	12	12	410		410	1	25	No	Yes
Valley Hill	V	1908	1,2,3,4	Jyles Hall, Rt. 3, Hendersonville, N. C.	48	20	10	209	122	331	1		No	No
Warrior Mountain	OC	1933	1,2,3,4	M. R. Early, Saluda, N. C.	5	4	1	30	20	50	2			
West Hendersonville	C	1934	All	W. R. Hester, Hendersonville, N. C.	44	9	8			296	2	37	No	No
Zion Hill	OC		1,2,3,4	J. H. Stanbury, Hendersonville, N. C.		21	11	111	43	154	2		No	No
Totals					599	403	412	5140	1771	10374	54	629		

TABLE 2. THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL SUPERINTENDENT Roy Huggins Hendersonville SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT												V. B. S.	
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes and Departments	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance
Balfour	Jimmy Riddlehoover, Balfour, N. C.			26	35	38	76	39	142		4	360	169	162	118
Barker Heights	Quay Nelson, R. 5, Hendersonville, N. C.				35	25	16	35	27			138	85	95	70
Barnwell	Virgil D. Jones, Balfour, N. C.		1	3	3	6	4	4	18			43	35	30	24½
Bat Cave	Thomas Oates, Bear Wallow, N. C.			12	12	8	14		40			86	55	30	25
Bear Wallow	Hal Oates, Gerton, N. C.				10	5		15	19			49	23	29	20
Berea	Joseph Moore, R. 3, Hendersonville, N. C.														
Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, R. 3, Hendersonville, N. C.			16	10	22	17	24	94			183	90		
Broad River															
Calvary	Maynard Hoots, Stepp St., Hendersonville, N. C.		20	15	35	30	20	20	100			240			
Cedar Springs	Louis Levi, R. 1, Zirconia, N. C.											60			
Crab Creek															
Cross Roads	C. L. Osteen, Zirconia, N. C.			10		5		22	24		7	68	45		
Dana	X. Ray, Flat Rock, N. C.			7	3	6	6	8			3	62	35		
Double Springs	D. E. Hudson, Zirconia, N. C.					2	4		24			30			
East Flat Rock	M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock, N. C.	9	20	31	44	46	51	120	70	20		411	221	90	66
Ebenezer	Harrel McKinnish, Hendersonville, N. C.			23	38	20	43		57			221	185		
Etowah	Chas. W. Sumner, Etowah, N. C.	8		23	20	15	20	30	50			166	88	91	76
Fletcher	Howard Garren, Fletcher, N. C.		9	14	33	26	26	9	80		3	200	110	78	52
French Broad	R. M. Henson, Hendersonville, N. C.		5	4	12	4	8	3	20		5	61			
Friendship	Willis Johnson, Saluda, N. C.														
Fruitland	Howard Pryor, Rt. 2, Hendersonville, N. C.			15	19	11	25	12	74	8		156	87	92	77
Green River	Glenn Pace, Flat Rock, N. C.	5		13		9	17		54			98	60		
Hendersonville, First	C. F. Jervis, 317 Ehringhaus, Hendersonville, N. C.	90	44	45	80	87	135	107	365	115	6	1074	455	206	160

Holly Springs	Odell McKinney, Penrose, N. C.	5	4	8		15	5		25		5	67	48		
Hoopers Creek	J. K. Williams, Fletcher, N. C.			46		50	39	54	75			264	170		
Horse Shoe	Vick Williams, R. 5, Hendersonville, N. C.	28		33			28	55	24		6	174	88	72	62
Jones Gap	J. M. Hubbard, R. 4, Hendersonville, N. C.				6	4	13	8	15		5	51	28		
Laurel Springs															
Liberty															
Locust Grove	Robert McMinn, Hendersonville, N. C.			25		30		30	30			90			
Macedonia															
Middle Fork	Edward Huntley, Bear Wallow, N. C.			8		10		8	26			52	35		
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe, N. C.			10	8	10	12	12	30			82	37		
Mt. Gilead	H. H. McLaughlin, Arden, N. C.			11	12	30	22	24	45			144	75	81	71
Mountain Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville, N. C.			25	21	21	31	28	26		2	154	85	65	55
Mount Moriah	Clannie Laughter, Edneyville, N. C.			12	25	22	15	20	50		3	147	100	64	56
Mount Olivet															
Mountain Page	Ed Hill, Saluda, N. C.			35	15	15	15	40	15			135	79	60	48
Mountain Valley	Grant Mayhin, Zirconia, N. C.			17		6		18	14		3	55	40		
Mountain View	Colombus Peace, Rt. 1, Hendersonville, N. C.		10	12		10	12		32			76	40		
Mount Zion															
Mud Creek	Arthur Freeman, Hendersonville, N. C.	15	20	25	50	32	36	31	88	16	5	318	159	107	90
Naples	V. D. Orr, Mt. Home, N. C.	16		18	20	21	39	37	56	8	3	218	89	75	55
Oak Grove	Lee Crisp, East Flat Rock, N. C.											118	60	37	
Pacolet	Herman Case, Lynn, N. C.			14	15	15	12	10	30			96	95	113	73
Pleasant Grove	M. H. Shuford, Hendersonville, N. C.			10		10	15	16	9			60			
Pleasant Hill	Miss Mary Freeman, R. 3, Hendersonville, N. C.	13		16	9	12	12	8	17		8	82	40	40	
Refuge	W. J. Ballard, Rt. 1, Flat Rock, N. C.		6	31	24	60	50	58	62		4	295	168	92	89
Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda, N. C.			14	7	11	15	5	20	15		87	46.7	140	110
Shaw's Creek	A. J. Nanney, R. 4, Hendersonville, N. C.		9	8	16	24	20	47	45		18	187	79	52	50
Tryon, First	Laxton Hamrick, Tryon, N. C.	8	30	24	30	30	30	15	82	9	3	261	146	160	133
Tryon, Second	Harley Burrell, Tryon, N. C.			21	14	29	13	19	29			125			
Tuxedo	Ernest Huggins, Tuxedo, N. C.	26		16	10	27	34	41	83	8	3	248	142		
Valley Hill	M. J. Banning, R. 3, Hendersonville, N. C.			28	36	35	53	75	45			272	165	96	
Warrior Mountain	F. D. Hipps, Saluda, N. C.			6	8	7	4	9	10			44			
West Hendersonville	John Rollins, Hendersonville, N. C.	20	20	12	21	20	12	39	45		2	191	125	85	60
Zion Hill	Roy Burrell, Zirconia, N. C.							30	4			70			
Totals		247	198	742	736	975	1019	1185	2229	199	97	7868	3883	2248	1640

TABLE 3. TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR O. J. Smith R. 4, Hendersonville, N. C. TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Number of Story Hours	Number of Junior Unions	Number of Intermediate Unions	Number of Young Peoples Unions	Number of Adult Unions	Grand Total Unions	Story Hour Enrolled	Junior Enrolled	Intermediate Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Adult Enrolled	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance	Youth Week	Christian Home Week
Balfour	Edna Corn, Balfour, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	4	12	16	5	15	4	55	40	No	No
Beulah	J. P. Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.		1		1	1	3		15		30	25		70	50	No	No
Calvary	Ethel MacMurray, Hendersonville, N. C.		1	1		2	4		10	20		25	20	55	40	No	No
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Flat Rock, N. C.		1		1	1	3		3		8	14	3	28	20	No	No
East Flat Rock	E. L. Porter, East Flat Rock, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	7	8	17	16	12	9	69	45	No	No
Etowah	Miss Jean Fletcher, Etowah, N. C.		1	1	1	1			13	10	12	12		47	40	No	No
Fletcher	Mrs. Marie Baldwin, Fletcher, N. C.			1			1			20			2	22	17	Yes	No
Fruitland	Junius Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	6	7	18	13	19	8	71	36	No	No
Hendersonville, First	Miss Audrey Saunders, Hendersonville, N. C.	2	4	4	3	3	16	28	44	76	42	54	6	250	140	Yes	No
Holly Springs	John Greyerson, Hendersonville, N. C.		1	1		1	3		5	4		8	6	25	23	No	No
Mt. Moriah	Foy Hill, Edneyville, N. C.	1	1	1		1	4	19	23	23		12		77	44	No	No
Mountain Home	Loyd Laughter, Edneyville, N. C.	1	1	1		1	4	16	17	19		20	4	76	56	No	No
Mud Creek	Clayton Croom, Rt. 3, Hendersonville, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	18	11	16	17	11	72	45	No	No
Naples	Walter Davis, Naples, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	8	12	14	10	17	6	67	30	No	No
Refuge	Grady Walker, Sr., Hendersonville, N. C.	1	1	2	1	1	6	9	10	17	16	11	3	66	50	Yes	No
Saluda	Clyde Whitlock, Hendersonville, N. C.		1	1		1	3		14	20		18		52	30	No	No
Shaw's Creek	Harvey F. Drake, Hendersonville, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	8	10	14	4	23		59	55	No	No
Tryon, First	Fred Powell, Tryon, N. C.	1	1	1	1		4	4	9	15	12		3	43		Yes	No
Tryon, Second	Mrs. Ruth Bradshaw		1		1		2		40		40			80		No	No
Tuxedo	Mrs. H. L. Lindsey, Tuxedo, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	12	18	15	13	16	2	76	50	No	No
Valley Hill	F. E. Edney, Hendersonville, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5		20	22	20	31		126	45	No	No
Totals		14	23	22	17	21	93	132	308	351	257	351	77	1484	857		

TABLE 4. WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

ASSOCIATIONAL PRESIDENT

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair

East Flat Rock, N. C.

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	W. M. S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	R. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	R. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enroled	Enrolled in Mission Study	Total Tithers All Organizations
Balfour	Mrs. W. C. Huntley, Balfour, N. C.	1		1			2	19		14			33	24	
Calvary	Mrs. J. Brooks, R. 4, Hendersonville	1					1	25					25		25
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Flat Rock, N. C.	1					1	14					14		10
East Flat Rock	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock, N. C.	1	1	2	2	1	7	20	10	36	14	20	100	75	32
Etowah	Mrs. Ralph Nicholson, Etowah, N. C.	1					1	23							
Fruitland	Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, Hendersonville, N. C.	2	1	1	2	2	8	25	6	6	14	20	71	45	20
Hendersonville, First	Mrs. H. M. Russ, 323 Washington St., Hendersonville	1	1		1	1	4	220	16		8	29	273	205	84
Mud Creek	Mrs. Mamie Orr, Henedrsonville	1					1	29					29		
Naples	Mrs. Roy M. Green, Naples	1		1	1		3	20		12	20		52		
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lathe Williams, R. 4, Hendersonville	1					1	9					9		
Refuge	Mrs. Carl Garrett, Flat Rock, N. C.	2	1	2	1	1	7	34	14	58	17	45	168	20	40
Saluda	Mrs. Dan W. Pace, Saluda, N. C.	1		1			2	8		12			20	11	7
Shaws Creek	Mrs. Hubert Orr, Henedrsonville, N. C.	1		1	1	1	4	15		13	17	15	60		
Tryon, First	Mrs. John Moore, Tryon, N. C.	2	1	1	1	1	6	50	5	13	11	10	89	25	
Tuxedo	Mrs. W. J. Lewis, Tuxedo, N. C.	1	1	1	1	1	5	18	14	12	12	12	68	50	10
Totals		18	6	11	10	8	53	529	65	176	113	151	1043	455	228

TABLE 5. CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Funds on Hand Beginning of Year	Total Gifts Recorded all offerings and organizations	Pastor's Salary Paid for Year	Other Salaries	Maintenance Church Property,	New Buildings	Literature Song Books, etc.	Local Mission and Benevolences	Revival Expense and Pastoral Supply	Payment On Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses
Balfour	D. R. Lyda, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	434.85	6747.23	2805.00	240.00	361.42	1161.57	275.51	728.21	354.60		401.46	6927.67
Barker Heights	Miss Dortha Walker, Hendersonville	300.00	1550.82	1910.96	95.00			97.75		210.99	670.00	22.00	3006.40
Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, Hendersonville		379.12	142.06	15.00	14.50		64.29	10.00	50.00		30.00	261.56
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave, N. C.			555.91	26.00			134.75	93.50	95.00			909.16
Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrell, Gerton, N. C.	244.06	1119.46	419.09	71.75	87.52		43.32	26.00	22.00		224.77	894.45
Berea	Mary Beddingfield, R. 3, Hendersonville												
Beulah	J. P. Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.	33.75	1531.45	765.75	72.00	448.31	45.00	134.09	61.75			116.28	1645.16
Broad River	J. C. Ledbetter, Black Mountain, N. C.												
Calvary	R. C. English, Hendersonville, N. C.	720.00	2650.00	2400.00	325.00	100.00		75.00		75.00		250.00	3225.00
Cedar Springs	Sam Capps, Zirconia, N. C.			300.00	48.00	237.00		80.00		50.00			715.00
Crab Creek													
Cross Roads	M. L. Jones, Zirconia, N. C.			286.32		317.75		111 74	66.35	101.71			883.87
Dana	W. T. Willis, Hendersonville, N. C.	608.27	3920.81	1446.01	174.08	700.00		156.32	223.57	79.89		165.30	2945.17
Double Springs	Mrs. Elbert Peace, Zirconia, N. C.			300.00				14.00		40.00		285.00	639.00
East Flat Rock	Hugh D. Morrison, Hendersonville, N. C.			1500.00	119.40	1254.84	11602.00	2486.62	110.00	200.00		75.00	20366.72
Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Hendersonville, N. C.			2889.05		500.00		200.40	620.87	546.50		46.19	4908.97
Etowah	R. N. Sentelle, Etowah, N. C.	66.78	2924.76	661.23	112.00		379.60	160.00	54.24		165.24	502.26	2034.57
Fletcher	Mrs. T. H. Riddle	42.64	3225.78	1250.00	66.00	33.00		105.26	19.00	136.69	839.10	221.58	2670.56
French Broad	Mrs. Tommie Justus, Henedrsonville, N. C.	110.22	3658.98	1200.00		76.95	1313.50	69.14		10.00	574.92	100.00	3344.52
Friendship													
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Rt. 2, Hendersonville		4333.02	1000.00	152.21			205.20	63.70	100.00	1504.00	172.55	3197.66
Green River	Glenn Pace, Flat Rock, N. C.	7.88	2812.86	468.89			2135.47	40.00		437.30			3081.66
Henedrsonville, First	Mr. Francis Drake, Hendersonville	13090.01	53091.83	4854.18	9184.80	4221.69		1077.00	734.20	60.00		10172.63	26082.81

Holly Springs	Mr. Glenn Emerson, Penrose		354.29	124.29		18.84		56.28		212.00			410.41
Hoopers Creek	Mrs. J. K. Williams, Fletcher			1616.26	300.00	565.28		212.19	657.59	576.24		71.50	3799.04
Horse Shoe	Miss Alma Holden, Horse Shoe, N. C.	526.88	6384.36	1185.00	125.00	4092.74		112.25	59.00	268.10	100.00		5942.09
Jones Gap	Mrs. M. S. McCarson, R. 4, Hendersonville			154.18	46.12			61.34			75.00	59.00	395.64
Laurel Springs													
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville			318.89			123.04	20.00		94.00			535.93
Locust Grove				150.00			175.00	85.00		65.00			475.00
Macedonia													
Middle Fork	Mrs. Luther Hill, Bear Wallow, N. C.			412.78				35.00		100.00			447.78
Mills River	Chas. Sitton, Horse Shoe, N. C.	141.34	1338.29	375.00	31.04	31.00	65.00	65.71	40.00	60.00		19.58	687.33
Mt. Gilead	E. L. Lanning, Fletcher, N. C.		2689.49	1855.33		216.91	291.57	38.78	10.00	20.00		127.69	2260.18
Mountain Home				285.77		125.88		144.22		85.57	300.00		941.44
Mount Moriah	Vance Gilbert, Hendersonville	376.64	4320.07	1378.23	84.10			88.00		532.66			2082.89
Mount Olivet													
Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda, N. C.			467.40	25.00	169.80		63.56	289.71	47.31			1062.78
Mountain Valley	Grant Maybin, Zirconia, N. C.	125.00	1800.00	350.00	104.00		1340.00	45.00					1799.00
Mountain View	Mrs. Ben Jones, R. 1, Hendersonville	67.69		19.56		25.00							44.56
Mount Zion													
Mud Creek	Mrs. Lula Kent, R. 3, Hendersonville		6187.76	2874.84		795.14		426.90	154.66	92.87	734.16		5078.40
Naples	Mrs. Boyd Corn, Mt. Home, N. C.	12.37	3261.48	1300.00		202.01	510.77	200.00	220.70	101.00		37.25	2571.73
Oak Grove	Odell Edney, East Flat Rock, N. C.			366.00	30.00							143.00	539.00
Pacolet	W. K. Ross, Lynn, N. C.	851.69		900.00	170.00	80.40		85.64		160.00		804.19	2130.31
Pleasant Grove	Mr. James Dalton, Etowah, N. C.			570.97	98.52			51.87				293.17	984.53
Pleasant Hill	Mr. Porter Sosebee, Hendersonville	200.00		400.00	52.00								452.00
Refuge	Carroll Lamb, Hendersonville	1400.00	9650.45	2240.62	345.00	475.00	3308.17	273.94	530.01	389.16		189.18	7751.09
Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda, N. C.	581.15	4562.39	1532.23	20.00	622.77		157.41	206.87	100.82		402.25	3042.35
Shaws Creek	J. L. Nanney, Sr., Hendersonville	110.55	5744.31	2940.00	225.00	1178.24		295.64	22.44	204.07		593.89	5459.28
Tryon, First	R. E. Brantley, Tryon, N. C.	891.98	9740.48	3600.00	410.00	922.75	2600.00	569.13		60.00		1801.13	7363.02
Tryon, Second													
Tuxedo	H. L. Lindsey, Tuxedo, N. C.		8740.07	2860.00	260.00	2533.73		293.13	104.00	78.00	1333.32		7462.18
Valley Hill	Clinton Smith, R. 4, Hendersonville	374.09		2303.64		264.56	6853.33	325.89	115.00	350.00		412.38	10624.80
Warrior Mountain	Mrs. F. A. Hipps, Saluda			225.00				35.00		53.04		25.00	338.04
West Hendersonville	Frank Kelly, Hendersonville, N. C.			3000.00	120.00			204.00	80.00	100.00	720.00		4224.00
Zion Hill	Mrs. Nora Anders, Zirconia			480.00				54.08		200.70			734.78
Totals		138317.87	152179.56	64236.66	13146.00	7643.19	31904.02	9530.35	5301.37	6280.82	6995.94	17754.23	167964.49

TABLE 6. GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY E. V. Plemmons Rt. 2, Hendersonville CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Co-operative Program (or Unified Budget)	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Schools, Colleges, and Seminaries	Orphanage, Total Gifts	Designated to Hospitals	Relief and Annuity; Other Objects	Total Gifts for Missions	Grand Total for All Purposes	Balance All Funds
Balfour	Woodrow L. Maxwell, Rt. 2, Hendersonville, N. C	211.10	133.00	82.66	50.00	114.00		143.50	33.05	90.00	677.31	7004.98	170.43
Barker Heights	Mrs. Quay Nelson, Rt. 5, Hendersonville, N. C.							120.00			120.00	3126.70	49.00
Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, Hendersonville, N. C.	4.64	10.87			5.00		5.00	10.98		36.42	297.98	23.00
Bat Cave	Carrie F. Cannon, Bat Cave, N. C.	115.69	30.81			32.38		200.33	39.75	150.00	368.96	1478.12	
Bear Wallow	Mrs. Modeen Bradley, Gerton, N. C.	40.26	20.95			11.88		48.09	18.54		139.72	1034.17	325.47
Berea													
Beulah	J. P. Huggins Hendersonville, N. C.	153.01						153.01			306.02	1951.18	35.75
Broad River													
Calvary	Ethel Mac Murray, Hendersonville, N. C.	5.00		20.00	10.00	32.00				20.00	62.00	3287.00	
Cedar Springs	Fred Ward, Zirconia, N. C.							95.12			95.12	810.12	
Crab Creek													
Cross Roads	Sue Jones, Zirconia, N. C.							12.00	13.11		25.11	908.98	187.34
Dana	Roy F. Saltz, Hendersonville, N. C.	316.97	120.00	7.00	27.15	133.62		152.27	18.47		775.48	3720.65	200.16
Double Springs	Mrs. Elbert Peace, Zirconia, N. C.											639.00	
East Flat Rock	John A. Sinclair, East Flat Rock, N. C.	265.21	81.00	203.26	153.65	376.26		1577.52	361.96		3018.86	23385.58	
Ebenezer	B. C. Marlow, Hendersonville, N. C.	27.00		19.44				187.32	90.02		323.78	5332.75	
Etowah	Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Rt. 4, Hendersonville, N. C.	35.00	22.25		38.00	97.00	11.65	545.40	78.00	11.50	838.80	2873.42	51.34
Fletcher	Mrs. Ruby Garren, Fletcher, N. C.		65.72	5.67	73.93			125.49	25.00	47.04	342.85	3013.14	40.19
French Broad	Mrs. Annette B. Egerton, Hendersonville, N. C.		50.00	50.00				60.00	34.54	48.00	242.54	3587.06	182.14
Friendship	Willis Johnson, Saluda, N. C.												
Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, Rt. 2, Hendersonville, N. C.	85.75	40.00	62.25	41.45	129.60	213.50	426.35	88.00	48.46	1135.36	4333.02	
Green River						27.00		22.00			49.00	3130.66	
Hendersonville, First	F. D. Hills, 1615 Druid Hills Ave., H'ville, N. C.	8803.65	300.00	42.90	41.53	11.60	2400.00	797.11	171.68	87.36	8803.65	34886.46	144709.13

Holly Springs													410.41	
Hoopers Creek	U. M. Wilkie, Fletcher, N. C.							127.20	48.65		175.85	3974.89	405.29	
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Madge Petit, Hendersonville, N. C.		44.03			17.82		316.95	5.00		383.80	6325.89	58.47	
Jones Gap	Mrs. Virgil T. Jones, Rt. 4, Hendersonville, N. C.			8.06					10.16		18.22	413.86	13.60	
Laurel Springs														
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville, N. C.								10.00		10.00	545.93		
Locust Grove												475.00		
Macedonia														
Middle Fork	Wade Huntley, Bear Wallow, N. C.							35.00	35.00		70.00	517.78		
Mills River	G. C. Field, Horse Shoe, N. C.	130.70	25.00	14.28	12.50	12.50	100.20	278.49	50.00	27.29	650.96	1338.29	206.34	
Mt. Gilead	Ray M. Crawford, Horse Shoe, N. C.		35.13	11.00				51.25	40.75	7.68	129.31	2724.62		
Mountain Home	Roland Jones, Edneyville, N. C.	5.71						14.25	10.00	12.50	42.46	983.90	113.00	
Mount Moriah	Mrs. J. O. Byers, Rt. 1, Hendersonville, N. C.		54.06			25.34	31.55	30.27	25.10	12.50	79.40	2261.71	872.54	
Mount Olivet														
Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda, N. C.	8.34						65.56	24.00		97.90	1160.68		
Mountain Valley	Elmo Corn, Zirconia, N. C.							126.00			126.00	1925.00		
Mountain View	Darius Brevard, Rt. 2, Hendersonville, N. C.	21.00							5.00		26.00	70.56		
Mount Zion														
Mud Creek	John Anders, Rt. 3, Hendersonville, N. C.	608.84	150.17	60.25	41.15	100.93	105.00	442.54	70.40	30.00	1009.20	6187.76		
Naples	Robert E. Beddingfield, Naples, N. C.	150.00		16.59				221.13	51.00		438.72	3010.45		
Oak Grove	Odell Edney, East Flat Rock, N. C.							20.00	10.00		30.00	569.00	600.00	
Pacolet	W. K. Rose, Lynn, N. C.											2130.31		
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Earl Gray, Etowah, N. C.				50.00			107.11	20.00		177.11	1161.64		
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Ross Sosebee, Hendersonville, N. C.	.46		10.00	2.00	4.00		15.00	20.00		51.00	519.46	100.00	
Refuge	Bessie Marshall, Rt. 1, Hendersonville, N. C.	210.74	25.00	10.00	26.65	32.00		177.81	66.10	121.84	670.14	8421.23	1229.22	
Saluda	Mrs. E. B. Hall, Saluda, N. C.	194.00	81.00	42.83	28.00	165.03	100.00	249.42	58.47		918.75	3961.10	1182.44	
Shaw's Creek	Troy A. Drake, Rt. 4, Hendersonville, N. C.	158.24		32.45	75.24	3.58		36.82	10.00	24.36	445.69	5904.97	61.54	
Tryon, First	Iris K. Jackson, Tryon, N. C.	759.69	163.25	41.53	32.27	97.72	300.00	60.00	59.10		1513.56	8876.58	1755.88	
Tryon, Second	Gertrude Howard, Tryon, N. C.							12.00	16.65		28.65	20450.77		
Tuxedo	W. J. Lewis, Tuxedo, N. C.	371.00	143.00	40.00	24.00	200.00		156.00	89.00	67.00	1090.00	8552.18	187.89	
Valley Hill	Glenn B. Summy, Rt. 3, Hendersonville, N. C.	50.00	59.56					61.00	45.62		216.18	10840.98		
Warrior Mountain	F. D. Hipps, Saluda, N. C.											338.04		
West Hendersonville	W. A. Pressley, Hendersonville, N. C.				432.00	600.00			50.00		1082.00	5306.00	200.00	
Zion Hill	A. E. Taylor, Zirconia, N. C.											734.78	687.17	
Totals		12732.00	1664.00	778.17	1059.52	2225.26	3261.90	7260.06	1930.10	856.03	27330.10	214798.63	153647.33	

TABLE 7. SUMMARY TABLE

Location OC, V, T, C	Year Organized	Services— Indicate Sundays	CHURCHES	Baptisms	Present Membership (Including Non-Resident)	Sunday School Enrolment (Including Mission Schools)	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Training Union and Story Hour Enrolment	W.M.U. Enrolment	Brotherhood Enrolment	Total Value Church Property (Including Pastor's Home)	Pastor's Salary (Per Year)	Total Gifts for All Purposes	Associational Missions	Total Gifts for Missions
V	1908	1,2,3,4	Balfour	28	401	360	162	55	33		25000.00	2805.00	7004.98	133.00	677.31
OC	1944	1,2,3,4	Barker Heights	4	130	138	95					1910.96	3126.70		120.00
OC	1864	1,2,3,4	Barnwell		15	43	30				1000.00	142.06	297.98	10.87	36.42
V	1892	2,4	Bat Cave	2	121	86	30				10000.00	559.91	1478.12	30.81	568.96
V	1868	1,3	Bear Wallow	3	73	49	29				3800.00	419.08	1034.17	20.95	139.72
V	1921	2	Berea												
V	1820	1,3	Beulah	17	225	183		70				765.73	1951.18		306.02
OC	1866	1,3	Broad River		44										
C		1,2,3,4	Calvary	7	300	240		55	25		42000.00	2400.00	3287.00		62.00
OC	1887	1,3	Cedar Springs			60						300.00	810.12		95.12
			Crab Creek												
OC	1912		Cross Roads		122	68						286.32	908.98		25.11
OC	1936	1,2,3,4	Dana	1	109	62		28	14		35000.00	1446.01	3720.65	120.00	775.48
OC	1871	1,3	Double Springs		113	30					10000.00	300.00	639.00		
T	1911	1,2,3,4	East Flat Rock	17	283	411	90	69	100		125000.00	1500.00	23385.58	81.00	3018.86
OC	1817	1,2,3,4	Ebenezer	38	365	221						2889.05	5232.75		323.78
OC	1926	1,2,3,4	Etowah		196	166	91	47	23		10000.00	661.23	2873.42	22.25	838.80
V	1838	1,2,3,4	Fletcher	5	269	200	78	22	9		25000.00	1250.00	3013.14	65.72	342.85
OC	1789	1,2,3,4	French Broad		57	61					20000.00	1200.00	3587.06	50.00	242.54
			Friendship												
OC	1875	2,4	Fruitland	8	180	156	92	71	71	25	25000.00	1000.00	4333.02	40.00	1135.36
OC	1846	1,2,3,4	Green River	23	119	98						468.89	3130.66		49.00
C	1844	1,2,3,4	Hendersonville, First	38	1614	1074	206	250	273	150	125000.00	4854.18	34886.46	300.00	8803.65

OC	1860	1,2,3,4	Holly Springs	19	124	67		25				124.29	410.41		
OC	1776	1,2,3,4	Hoopers Creek	42	263	264					20000.00	1616.26	3974.89		175.85
OC	1888	1,3,4	Horse Shoe	4	180	174	72				23000.00	1185.00	6325.89	44.03	383.80
OC	1892	2,4	Jones Gap	7	109	51					3000.00	154.18	413.86		18.22
			Laurel Springs												
OC	1911		Liberty									318.89	545.93		10.00
OC	1898	1,3	Locust Grove	10	99	90						150.00	475.00		
			Macedonia												
OC	1886		Middle Fork	9		52						412.78	517.78		70.00
OC	1835	2,4	Mills River		123	82					2000.00	375.00	1338.29	25.00	650.96
OC	1883	1,2,3,4	Mt. Gilead	7	206	144	81					1855.33	2724.62	35.13	129.31
OC	1892	1,2,3,4,5	Mountain Home	6	249	154	65	76			7300.00	285.77	983.90		42.46
OC	1896	1,2,3,4	Mount Moriah	26	250	147	64	77			1000.00	1378.23	2261.71	54.06	79.40
			Mount Olivet												
OC	1789	1,3	Mountain Page	11	265	135	60				5000.00	467.40	1160.68		97.90
OC	1918	1,2	Mountain Valley		75	55					3000.00	350.00	1925.00		126.00
OC	1949	2,3,4,5	Mountain View		12	76					1500.00	19.56	70.56		26.00
			Mount Zion												
OC	1804	All	Mud Creek	20	412	318	107	72	29		11000.00	2874.84	6187.76	150.17	1009.28
V	1942	2,4	Naples		110	218	75	67	52			1300.00	3010.45		438.72
OC	1875	1,2,3	Oak Grove	4	199	118	37				5000.00	366.00	569.00		30.00
V	1916	1,2,3,4	Pacolet	21	181	96	113				4000.00	900.00	2130.00		
OC	1859	1,2,4	Pleasant Grove	7	179	60			9			570.97	1161.64		177.11
OC	1880	1,2,3,4	Pleasant Hill	7	116	82	40					400.00	519.46		51.00
OC	1837	All	Refuge	22	379	295	92	66	168		30000.00	2240.62	8421.23	25.00	670.14
T	1882	All	Saluda	5	169	87	140	52	20		8000.00	1532.23	3961.10	81.00	918.75
OC	1881	1,2,3,4	Shaws Creek	8	162	187	52	59	60	12	10000.00	2940.00	5904.97		445.69
C	1891	All	Tryon, First	5	310	261	160	43	89	35	35000.00	3600.00	8876.58	163.25	1513.56
C	1924	All	Tryon, Second	19	81	125		80			20000.00	372.25	20450.77		28.65
V	1910	All	Tuxedo	52	410	248		76	68		28000.00	2860.00	8552.18	143.00	1090.00
OC	1908	1,2,3,4	Valley Hill	48	331	272	96	126			25000.00	2303.64	10840.98	59.56	216.18
OC	1933	1,2,3,4	Warrior Mountain	5	50	44						225.00	338.04		
C	1934	All	West Hendersonville	44	296	191	85				10000.00	3000.00	5306.00		1082.00
OC			Zion Hill		154	90						4800.00	734.73		
Totals				599	10374	7868	2248	1484	1043	234	717600.00	64236.66	214798.63	1664.00	27148.86

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ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS

1. Pastors Conference—The ministers of the association meet each Monday at the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville. This meeting comes at 10:00 A. M.

2. Each fifth Sunday the Association meets at some designated church at 2:30 P. M. and adjourns at 4:00 P. M.

3. Sunday School meetings will be announced by the Superintendent.

4. The Training Union meeting will be announced by the director.

5. The annual meeting of the W. M. U. will be held with Hendersonville First, first week in June.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

The Fruitland Baptist Assembly is located six miles from Hendersonville and is in session from June 1 through August 31. Rev. B. G. Henry, Hendersonville, N. C., is business manager.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE

Located at the Fruitland Assembly is the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, a preachers' school conducted each year, in three six-weeks terms, October through March, under the direction of Dr. J. C. Canipe, President and State Secretary of Evangelism.

CAROLINA BAPTIST OFFICE

The Carolina Baptist Office is located in room 8, Hunter Bldg., Hendersonville, Phone 4274. Roy D. Campbell, Associational Missionary, can be contacted at this address. His post office box is 925 and home telephone is 6123.

NEXT SESSION

The next session of the Carolina Baptist Association will be held with Refuge Baptist Church, August 7, 1951. The preacher of the annual sermon will be Rev. W. C. Huntley of Balfour Baptist Church, with Rev. George Roberts of Refuge Baptist Church as alternate.

ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

Moderator, M. L. Walker ..... Hendersonville
Vice-Moderator, Albert Hill ..... Edneyville
Clerk, Roy D. Campbell ..... Hendersonville
Treasurer, M. K. Sinclair ..... East Flat Rock
Historian, N. A. Melton ..... Rt. 2, Hendersonville
Sunday School Superintendent, Roy Huggins ..... Hendersonville
B. T. U. Director, Howard Smith ..... Rt. 2, Hendersonville
W. M. U. Superintendent, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair ..... East Flat Rock

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Superintendent, Roy Huggins ..... Hendersonville
Association Supt. in Charge of Training: W. B. Sinclair, Hendersonville
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Evangelism: D. H. Daniels ..... Hendersonville
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Enlargement: Roy D. Campbell
Asso. Supt. Vacation Bible Schools, Mrs. H. T. Sitton .. Hendersonville
Secretary-Treasurer, Rachel Kuykendall ..... Hendersonville
Pianist, Miss Lois Parker ..... Etowah
Chorister, Mrs. Annie Mae Parker ..... Etowah

STANDING COMMITTEES

State Missions .....
Home Missions .....
Foreign Missions .....
Ministers Retirement .....
Orphanage .....
B. T. U. ..... Howard Smith
Sunday Schools ..... Roy Huggins
Christian Education .....
Temperance and Public Morals .....
Periodicals .....
Hospital .....
Promotion .....
W. M. U. ..... Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
Obituaries .....
Historian ..... Rev. N. A. Melton
Brotherhood .....
Finance Committee ..... M. K. Sinclair
Missions Committee ..... C. E. Scarborough, Chm.
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
N. B. Phillips
D. H. Daniels
F. M. Huggins
Program Committee ..... Noah Hollowell, Chm.
T. G. Proctor
C. F. Jervis
M. K. Walker
Roy D. Campbell

ORDAINED MINISTERS WHO ARE NOT PASTORS

Burrell, C. P.	Tryon
Cable, Vincent	Flat Rock
Canipe, Dr. J. C.	417 3rd Ave. W., Hendersonville
Corn, Quay	Rt. 2, Hendersonville
Crawford, J. M.	Arden
Davis, Wm.	Hendersonville
Duffie, H. Y.	Hendersonville
Edney, Arnold	Hendersonville
Greene, J. H.	Henedrsonville
Gibbs, Perry	Hendersonville
Field, W. A.	Horse Shoe
Hollingsworth, Bobo	Hendersonville
Mainwaring, C. W.	Hendersonville
Pace, Richard	Flat Rock
Hester, B. B.	Tryon
Quinn, R. P.	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Moore, M. M.	Hendersonville
Reese, A. V.	Hendersonville
Robinson, Edward	Fletcher
Roberts, W. A.	Hendersonville
Sitton, Frank	Hendersonville
Thompson, Thomas E.	Hendersonville
Vaughn, Ed	Hendersonville
Wall, J. O.	Gerton
Wilson, Lacy	Rt. 2, Hendersonville
Hentley, Ted	Bear Wallow

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Gordon Corn	Hendersonville
Woodrow Maxwell	Rt. 2, Hendersonville
V. D. Orr	Mountain Home
Darrell Rhodes	Hendersonville
Laurence Rhodes	Hendersonville
Paul Shipman	Rt. 5, Hendersonville

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Oscar J. Smith	105 Hall St., Hendersonville
Luther Tweed	Hendersonville
Perry Gibbs	Hendersonville

CHOIR DIRECTORS

Balfour, Harvey Erwin ..... Balfour
Bear Wallow, Mrs. Foy J. Wall ..... Gerton
Beulah, J. P. Huggins ..... Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Cedar Springs, Fred Ward .....
Cross Roads, N. W. Maybin ..... Zirconia
Dana, Mrs. L. V. Lyda ..... Rt. 1, Flat Rock
Double Springs, D. C. Hudson ..... Zirconia
East Flat Rock, D. G. Wilkie ..... Hendersonville
Ebenezer, D. C. Orr ..... Hendersonville
Etowah, Mrs. R. E. Fletcher ..... Etowah
Fletcher, Sidney Moors ..... Fletcher
Fruitland, Junius Huggins ..... Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Greene River, M. C. Osteen ..... Zirconia
Hendersonville, First, Miss Lillian Howell ..... 711 Buncombe, H'ville
Horse Shoe, Mrs. John Heffner ..... Horse Shoe
Hoopers Creek, D. T. Wilkie ..... Fletcher
Mills River, Wylma Sitton ..... Horse Shoe
Mtn. Home, Roland Jones ..... Edneyville
Mt. Moriah, James Hill ..... Edneyville
Mtn. Page, Levi C. Pace ..... Saluda
Mtn. View, Verbon Jones ..... Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Mud Creek, Mrs. John Perry ..... Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Naples, Elmo Orr ..... Mountain Home
Oak Grove, Francis Mintz ..... Flat Rock
Pleasant Grove, D. R. Justus ..... Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Pleasant Hill, Sam Sosbee ..... Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Refuge, Carroll Pettit ..... Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Shaws Creek, A. J. Nanney ..... Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Tryon, First, Mrs. H. Frankenfield ..... Tryon
Tryon, Second, Herman Burns ..... Tryon
Valley Hill, Miss Connie Laughter ..... White Pine Dr., Hendersonville
West Hendersonville, Frank Kelly ..... Hendersonville
Zion Hill, J. C. Pace ..... Zirconia

MINISTERS RETIREMENT PLAN

W. F. Sinclair, Comm.

An increasingly large number of pastors and churches are entering the MINISTERS RETIREMENT PLAN of the Southern Baptist Annuity Board. This plan provides for the pastor and church to cooperate with the Board in building up an income for the minister's declining years, as well as that of his widow. Complete information concerning the Plan may be had by writing direct to M. A. Huggins, General Secretary, Raleigh, N. C. He will be happy to give all the information regarding the Plan.

Many disabled ministers and widows are already receiving monthly aid from this fund. Any minister or religious worker may enter the Plan any time before reaching retirement age, and will receive an income in proportion to the amount paid in during his membership.

Any person interested should write at once to Mr. Huggins, or the Relief and Annuity Board, Dallas, Texas.

Respectfully submitted.

P. S. The above report was prepared for the clerk's use in getting up the minutes, and was not read before the Association.

LIST OF MESSENGERS

BALFOUR: Mrs. Justus, Mrs. Huntley, Mrs. MacDowell, Raleigh Maxwell, B. H. Raines.

BARKER HEIGHTS: Mrs. Faye Connor, Mrs. Margaret London, Mrs. Zora Connor, Mrs. Vauda Griffin, Mrs. Loyd Connor.

BARNWELL: Mrs. Edgar Barnwell, Mrs. Otto Lyda, Mr. Homer Reed.

BAT CAVE: Wm. H. Garvin, Mrs. Thos. L. Mann, Mrs. Carrie Cannon, Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Mrs. John Burroughs, Jess Freeman.

BEAR WALLOW: C. Philips Merrell, Mrs. Hattie Oates, R. M. Merrell.

BEREA:

BEULAH: C. F. Thornton, J. W. Cantrell, Mrs. P. L. Cantrell, Mrs. J. P. Huggins.

BROAD RIVER:

CALVARY:

CEDAR SPRINGS:

CRAB CREEK:

CROSS ROADS: Mr. J. W. Burrell, Pink Bright, Mr. Charlie Morgan, Mr. Newman Morgan, C. O. Kuykendall, Mrs. C. O. Kuykendall.

DANA: W. K. Hyder, R. N. Hazeltine, R. H. Lincoln, J. C. Brown, Jr.

DOUBLE SPRINGS: L. A. Anderson, Mrs. Lou Ward, Elbert and Mrs. Peace, Mrs. B. B. Ward, R. B. Ward.

EAST FLAT ROCK: M. K. Sinclair, D. G. Wilkie, Mrs. D. G. Wilkie, Mrs. Rafe Lockaby, Mr. Joe Mabry.

EBENEZER: Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Holbert.

ETOWAH: Mrs. R. E. Fletcher, George W. Weese, H. P. Hauk, Mrs. H. P. Hauk, Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Mrs. R. H. McCall.

FLETCHER: Abner Garren, N. B. Baldwin, Mrs. Howes, Tom Riddle, Sidney Moore, Mrs. C. S. Wagwell, Mrs. Sidney Moore.

FRENCH BROAD: Mrs. R. M. Pinson, Mrs. William S. Henderson, Mrs. B. G. Henry.

FRIENDSHIP:

FRUITLAND: Mrs. Claude Holbert, Howard Pryor, James C. Justus, Lee Pryor, Mrs. Ray Jones.

GREEN RIVER: L. K. Pace, Garland Levi, Henry Beddingfield, Clyde Morgan.

HENDERSONVILLE FIRST: Keith A. Arledge, Mrs. Eula Baldwin, Miss Hannah Brummitt, Dr. J. C. Canipe, Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Daniels, Mrs. Z. F. Griner, Mrs. Mamie Hart, Mr. F. D. Hills, Miss Lillian Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Huggins, Mrs. J. L. Huggins, C. F. Jervis, Mrs. George Peebles, Mrs. Kate H. Porter, Mrs. Nellie Powell, Mr. Frank Neville, Rev. A. V. Reese, Miss Myrtle Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Fred and Gloria Jean Floyd, Mr. Victor Rector, Mrs. K. M. Russ, W. B. Sinclair, Mrs. O. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Walker.

HOLLY SPRINGS:

HOOPERS CREEK: Rev. Odell Barnwell, J. K. Williams, O. B. Souther, Will Riddle, Wade Garren.

HORSE SHOE: Mr. S. M. Davenport, John Heffner, Mrs. Albert Capps, Mrs. Harry Souther, Mrs. Oscar Pettit.

JONES GAP:

LAUREL SPRINGS:
LIBERTY:
LOCUST GROVE:
MACEDONIA:
MIDDLE FORK:
MILLS RIVER: G. A. Goode, W. T. Field.
MT. GILEAD: Rev. W. F. Sinclair, C. C. Ballard, Mrs. Jerry Crawford, Mrs. John Robertson, Mrs. Paul Bryson.
MTN. HOME: Roland Jones, W. A. Martin, Hobert Moore, Claude Justice, Mrs. Ida Moore, Mrs. Hoyte Jones, Mrs. Louise Jackson, Miss Maize Nix.
MT. MORIAH: Clannie Laughter, Marie Laughter, Mrs. G. M. Helms, Mrs. Will Hill, Mrs. J. A. Alton, Grace Neilson, Mr. G. M. Helms.
MT. OLIVET:
MTN. PAGE: W. L. Davis, Early Staton, Levi Pace, R. W. Bell, H. P. Pace.
MTN. VALLEY:
MTN. VIEW: Cecil A. Worsham, Mrs. Ben Jones, Miss Mae Brevard.
MT. ZION:
MUD CREEK: Mrs. John Perry, Mr. R. S. Steadman, Mr. Dewey Orr, Mrs. Dewey Orr, Mrs. Dick Jones, Mrs. Euva McGraw, Mrs. Juanita Justus.
NAPLES: Mr. V. D. Orr, Mrs. V. D. Orr, Frank Cooper, Mrs. Frank Cooper.
OAK GROVE:
PACOLET: Mrs. Lewis Rowan, Mrs. Mollie Thompson, Mrs. Albert McFale, Donald Blackwell, Elmer Morgan, Betty Chapman.
PLEASANT GROVE: Hubert Rowan, Helen Rowan, Mrs. Jim Dalton, Mrs. Earl Gray, Hilda Talley, Mr. Jim Drake, Bob Hollingsworth, Larry Hollingsworth.
PLEASANT HILL: Porter Sosbee, Bertha Jones, Mr. and Mrs J. F. Griffin.
REFUGE: Mr. W. J. Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams, Mrs. Charlie Tabor, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Revis, Mr. and Mrs. Merida Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Ben King.
SALUDA: R. B. Staton, F. M. Huggins, Mrs. Bessie Pace.
SHAWS CREEK: Mrs. James Gesser, Mrs. T. G. Proctor, Mrs. G. H. Orr, Mrs. A. J. Nanney, Mrs. W. D. Glazer, Mr. W .D. Glazer, Mr. C. W. Mainwaring.
TRYON FIRST: Mrs. J. W. Taylor, Rev. C. E. Scarborough, Mrs. Henry Gilbert.
TRYON SECOND:
TUXEDO: Mr. J. W. Bradley, Mr. Earnest Huggins, Mr. Albert Calloway, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Cortee, Mrs. Thelma Caldwell, Mr. Dean A. Ward, Elmer Owens.
VALLEY HILL: Mrs. Hiriam Staton, Mrs. Addie Lee Garren, Mrs. Margaret Amadis, Mrs. Hazel Corn, Mrs. Winifred Hight, Mr. F. E. Edney, Mr. E. E. Hefner, Mr. Furman Anders.
WARRIOR MTN.:
WEST HENDERSONVILLE:
ZION HILL: J. F. Lindsey, H. G. Summey, Mrs. J. H. Stanberry.
UPWARD:

CONSTITUTION

Mell's Parliamentary Practice Followed:

Article 1 — Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Carolina Missionary Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers and pastors (who have been elected as exofficio members with votiing privileges) of Missionary Baptist churches in Henderson and Polk counties and other Missionary Baptist churches who wish to unite with them.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members in excess of one hundred. Only the names of the messengers attending the meeting shall be printed in the minutes.

Article 2 — Objects

Section 1. The object of this Association shall be to devise and recommend measures for the increasing of mental and spiritual power of the churches, and for developing and directing their energies, their resources and gifts in advancing the Master's Kingdom throughout the entire world.

Article 3 — Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Historian, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational B. T. U. Director, all of whom shall be elected by a majority vote at each annual meeting. These officers shall assume their duties at the close of the Associational meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member He shall, by fraternal visitation, counsel and advise with churches regarding their work through the year.

Section 3. The Vice-Moderator shall preside at the pleasure of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches in the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment. His annual compensation shall be $50.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall have charge of all the funds which may be raised by the Association, of which he shall give an account at the annual meeting.

Article 4

Section 1. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as from time to time be deemed advisable.

Article 5

Section 1. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ, and the ordinances of His house as accepted by Missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, by a majority vote.

Section 2. Any church in good standing in this Association may, on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

Article 6

Section 1. The Association at any meeting may withdraw fellowship from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

Article 7

Section 1. This Association regards each Baptist church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body for furthering the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity, the preaching the gospel, and promoting Christian education.

Article 8

Section 1. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion or resolution of the body, except to amend the constitution which shall require a two-third vote of the members.

Article 9

Section 1. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the beginning of each day and corrected, if necessary. Before final adjournment the entire minutes shall be read and approved.

Article 10

Section 1. The Association shall, before its final adjournment, fix a place for the next meeting and select one of the ministers of the body to preach the annual sermon.

Article 11

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of 12 members, six ministers, three laymen and three women, one third of whom shall be elected each year, together with the associational officers as members ex officio.

A quorum shall consist of all the members of the Executive Committee present after due notice has been given by card or letter.

2. Program Committee Duties:

A. Work with the program committee of the pastor's conference in correlating the programs of the two groups.

B. Assume responsibility for programs for meetings of the Association in which objectives of the State and Southern Baptist Denominational calendar shall be given proper emphasis.

C. Cooperate with the Field Worker or Associational Missionary, the Sunday School, Training Union, and Woman's Missionary Union departments of the Association so as to co-ordinate the Associational work.

D. Arrange all special Associational meetings when desired.

E. Prepare and publish programs for the quarterly and annual meetings of the Association.

F. Prepare the Association's calendar of meetings and general activities for the year or shorter periods.

3. Mission Committee Duties:

A. Direct and work with the Association's Missionary in co-operation with the State and Home Mission Board.

B. Survey the field for more effective action.

C. Establish missions where deemed advisable.

D. Conduct revival meetings when deemed advisable with pastorless or non-self-supporting churches, or communities without a Baptist Church.

E. Organize new churches when and where the Executive Committee deems advisable.

F. Conduct Daily Vacation Bible Schools.

G. Conduct Bible Classes.

H. Conduct Association-wide Sunday School revivals.

I. Aid pastorless churches, etc.

4. Finance Committee Duties:

Prepare the Associational budget for proposed work to be done by the Executive Committee through all committees and secure necessary funds to accomplish the proposed programs.

POLICIES

Distribute the activities of the Association throughout the year by holding quarterly afternoon or night sessions. Organize the work of the Association so that it will be broader in scope with a set-up ample to take care of the average situation. Aid pastorless churches and establish and sponsor missions, Sunday School and hold revivals outside of our organized churches when such is deemed advisable by our Executive Committee.

By changing our annual program and having the addresses from those representing our Hosptial, Orphanage, Biblical Recorder, Home and Foreign Missions, Temeprance, and other causes presented at our quarterly sessions, we give more deliberate and intelligent thought to these matters than when they are properly spaced in between our local program. This would permit more discussion, freedom of spirit and greater inspiration to a less crowded program of our annual session.

If the customary program should crowd the annual session too much for one day and not permit free and liberal discussion where desired, reports such as that of the historian, and that on temperance and morals, the orphanage, hospitals, periodicals and other subjects not dierctly dealing with our local Association's activities might be made topics for discussion by visiting speakers at our quarterly meetings rather than at our annual session. Such arrangement would become a part of the duty of the Program Committee under this proposed set-up.

This would reduce the burden of preparing food for two days instead of one and would maintain a good attendance as we have now on the first day.

By distributing the quarterly meetings among the different churches we would place our sessions in closer proximity to the people and also enlist more interest in such gatherings.

The night session of the second day of our Association, which is devoted to the work program of the B. T. U. and Sunday School, would be held at the afternoon quarterly meetings.

Under this plan the minutes of the quarterly meetings would be embraced in the annual published minutes of the Association.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The Association shall convene at 9:30 a. m. on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year.
2. The Association shall open and close with prayer each day. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all meetings of the body.
3. The rules of order may be changed at any session by a vote of the majority of members present.
4. That reports be limited to 500 words.
5. All questions of order shall be decided by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1950

The Carolina Baptist Association opened its seventy-fourth annual session at the Dana Baptist Church August 8, 1950 with M. L. Walker as moderator and Roy D. Campbell as clerk.

Mr. Don Walker, chorister, and Mrs. J. A. Sinclair, pianist led the congregation in singing "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS." Rev. Ceceil Worsham led the devotional.

The moderator called the association to order and asked for a roll call of the churches. There were 37 churches represented with 34 pastors present. Visitors recognized: Dr. Zeno Wall, Mills Home; Dr. M. A. Huggins, Executive Secretary; Rev. J. C. Pipes, Missionary; Rev. R. M. Hause, Shelby; J. W. Edwards of French Broad Association; Rev. Lawrence Erwin of S. C.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

M. L. Walker, Moderator; Roy D. Campbell, Clerk, Albert Hill, Vice-Moderator; M. K. Sinclair, Treasurer; N. A. Melton, Historian; Roy D. Campbell, Missionary.

The program for the day was adopted with any changes the moderator might deem wise to make.

The State Missions Report was presented by Rev. J. A. Anderson and adopted by the body.

STATE MISSIONS — 1950

The great objective of State Missions is to take North Carolina for Christ. The winning of people and the teaching and training of people is a MUST. Mu;h has been done! Far more remains to be done! !

To reach the objective many activities, in fact eighteen (18) are promoted. Here is a picture of these activities. Let each Baptist have a share!

S Sunday School Department Works for Better Trained Teachers
T Training Union Dept. Discovers and Trains Leaders for Churches.
A Summer Assemblies—Information, Inspiration, Recreation.
T Teaching Activities (Visual Education, Radio, etc.)
E Evangelism (City and Association-wide Revivals)

M Mission Pastors in New and Needy Fields
I Work among the Indians
S Schools for Ministers
S Work for Silent People
I Interracial Activities—Aid to Negroes in their work
O Other Activities—Including Allied Church League, Rural Work
N Neglected Areas (Lots for New Churches)
S Student Work among 15,000 Baptist Students

What a mighty program we **could** have if each Baptist would give only 5c to promote **each** of these activities.

18 Activities Times 5c equals 90c
90c times 500,000 Baptist equals..... $450,000

Let EACH ONE DO HIS OR HER BEST!

J. A. Anderson

The following report on Home Missions was read by Junius Huggins and adopted by the body.

HOME MISSIONS—1950

From the report on HOME MISSIONS to the Southern Baptist Convention we get the following statistics for 1949:

Number of workers (Including student workers)	1,030
Gain in personel	2
Conversions	35,913
Sermons and Addresses	81,039
Radio Messages	3,848
Prayer Meetings	27,839
Religious Visits	258,814
Persons contacted in personal work	177,139
Bibles and Gospels distributed	57,419
Pages of Tracts distributed	1,303,643
Classes taught	22,987
Revivals conducted	1,817
New Missions opened	577
New Churches constituted	165
Number of kindergartens	44
Missions Vacation Bible Schools completed	1,541
New buildings, completed or under construction	50
Properties improved	54

We believe that Missions is a Kingdom movement, that God's Kingdom would come and His will be done in earth as it is in Heaven. We should also help to put feet to our prayers by giving liberally of our tithes and offerings unto this great phase of our work.

Dr. J. B. Lawrence, Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the HOME MISSION BOARD says, "Missions in the world of tomorrow will be more necessary than in the world of yesterday". So to be spiritually prepared for this task we must put ourselves with our possessions on the altar of service for our God and pray continually that His will may be done in us in the homeland and to the ends of the earth.

Respectfully submitted,

Junius Huggins

REPORT OF TREASURER FOR YEAR ENDING

JULY 31, 1950

Balance on hand Aug. 1, 1949	$ 659.69	
Contributions to maintain Field Worker	2,008.45	
Contributions to Field Worker for supply, etc.	1,199.27	
Contributions for Minute Fund	275.17	
Receipts at Quarterly Meeting	127.06	$4,269.64
Disbursements:		
Salary and Expense—Field Worker	2,713.48	
Payment to State Trust Co. on note	800.00	
Interest—Service Charge—Printing, etc.	38.82	
Retirement Fund—Field Worker	80.00	
Associational Minutes	272.68	
Clerk	50.00	
Office Equipment and Supplies	74.15	4,029.13
Balance on hand		$ 240.51

Respectfully submitted,

M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

The report on Foreign Missions was omitted. A very inspiring message was brought by Dr. M. A. Huggins, Secretary of our Baptist State Convention.

Dr. C. E. Scarborbough, Chairman of Missions Committee made a brief report on the work of Associational Missionary and asked all churches and pastors to cooperate with Missionary Campbell.

The following reports were submitted by M. K. Sinclair, Treasurer and adopted:

Churches that have contributed to Minute Fund and to support of Field Worker from August 1, 1949 to July 31, 1950.

	Minute Fund	Field Worker
Balfour	$ 25.00	$ 143.00
Barker Heights	4.00	
Bat Cave	5.00	
Bear Wallow	5.00	1.00
Beulah	3.00	
Calvary		25.00
Cedar Springs	8.27	
Cross Roads	3.00	12.30
Dana	10.00	
Double Springs	3.00	
East Flat Rock	15.00	100.00
Ebenezer	2.00	4.00
Etowah	8.00	35.00
Fletcher	7.50	30.00
French Broad	7.50	50.00
Fruitland	7.00	50.00
Hendersonville First		400.00
Hoopers Creek	5.00	23.23
Horse Shoe	6.00	
Locust Grove	3.00	
Middle Fork	2.00	17.50
Mills River	10.00	20.00
Mount Gilead	5.00	28.02
Mountain Home	4.00	
Mount Moriah	6.00	
Mountain Page	2.00	
Mount Zion		45.60
Mud Creek	20.00	313.59
Naples	7.50	47.46
Oak Grove	5.00	
Pleasant Grove	5.00	
Pleasant Hill	2.00	
Saluda	10.00	165.00
Refuge	10.50	25.00
Shaws Creek	10.00	77.75
Tryon First	15.00	152.00
Tryon Second	3.00	
Tuxedo	10.00	143.00
Valley Hill	15.00	100.00
Warrior Mountain	1.00	
Zion Hill	5.00	
	$275.17	$2,008.45

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

Moderator Walker recognized W. H. Kendall of Mars Hill and S. M. Lamm of Gardner Webb College.

The following committees were appointed by the chair:

Resolutions: Victor Rector, N. B. Baldwin, Carl Blythe.

Time, Place and Preacher: F. M. Huggins, Ralph Banning, Jiles Hall.

New Churches: N. B. Phillips, D. H. Daniels, N. A. Melton.

F. M. Huggins presented a resolution changing the program to a two-day session and the Executive Committee to a 12 member body with the Associational Officers as members ex officio. The matter was referred to the Resolutions committee.

The following report on Christian Education was read by Howard Sitton and adopted by the body. Dr. Claude F. Gaddy spoke to the report and also asked Lamm from Gardner Webb and W. H. Kendall from Mars Hill, to speak briefly about their institutions.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION REPORT FOR THE CAROLINA ASSOCIATION, 1950

Let us remember these words found in Proverbs 22:6: "Train up a child in the way he should go; and when he is old, he will not depart from it." Christian Education really begins with each of us as individuals. It begins with our boys and girls in the homes, in the public schools, and in the churches; so that when the child has completed his training, the religious part of his education will not have been neglected.

What kind of early Christian Education are we giving our children in the Carolina Baptist Association? Do they have opportunity to participate in all phases of Christian training such as: Daily Vacation Bible School, Royal Ambassador, Girls' Auxiliary, Training Union, Sunday School. Do we as adults lead our children by taking part in the different activities of our church? Do we make it possible for our boys and girls to have Study Courses in our churches? Do we send them to our Baptist Assemblies for religious training and character building? We have a great opportunity for this at our own Fruitland Assembly grounds in the Carolina Baptist Association.

If these young folks have had the proper training from the Cradle-Roll up they will be ready for one of our fine Baptist Colleges when they finish our public high schools. Training today must not stop with High school commencement. Our youths need the guiding hand of Christian fathers and mothers and church leaders as much, perhaps more, than any other group. It is a fine thing if we can encourage them to gain higher education in a church school.

The Baptist of North Carolina now have five Junior Colleges. Chowan re-opened September 14, 1949.

Chowan enrolled 127 young men and women for the regular term. Many improvements were made for this re-opening primarily through the efforts of the Baptist of the West Chowan Association, giving the Northeast section of the state a Junior College. With the continued efforts of Baptists nearby and with help from the Cooperative Program this College should grow to serve the need of that and other parts of our state.

Campbell College had an enrollment of 422 last fall, being represented by sixty-four counties, twelve states, and three foreign countries. On the basis of church memberships there were 282 Missionary Baptists, 45 Methodists, 22 Presbyterians, 6 Christians, 5 Episcopalians, and 3 Free-Will Baptists. Other denominations represented were: Roman Catholics, Brethren, Friends, Jewish, Nazarene, Lutheran, and Reformed. Fifty-one were not members of any church.

Wingate opened the term with 300. This was a small decrease from the previous year, but all rooms were taken and classes were full. With an increased interest by local and state people Wingate is moving forward to an ear of great service.

Gardner-Webb enrolled 453—285 men and 168 women. One student was from Henderson County.They had 52 studying for the ministry, 14 for misison work, and 22 for religious education. 81% of the enrollment were Baptist.

Mars Hill enrolled 933—510 young men, 423 young women. There were 257 graduates in May and there will be about 20 more this month. Approximately one hundred were ministerial students and a few of these were serving as pastors of churches. Twelve to fifteen students went to Oteen Hospital each Sunday morning to conduct religious services. Other groups helped practically each week and assisted in church work in surrounding counties. Mars Hill has students preparing to do church secretarial work, religious education, and for missions. There are seven students and one teacher from Henderson County.

Now we have four-year colleges, too. Meredith College for women enrolled 521 students last year with 14 states and 5 foreign countries represented. Sixty-one of these indicated interest in full time Christ ian work, and 12% of the student body are preparing to be missionaries. Sixty-five percent of the Meredith students are Baptists. Resident students are required to attend Sunday School and Church and buses are provided to and from the church.

In the fall of 1949 Wake Forest College enrolled 2170—men 1835 women 335. They have 195 preparing for definite Christian service—150 ministerial students, 45 for other Christian work. Eighteen are training as missionaries. There is ample religious opportunity for all students at Wake Forest since religious interests and values are stressed in four areas; Bible teaching—six semester hours for all expect medical and dentistry students; student religious activities; general emphasis of the college; and activities of the local Baptist church.

How can the Baptists of North Carolina expect to grow in strength and influence in the world without these Baptist colleges? Last year 20c of each dollar sent to the undesignated cooperative program went to these colleges. If the dollar that went to designated and undesignated purposes was broken down, however, only 10c or a little less went to the upkeep of our schools of higher learning. The average per student given in 1949 was $52.00. If we expect our schools to grow, we must strive to do better than this. Are we willing to put our money to work and train leaders for the future in our Baptist Colleges?

During the special session in Charlotte on April 27, the Baptist State Convention adopted a resolution authorizing the sale of Wake Forest College property to the Southern Baptist Convention for $1,600,000. These facilities to be used for the establishment and operation of a new theological seminary in the southeast. Similar action was taken during the Southern Baptist Convention during May in Chicago. Our field of opportunity for training in our own state is growing.

Respectfully submitted,
Howard Sitton

Rev. T. S. Henderson, Pastor of Fletcher Baptist Church, asked to be recognized and presented a very urgent appeal for a family who had been in a car wreck and whose circumstances were very desperate. An offering amounted to $125.48 was received from the congregation.

The annual sermon was delivered by Rev. D. H. Daniels, pastor of First Church, Hendersonville, Scripture Ecclesiastes 11:4. "He that observeth the wind shall not sow; and he that regardeth the clouds shall not reap."

Announcement was made concerning the lunch and Brother Daniels pronounced the benediction.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The afternoon session was opened by singing "STANDING ON THE PROMISES." Rev. Zeno Greene, Mills River pastor, led the devotional. 1 John 1:5-7 and offered prayer.

Rev. Dumont Clark of the Farmers Federation and founder of the Lords Acre Project was recognized by Moderator Walker. Report of Ministers Retirement Plan was omitted. W. F. Sinclair asked to write report for the minutes.

Dr. Zeno Wall spoke on Mills Home (North Carolina Baptist Orphanage). Dr. Wall stated that he was retired on August 20 but he wanted the Orphanage to go on to greater heights in service to needy children of this state.

Albert Hill, Vice Moderator, and C. F. Jervis were recognized and invited to a seat in the association.

Dr. J. C. Canipe made a very stirring appeal on Evangelism and the hearts of all present were warmed by urgent appeal and Christian heart in winning the lost. He urged the importance of proper organization for an all-out drive in Evangelism in the spring of 1951. He stated that there were 39 million unsaved people in the territory served by Southern Baptist. "The greatest thing in the world," said Dr. Canipe, "is an idea." An idea on Temperance and Public Morals would send us out to clean up this country. An idea of the lost condition of our people will send us out to win them for Christ.

Brother Victor Rector read the report on Temperance and Public Morals which was adopted by the body.

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

For months now, the Dry Forces of Henderson County have been working to lessen the consumption of alcoholic beverages by petitioning for an election to outlaw the legal sale of wine and beer.

The first petition was thrown out by the Board of Elections for reasons satisfactory to that board.

To avoid legal technicalities in petitioning for an election to abolish the sale of beer and wine, the Dry Forces employed some clerical help and with such help had all the names of all the registered voters in every county precinct copied from the actual roll book.

The law requires that 15% of all the registered voters shall sign a petition calling for an election against the legal sale of beer and wine. We now have almost enough names signed and stored in the office of our associational worker to call an election, but we want a thousand or two extra signatures to prove beyond the shadow of a doubt to the Election Board that we really mean business this time.

To secure these extra signatures we suggest that the association here and now, raise $50 or more to be turned over to our social worker to hire canvassers at the rate of $1 per hour to canvass thoroughly the city of Hendersonville and other areas not yet thoroughly canvassed so that this petition will be so large that the Election Board dare not turn it down.

This election should be called to protect our people against themselves. Most drinking people are good fellows when they are sober, but alcohol makes slaves of able bodied men. Such slavery wrecks homes, robs childhood of its birthright, fills charitable and correctional institutions, dulls moral responsibility, and closes the very windows of Heaven.

We have all seen what strong drink will do. Since I have not been able to work, I spend quite a little time in the county court room. Alcohol is directly or indirectly responsible for most of the court trials. It is pathetic to see a father guilty of a crime committed while drunk, stand and plead for mercy on the ground that he has a wife and children to support. To me it is more pathetic when one recalls that the state licensed the sale of the stuff that caused the crime, and then punishes the criminal.

My friends, when shall we have the answer to the question that has come ringing down through the ages, "Am I my brother's keeper"?

Victor E. Rector

An offering was taken amounting to $63.50 and placed in the hands of the Associational Missionary to pay those who make the canvass.

The following report on Brotherhood was read by Keith Arledge and adopted:

REPORT OF LAYMANS WORK

Our Association is wonderfully blessed in that it has many fine laymen who are actively engaged in the program of advancing the Kingdom of God. We can look around our communities and see the results of their labor at first hand. We are indeed grateful to them for their efforts in this the greatest program in our world. We can not begin to imagine just what great works could be wrought if many more of our Christian men would join in this noble enterprise.

Our communities comprise states, our states make nations and nations form the world. Our world is full of problems and is indeed troubled greatly, especially during these days. If these problems are to be solved eternally then we as Christian men and women must begin the task that has confronted us for so long. We can do that best by organizing. That leads us to the fact that we should have other Brotherhoods organized in this and other associations. We have far too few now, will we say the same thing at the associational meeting next year? God forbid. Let's get going, the hour is late, let's join together for Fellowship, instruction and the advancing of God's Kingdom work.

We are to have a fine program at our State Assembly located at Fruitland, beginning on Friday evening, August 18th and closing Sunday afternoon, August 20th. Brotherhoods from all over North Carolina will be in session. Outstanding speakers to be present are: Senator Clyde R. Hoey, O. Max Gardner and Dr. I. G. Greer. This program will be directed by our own Horace Easom who is doing a fine job for our Men's organizations throughout the State. Also at the First Baptist Church, East Flat Rock on Monday night, August 21st, 7:30 p. m. there will be an R. A. and Men's Brotherhood Rally. Let's plan to attend one, two, or all of these sessions for a period of inspiration and instruction. Let's move forward laymen, we should be ashamed of being so far behind with God's work.

Respectfully submitted,
Keith A. Arledge
Chairman Laymans Committee
Carolina Baptist Association
August 8, 1950

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Your committee on Resolutions recommend that the resolutions by Brother F. M. Huggins relating to extending the time of the association from one day to two, also the resolution relating to the change of personnel of the Executive Committee be not accepted at this time.

Resolved that this body express its appreciation by rising vote to the Dana Baptist for her splendid hospitality and the fine way in which we have been cared for today.

Victor Rector
N. B. Baldwin

The report was adopted with one change, that the Executive Committee shall consist of 12 members, six ministers, 3 laymen and 3 women, four of whom shall be elected for a one-year term, four for a two-year term, and four for a three-year term, and the associational officers as members ex-officio. (See Section 1, Article 11 of the Constituiton).

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER

Recommendation of committee: Time: Tuesday, August 7, 1951; Place: Refuge Baptist Church; Preacher: Rev. W. C. Huntley; Alternate: Rev. George Roberts.

Respectfully submitted,
F. M. Huggins
Ralph Banning
Jiles Hall

The report was adopted.

Rev. D. H. Daniels was elected Chairman of Evangelism for our Association.

The report on Periodicals by W. C. Huntley was adopted. Dr. L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the Recorder stated that 11 churches in the Carolina have Recorder Clubs. He urged the importance of getting the information of all our work to the largest number of people possible. The Recorder with more than 41,000 subscribers brings information and inspiration. He urged more and more churches to form clubs or place the Recorder in the church budget.

PERIODICALS

Of all the matter that is printed in books nothing is so interesting as the word of God.

It has traveled more roads, knocked on more doors, crossed more rivers, gone through more valleys, spoke to more hearts, stirred more souls, lifted more burdens than any other book on earth.

Our next most delightful reading is our literature that helps us with our Christian life.

We Baptists of North Carolina are proud of our periodicals. Our Biblical Recorder gives us views of the great work all over the State and its pictures of activities in our churches are of stirring interest.

Our Charity and Children brings to us articles of great interest. To be well informed of our orphanage it should be in every home. Home Life should be in every home. Many useful wholesome articles are in this magazine.

Then the Royal Service cannot be surpassed in its field for the W. M. U.

May we insist that this type of Literature be found in the homes instead of the kind that warps the mind and wrecks morals.

W. C. Huntley

The Historian's report was given by Rev. N. A. Melton and adopted by the body.

REPORT OF HISTORIAN

In the minutes previously printed may be found historical data of the earlier years of our association. In this brief report we wish to call attention to more recent events and trends in our Baptist life.

The economic conditions of our people have been greatly improved. Better methods of fruit growing and of truck farming have resulted in larger yields. Great industrial plants have been built within reach of our workers and good wages are paid. Tourists continue to come in large numbers. As a result of these things and others people have more money and live in better homes.

This increased prosperity in material things is reflected to some extent in church life. In recent years several of our churches have erected new buildings, and almost every church in the association has spent money on the church plant for repairs and painting, for the addition of Sunday school rooms and equipment, for heating plants or other improvements on buildings and grounds.

Also, in the matter of salaries paid to pastors there has been a steady increase for the past five years such that the minutes show that the amount paid in 1949 was about 65% above that paid in the year 1945. Many of our younger pastors are taking advantage of the opportunity for better preparation afforded in the preachers' school at Fruitland. We hope that our pastoral leadership is becoming more and more capable and efficient.

We note also that in recent years there the contributions to missions and benevolences have increased considerably. However, it seems that comparatively few people are measuring up to the Bible standard in the grace of liberality. All our churches need to stress continuously Bible teaching on stewardship and tithing.

Perhaps the most hopeful of all trends is the increased interest in evangelism. The number of conversions and baptisms is on the increase, and yet there are thousands of lost people all around us. More zeal and intelligent enthusiasm in winning the lost is of supreme importance.

Respectfully submitted,
N. A. Melton, Historian

The following report on the Baptist Hospital was given by Rev. Emery W. Nester and adopted.

HOSPITAL REPORT
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION 1949-1950

Continuing the ministry of medical help to the physical needs of mankind, the North Carolina Baptist Hospital has become a haven of hope for thousands of sick persons throughout this state. Feeling that this phase of Christian work is the will of God, and a vital part of the Baptist program, the hospital provides the highest type of medical service for the sick of all classes.

In the past year, 9,700 patients were cared for in the hospital, and 90,000 visits were made to the clinics for examination and treatment. About half of these were persons with little or no money; they were provided free professional care by doctors, and were given additional financial assistance with the cost of the service they received.

This free service was provided largely by our Mother's Day offerings which amounted to $128,900.00. Other assistance came from various health and welfare agencies, the Duke Endowment, and individual gifts. All this added together enabled the Hospital to provide free service amounting to $312,500.00, in addition to the work of the doctors. And yet, many could not be given as much financial assistance as they needed because the Hospital did not have sufficient funds.

We are happy to report that at this date the Mother's Day offerings this year are running ahead of those last year. The reports from the special offerings to raise $700,000.00 toward the building of the new South Wing to the Hospital are most encouraging. It looks now as if the full amount will be raised when all the churches have made their offerings and sent in the money. The 150 new beds this enlargement will provide will relieve the great shortage and enable the Hospital to admit the sick more promptly.

The School of Nursing is admitting one of the largest classes in its history and it looks as if it will be one of the best. It has applications from far more than it can accommodate. The Medical School has likewise had one of its best years.

The Department of Religion is growing and becoming more effective as a part of the life and work of the Hospital. Through the generous support of a friend another Chaplain is being added to the staff. The Department of Religion seeks through its ministry to help make the Baptist Hospital a genuinely Christian institution of healing and teaching.

We thank God for what has been accomplished this past year in our Baptist Hospital; but let us ever look forward, not being content with our accomplishments, but seeking the enlargement of our present plant and the establishment of other hospitals in different sections of the state.

Respectfully submitted,
Emery W. Nester

Hospital Chaplain, R. K. Young, was recognized and spoke of the work of the Hospital.

The Committee on Committees made report as follows which was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

STATE MISSION ..... Rev. W. F. Sinclair
HOME MISSION ..... Rev. O. J. Smith
FOREIGN MISSION ..... Rev. N. B. Phillips
MINISTERS RETIREMENT ..... Judge J. E. Shipman
ORPHANAGE ..... Mr. John A. Sinclair
TRAINING UNION ..... Rev. Howard Smith
SUNDAY SCHOOL ..... Mr. Roy Huggins
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION ..... D. A. Ward
TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS ..... Rev. A. V. Reese
PERIODICALS ..... Mr. C. F. Jervis
HOSPITAL ..... Rev. W. C. Huntley
W. M. U. ..... Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
OBITUARIES ..... Rev. Virgil D. Jones
HISTORIAN ..... Rev. N. A. Melton
LAYMAN WORD OR BROTHERHOOD ..... Mr. Keith Arledge
FINANCE COMMITTEE ..... M. K. Sinclair, Chairman, John Sinclair, Clyde Whitlock, Albert Hill, Finley Pace, Roy Huggins, M. L. Walker
MISSIONS COMMITTEE ..... C. E. Scarborough, Chairman, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, N. B. Phillips, D. H. Daniel, F. M. Huggins
PROGRAM COMMITTEE ..... Noah Hollowell, Chairman, T. G. Proctor, C. F. Jervis, M. L. Walker, Roy Campbell

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

One Year Term: W. C. Huntley, N. B. Baldwin, Mrs. F. M. Huggins, C. E. Scarborough.

Two Year Term: J. A. Anderson, T. G. Proctor, C. F. Jervis, Miss Myrtle Bennett.

Three Year Term: D. H. Daniels, N. B. Phillips, J. M. Huggins, Mrs. L. V. Lyda.

EVENING SESSION

The Evening Session was opened by singing "LEANING ON THE EVERLASTING ARMS." Scripture and prayer by Rev. George Roberts. Mr. Albert Hill, Vice-Moderator, presided.

The W. M. U. Hour was presented by Mrs. M. K. Sinclair. Rev. T. G. Proctor presented Rev. Bishop. R. A. Leader who brought a very inspiring message on BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE. Mrs. Sinclair read the report which was adopted by the body.

W. M. U. REPORT

With prayer and high aims we began our year's work. Our Leadership Conference was very gratifying. The faithful few seem to feel more deeply concerned and have faced the challenge that is before us, with more determination and courage, to go forward in His name. There is no other way to do a better and more telling work for Him.

Our Mission Study Institute certainly proved to be most helpful and we note progress has been made. More Mission Study classes were reported and more members reading mission books.

The Girls' Auxiliary coronation service was a real high light and inspiration. We noticed the interest that our girls are showing and realize how they are being trained to fill our places. Two queens were crowned, Mary Edith Bagwell and Donalee Mabry, both of First Baptist Church, East Flat Rock.

Our Royal Ambassadors have a most capable Counselor, Rev. T. G. Proctor. He is deeply interested in boys and has done much to encourage them in our special meetings and study courses.

More churches are reporting directed Community Mission work with special emphasis on soul winning. We sincerely hope that this is going to encourage our societies to enter prayerfully into all revival plans of Southern Baptists.

We commend the leader of our young people for having a Junior Girls' Auxiliary camp at Fruitland. This has met one of our most important needs.

It is very important that we keep informed. To encourage that feature, and to make it easy and possible to attend meetings where information is given, we chartered a bus and quite a number of our women attended the Annual Divisional meeting held in Waynesville.

Gifts through the Co-operative Program increased from quarter to quarter and we met our goal with 10% more in our gifts with a total of $5,082.35. Our special gifts of $2,262.05 made a total of $7,-344.44 for all causes sponsored.

We had two A1 organizations reported. We congratulate them —wish we had more who would do and give the best they have.

We have had an increase in new organizations which brings our total to 63, with a membership of 1,072 members. Along with these we have had more seasons of prayer reported as being observed.

When we think of what we have accomplished and compare it with the pressing needs—it seems so far below what we might have done in our service to Him who gave His all for us.

We sincerely hope, if we are allowed to live and labor another year, for Him, that our report one year hence will show progress along all of our work, because the Master has said "If I be lifted up from the earth I will draw all men unto me," John 12:32. That is our business. There is nothing else so timely, so important, so needful as telling out the GOOD NEWS about HIM. May we pray more, love more, serve better and not fail Him.

Respectfully submitted,
Mr.s M. K. Sinclair

The Training Union Report was read by Director O. J. Smith and adopted. Brother Smith presented State T. U. Secretary, Harvey T. Gibson who gave a wonderful message on Training Union Work. Special music was furnished by a group of Young People from Ridgecrest. Rev. Howard Smith, Director elect for the ensuing year was introduced and spoke briefly.

TRAINING UNION REPORT

The Training Union Department of the Carolina Association in its effort to promote a program for better training of church members has had a very successful year. Although this report can not carry with it the enthusiasm which has been in evidence throughout the associational year, we will try to bring to you a few of the highlights.

There have been seven churches in which Training Unions organized each having a large enrollment. Most of these have had a study course along with most every other church that has a Training Union.

We have had three mass meetings this year, one of which had over 500 in attendance. M night was held December 5, at the Calvary Baptist Church at which time Dr. J. R. Mosley brought us a very inspiring message on "Christ Is Perfect Everything." Our elimination program was held at the First Baptist Church of East Flat Rock on April 16 at which time representatives were selected to go to the Regional convention at Spruce Pine. Mrs. Robert Hefner was our Adult Scripture reader, Miss Joan Cagle, Young People representative, Miss Jean Bagwell the Intermediate contestant, Gloria Jane Floyd, Mary Alice Fetner, Pat Brown, our Junior Representatives. We were represented by two choirs, the Treble choir of Hendersonville and the youth choir of East Flat Rock, in the Hymn Festival.

These represented us at Spruce Pine and all were successful there but the better speaker.

There were five officers and planning meetings, two of which were supper meetings. These were well attended.

I wish to thank the associational officers of the Training Union for their cooperation, the Training Union directors, the associational missionary, the teachers which helped in the study course work and each and everyone that had a part in this great program to promote Christ's kingdom on earth.

Yours respectfully,
O. J. Smith

The report on Sunday Schools was read by Roy Huggins and adopted by the body.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

CAROLINA ASSOCIATIONAL MEETING WITH DANA BAPTIST CHURCH, AUGUST 8, 1950

As I review the Sunday School activities for the past year, I feel impressed to leave off the detail form of facts for a report and give some high lights of the year, plus stressing some of the real spirit and joy of Sunday School.

As we visualize the work one becomes enthused over the program "Into Every Church" with the 1950 Sunday School plans and challenges. Talking with superintendents, teachers, and leaders of their possibilities and growth through larger Sunday School enrollments, more people being saved and encouraged to a better way of life, it tends to generate enthusiasm in Christian experience.

Twenty-eight to thirty Vacation Bible Schools each year mean more young people learning the **True Word.** Average cost per pupil enrolled is about 6.4 cents. One church reported to us this year 29 professions of Faith during their Vacation Bible School. Is it worth the price?

In January each year the churches have been making a special study of a book in the Bible—Ephesians, John, this year the Book of Acts was studied with fine reports. On and on we could go citing you the spiritual high lights.

Let's pray for power, not relief; for strength, not ease; for opportunities, not closed doors. It has been well said, "MORE OF EVERYTHING THAT IS GOOD, more churches, more Sunday Schools, more B. T. U.'s, more W. M. U.'s, more Brotherhoods, more Training Schools, more Prayer Meetings. Let's open the church doors and keep them open.

Our theme for 1950 has been "TAKE YOUR FAMILY TO SUNDAY SCHOOL."

Respectfully submitted,
Roy Huggins

Brother Huggins presented Mr. C. F. Jervis, First Church, Hendersonville, who brought a challenging message on TAKE YOUR FAMILY TO SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The congregation joined in singing the old hymn "HE LEADETH ME." Prayer by Rev. Virgil Jones and the 74th session of CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION adjourned to meet with Upward Baptist Church, at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon, October 29, 1950.

M. L. Walker, Moderator
Roy D. Campbell, Clerk

OUR BELOVED DEAD

BALFOUR
Mrs. Essie Norwood
Mrs. Gordon Haney
Mr. J. W. Moody

BARKER HEIGHTS
Mrs. J. W. Ballard

BEULAH
Mrs. Solomon Cantrell
Mrs. Estell Blythe
Mr. R. S. Sentell

CROSS ROADS
Mr. J. R. Fortune

DANA
Mrs. B. P. Pace
Mrs. Lillie Ward

EAST FLAT ROCK
Mr. Thomas Benison
Mr. A. C. Justus
Mrs. Lucy McCall

EBENEZER
Mrs. R. B. Lane
Mrs. Jane Hudgin
Mr. J. B. Lancaster
Mr. William Masson
Mr. Gertis Holbert
Mrs. Joe Huggins

ETOWAH
Rev. Walter P. Holtzclaw

FLETCHER
Mr. J. E. Davis
Mr. W. M. Frady
Mrs. Mary Bishop
Mrs. Betty Davis

FRENCH BROAD

HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST
Mrs. Maria Huggins Blythe
Mr. John A. Gunter
Mrs. Herbert R. Justice
Mrs. Frank Douglas Hills
Mrs. Minnie Bradford
Mr. Columbus Morris
Mr. Andrew C. Gallamore
Miss Ava M. Clayton
Rev. August John Neilson
Mr. John S. Forrest
Mr. Jesse M. Shapherd
Mrs. Myrtle M. Merrill
Mr. Albert L. Beck (Deacon)
Mr. Andrew F. P. King

HOOPER'S CREEK
Mrs. Amanda Beddingfield

LIBERTY
Mr. Ray Owenbee

MILLS RIVER
Mrs. W. E. Field
Mr. Nathaniel Hall

MT. GILEAD
Miss Olive Lance

MTN. HOME
Mrs. Mebree Spicer

MT. MORIAH
G. V. Stepp
Pink Stepp

MTN. PAGE
Mr. J. T. L. Pace
Mr. Odell Coggins
Mr. R. P. Ward (Deacon)
Mrs. Rhete Hipp

MUD CREEK
Mr. Engle Hamilton
Mr. Freeman Pace
Mr. Fred Thomas

OAK GROVE
Mrs. Jim Dryman
Mrs. Viola Shipman

PACOLET
Mrs. Roxie Fisher
Mrs. W. W. Capps

PLEASANT GROVE
Mrs. Nettie Sitton

REFUGE
Mr. S. J. Collins
Mrs. Nancy Ann Justice
Mrs. Jane Tabor

SALUDA
Mr. N. R. Summery
Mr. A. J. Ballard
Mrs. Ida Pace Nix

SHAWS CREEK
Mrs. J. S. Bruce
Mr. Pinkney Pressley
Mr. W. A. Drake (Deacon)
Mr. J. W. Garren (Deacon)

TUXEDO
Mr. B. H. Hill

WEST HENDERSONVILLE
Mr. J. W. Brown (Deacon)

ZION HILL
Mr. G. C. Burrell
Mrs. D. E. Lindsey

SUGGESTED LIST OF ASSOCIATIONAL W. M. U.

OFFICERS 1950-1951

Superintendent ..... Mrs. M. K. Sinclair

Associate Superintendent ..... Mrs. M. L. Walker

Secretary & Treasurer ..... Msr. Fred Bowman

Assistant Secretary ..... Miss Martha Sinclair

Pianist ..... Mrs. Amos Bennett

Chorister ..... Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield

Young Peoples Director ..... Mrs. A. R. Karling

Royal Ambassador Counselor ..... Rev. T. G. Proctor

Mission Study Chairman ..... Mrs. J. C. Brown, Jr.

Community Missions Chairman ..... Mrs. Daniel Hart

Stewardship ..... Mrs. F. M. Huggins

Training School and Margaret Fund ..... Mrs. Fred Swift

Literature ..... Mrs. J. C. Canipe

Y. W. A. Leader ..... Mrs. Greenwood Bishop

Girls Auxiliary ..... Mrs. Annie May Parker

Sunbeams ..... Mrs. C. E. Scarborough

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE QUARTERLY MEETING

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Held with

GREEN RIVER BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, April 30, 1950

The quarterly meeting of the Association convened with Green River Baptist Church at 2:30 P. M. April 30, 1950. Don G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing, "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS". Scripture by Pastor, Virgil Jones. Prayer by N. B. Phillips.

After the roll call of churches business session was held and Moderator Walker appointed Rev. C. A. Scarborough, N. A. Melton and Mrs. M. K. Sinclair as Committee on Committees to make report at annual meeting at Dana, August 7th, 1950. A report from the Committee on Reception of New churches was presented by N. B. Phillips recommending Upward Baptist Church. Pastor Leo Bell with two members of the church were recognized and the body voted to receive then into the association. The next quarterly meeting was called off due to the Annual meeting (8 days later) at Dana. The next quarterly meeting will be held with Upward Baptist Church at 2:30 P. M. Sunday, October 29th, 1950. There were 21 pastors present and 28 churches represented.

Mrs. Howard Sitton spoke on Vacation Bible Schools and made a strong appeal for such schools. Roy D. Campbell spoke on the immediate needs of the Carolina Association and N. B. Phillips brought a very good message on the great need on evangelistic effort in every church in our association. The Appelman revival was discussed and all plans for such meeting was left for action by the Pastors Conference.

A trio brought special music "ONLY TO LIVE FOR JESUS" and the meeting adjourned.

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, EAST FLAT ROCK
June 16th, 1950

The W. M. U. of the Carolina Association met at East Flat Rock June 16, 1950. Hymn: "CHRIST FOR THE WORLD WE SING". Devotional by Rev. Roy D. Campbell. Special music Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield.

Greetings, Mrs. F. L. Satlz. Recognition of visitors.

Appointment of committees:

Time, Place: Mrs. Myrtle Bennett, Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Mrs. Eugenia Capps.

Marshall: Mrs. Eugenia Capps.

Resolutions: Mrs. I. B. Hughes, Mrs. H. M. Russ, Mrs. R. L. Savage.

Obituary: Mrs. Ann Bennett, Mrs. W. C. Huntley, Mrs. C. D. Pittilla.

Nominating Com.: Mrs. G. D. Wilkie, Mrs. Carl Cantrell, Mrs. Margaret Amadio, Mrs. Dewey Orr, Mrs. John B. Moore, Mrs. Joe Capps, Mrs. M. L. Walker.

Recognition of A 1 W. M. S.: First Church, Hendersonville.

Report of Association: Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Supt.

Report of Young People: Mrs. F. M. Huggins

Report of R. A. Counselor: Frank Neville

Report of Stewardship: Mrs. C. E. Scarborough

Roll Call of Churches: Ten churches reporting.

Mrs. C. E. Scarborbough, associational stewardship chairman, address:

"ABOUNDING IN THE GRACE OF GIVING".

Address by State Worker, Miss Laura Frances Snow.

"THE WORK OF THE LORD IN CHINA", Miss Lyda Green

Adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Devotion by Mary Edith Bagwell.

Special Music: Mrs. Manchester.

Community Missions: Mrs. D. B. Hart.

In the absence of Mrs. J. C. Canipe, Literature chairman a playlet was given by the Intermediate G. A.'s of Hendersonville.

Address THE WORK OF WINNING THE LOST by Dr. H. H. Stembridge.

Preparation for the work of the Lord was given by Mrs. O. J. Smith, Margaret Fund Chairman.

Report of Committees:

Nominating Comm.

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Supt.

Mrs. M. L. Walker, Asso. Supt.

Mrs. A. R. Karling, Young Peoples Leader

Rev. T. G. Proctor, R. A. Leader

Mrs. D. B. Hart, Community Mission Chairman.

Mrs. J. C. Brown, Mission Study

Mrs. Fred Swift, Margaret Fund and Training School Chrm.

Mrs. J. C. Canipe, Literature Chairman

Mrs. Fred Bowman, Secretary-Treasurer

Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield, member of Divisional Nominating Comm.

Dedicatory Prayer.

Closing message and prayer, Mrs. J. R. Morgan, Divisional Chairman.

QUARTERLY MEETING

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

EAST FLAT ROCK

OCTOBER 31, 1949

The quarterly session of the Carolina Association was opened by the moderator with a quartet from Mars Hill College singing "Wonderful Story of Love". Fred Poplin led the congregation in singing "Jesus Paid It All". F. M. Huggins led the congregation in a responsive reading of the scripture ,using John 3:14-20 and John 20:21.

At the roll call of the churches there were 24 churches present with 20 ministers.

In the business session the following associational officers made brief reports of the work; Roy Huggins, association Sunday School supt., O. J. Smith, Associational Baptist Training Union Director and Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Associational Women's Missionary Union Supt.

Albert Hill on the progress and organization for Christian Rural Overseas program. He stated that Henderson county plans to load at least one car of produce for the war ravaged countries. M. K. Sinclair gave report on the status of the association treasure.

Motion made and passed that we go to Etowah for the meeting in January.

E. V. Plemmons, Association Missionary gave a report of the past summers work and presented plans and objectives for the coming year. He suggested that a simultaneous effort be put forth to lead our people into a deeper understanding of the stewardship of life. He sugegsted a stewardship revival in our churches the first week in April, 1950. A motion was made that such a revival be held beginning April 2, 1950.

The congregation sang "I Am Bound For The Promised Land" after which J. D. Fraley, representative from the Thomasville Orphanage brought a very helpful and inspiring message on the work there. He gave three reasons why children had to be taken into an orphanage: (1) Death; (2) Sickness and disease; (3) Broken homes. He said we had to take them as they were and feed, clothe and shelter them, and give the best training possible which includes the following types of training: spiritual, mental and physical.

The session was closed with singing "Near The Cross" and W. C. Huntly leading the closing prayer.

QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION JANUARY 29, 1950

The session was opened with Junius Huggins leading the congregation in singing "Bringing in The Sheaves" and "Jesus Saves" with Mrs. John Sinclair at the piano.

A very inspiring devotion was given by Rev. Wade Sinclair, host pastor, using as his subject "Our Riches in Christ." Special music was given by the East Hendersonville quartet.

Dr. J. C. Canipe, Supt. of Evangelism for North Carolina spoke on "Our Objectives in the Simultaneous Crusade of Evangelism." He pointed out that our objectives were to (1) Challenge our churches to the task of winning the one and half million in N. C. and the thirty-five million in the Southern Baptist Convention to Christ. (2) To revitalize our churches, bring them to God's standard. (3) To bring the Kingdom of God to this earth.

He suggested two ways to reach our objective: (1) Individual evangelism. (2) Mass evangelism.

John Sinclair led in a very interesting discussion on doing the job of evangelizing the Carolina Association after which the East Hendersonville quartet favored the congregation with a beautiful rendition of "Behold Him Standing at The Door." During the business session Noah Hollowell, in the absence of Roy Huggins gave a report on Sunday School work in the association. O. J. Smith reported on Training Union work and Mrs. Huggins reported on the activities of the Women's Missionary Union. John Sinclair gave a report of the treasurer.

Motion was made and passed that we meet with the Green River church at the next meeting.

Motion was made, discussed and passed that the Carolina Association sponsor the Appleman revival in July with N. B. Phillips being elected to serve as Supt. of Evangelism for the Carolina Association.

Mrs. John Sinclair was nominated and elected to serve as pianist for the coming year.

The meeting was adjourned with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. Walker, Moderator

E. V. Plemmons, Clerk.

HISTORICAL TABLE

Carolina Baptist Association

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith			
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshu Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshu Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text. Gen. 35:34
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Saluda	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Fruitland	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Beulah	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Conner	J. T. Freeman	Hoopers Creek	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Riverside	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Fruitland	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Mt. Gilead	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	E. H'ville	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	T. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthorne	Salem	K. W. Cawthorne
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mt. Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	E. Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargent	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	E. Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Mrs. J. L. Redden	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Chas. Vause	H'ville 1st	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Fletcher and E. Flat Rock	W. W. Worley Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek and Refuge	O. M. Seigler B. G. Henry
1945	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Horse Shoe and Balfour	J. N. Shuford L. A. Erwin
1946	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Oak Grove	Wayne Peek
1947	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Mud Creek	Fred Poplin
1948	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	H'ville 1st	Ralph Banning
1949	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Valley Hill	C. E. Scarborough
1950	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Dana	D. H. Daniels

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A — CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location OC-V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS LOSSES: Baptisms	GAINS LOSSES: Letters and Other Additions	GAINS LOSSES: Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	Total Resident Members	Total Non-resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Revival Meetings Held	Special Information: Number Tithers	Special Information: State Paper in Budget	Special Information: No. Years Present Pastor Has Served	Special Information: Does Pastor Live On Church Field?
Balfour	V	1908	All	W. C. Huntley, Balfour	51	22	16			461	2			2	Yes
Barker Heights	V	1944	All	C. E. Haynes, 112 Stepp St., Hendersonville	4	11	16	127		127	1		No	3	Yes
Barnwell	R	1864	1,3	Oscar J. Smith, 105 Hall St., Hendersonville		1		10		15	1			1	No
Bat Cave	V	1892	All		1	3	3	71	51	122	1	1			No
Bear Wallow	C	1868	2,4	Howard Smith, R-2, Hendersonville	4	2	4	55	20	75	1	16	No		No
Berea															
Beulah	R		1,3	J. E. Blythe, R-3, Hendersonville	6	4	3			255	1			3	No
Broad River										44					
Cedar Springs	R		1,3,5	J. W. Jackson	2	1	3				1	6		2	No
Crab Creek															
Cross Roads	R	1912	2	J. E. Osteen, Hendersonville	9	5	9			127	1		No		No
Dana	R	1936	2	Roy D. Campbell, Hendersonville	2	18	5	90	30	120	1	23		1	Yes
Double Springs	R	1877	1,3	Z. V. Brookshire, Hendersonville		2		55	50	105				1	No
East Flat Rock	T	1911	2,4	N. B. Phillips, 1522, Hendersonville	16	14	12	292	23	315	1	30	No	24	Yes
Ebenezer			All	L. K. Holbert,	57	44	6			450	2			4	Yes
Etowah	R	1926	2,4,5	Wade F. Sniclair, R-1, Arden	7	7	3	141	60	207	1	7	No	3	No
Fletcher	V		2,4	T. S. Henderson, Fletcher	14	4	18	149	73	222	1	29	No	1	Yes
French Broad	R	1789	All	B. G. Henry, Box 449, Hendersonville		3	3	39	12	57			Yes	3	No
Friendship															
Fruitland	V	1875	2,4	N. A. Melton, Route 2, Hendersonville	22	15				190	2				Yes
Green River	R		All	Virgil D. Jones, P. O. Box 26, Balfour		4		91	22	117	1	16		1	No
Hendersonville															
Calvary															
First	C	1884	All	D. H. Daniels, 311 4th Ave. West, Hend'sonv'le	28	83	98	1190	438	1628	2	302	No	1	Yes

West Hendersonville	C	1936	All	W. R. Hester, Hendersonville	13	7	1			231	3	40		3	No
Holly Springs										124					
Hoopers Creek	R	1776	All	Odell Barnwell	20	29	20	223		223	2	20		2	
Horse Shoe	R	1888	3	Cecil A. Worsham, Fletcher	1	5	8			179	2		No	1	No
Jones Gap															
Laurel Springs															
Liberty	R		1	John T. Middleton, Fletcher	12		1			46					
Locust Grove															
Macedonia										99					
Middle Fork				Roscoe Huntley, Bear Wallow				25	27	52	1				
Mills River	R	1835	4	Zeno Green, Saluda		4	7	65	55	120		6	No	½	No
Mount Gilead	R	1883	All	W. F. Sinclair, Arden			8			205				4	
Mtn. Home	R	1892		William Jackson	47	2	12			285	1				No
Mt. Moriah	R	1896	1,3	R. A. Banning, Horse Shoe		4	9	151	90	241	1	10		1	No
Mt. Olivet															
Mtn. Page	R	1789	1,3	C. E. Blythe, Hendersonville	2		12			253	1		No	8	No
Mtn. View								75		75					
Mtn. Valley	R	1949	1,3	Cecil A. Worsham, Fletcher	11	5	1	23	4	27	1	11	No	1	No
Mt. Zion															
Mud Creek	R	1804	All	J. A. Anderson, Etowah	15	6	11	278	144	422	1	25	Yes	4	No
Naples	V	1942		N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock	14	12	6	69	61	130	2		No		
Oak Grove	R	1875	1,3	Dowell Brevard, Fletcher			4	75	75	150		10	No		No
Pacolet		1916	2,4	R. A. Banning, Horse Shoe	24	8	3			194	1			2	No
Pleasant Grove	R	1859	1,2,4	Albert Laughter, R-3, Hendersonville	2	4	4	54	117	171	1		No	3	No
Pleasant Hill	R	1880	1,3,5	John Middelton, Fletcher	22	5	1	90	42	159	1	2		3	No
Refuge	V	1837	All	Georga A. Roberts, R-1, Hendersonville	19	8	8			398	1	63	No	5	Yes
Saluda	T	1882	All	F. M. Huggins, Saluda	3	4	5	129	42	171	1	18	No	5	Yes
Shaws Creek	R	1881	All	T. G. Proctor, R-4, Hendersonville	11	8	14	152	18	170	1	20	No	5	Yes
Tryon First	T	1891	All	C. E. Scarborough, Tryon	14	13	10	295	24	315	1	16	Yes	3	Yes
Tryon Second	V	1924	1,3	Leonard Harrell,	6		6	40	34	74	2				No
Tuxedo	V	1910	4	Wayne Peek, Tuxedo			20	290	100	390	1	25	No	5	Yes
Valley Hill	R	1908	All	Jiles Hall, 310 Stap Rd., Hendersonville	12	6	12	215	122	337	1		No	2	Yes
Warrior Mtn.	R	1933	All	M. R. Earley, Saluda				30	20	50	1	2	No		
Zion Hill		1916	All	J. H. Starberry, Hendersonville	18	8	2			180	1		No		
Upward	V	1943	All	Leo Bell, Tuxedo	4	4	5	62		62	1	3	No		
Totals					509	385	389	4651	1754	9999	49	701			

TABLE B—THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL SUPERINTENDENT John E. Carter Granite Falls, N. C. SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT												V. B. S.	
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes and Departments	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance
Balfour	Raleigh Maxwell, Balfour			32	41	73	65	35	177		4	426	270	186	155
Barker Heights	Quay Nelson, Box 401 Barker Ave., Hendersonville		13	8	20	25	35	30	30			161	85	87	63
Barnwell	Mrs. Grace F. Simth, 705 Hall St., Hendersonville	11		8	8	10	7	3	11			58			
Bat Cave	G. V. Freeman, Jr., Bat Cave			13	12	12	13		40			90	60	40	32
Bear Wallow	Clinton P. Merrell, Gerton			6		6		17	24			51	30		
Berea															
Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, R-3, Hendersonville			16	15	25		50	45			151	90		
Broad River															
Cedar Springs	Grover Beddingfield, R-1, Zirconia												49		
Crab Creek															
Cross Roads	Mrs. C. L. Osteen, Zirconia			10		5		22	24		7	68	50		
Dana	R. N. Haleztine, Hendersonville	10		16	3	7	13	8	18		4	82	54	39	34
Double Springs															
East Flat Rock	Rafe F. Lockaby, Hendersonville			54	46	41	63	123	81		3	411	232	93	65
Ebenezer	Alten Stepp, Hendersonville			30	38	30	45	52	65			267	238		
Etowah	Garland Jones, R-1, Horse Shoe		8	23	20	15	27	30	43			166	90	92	80
Fletcher	H. A. Garren, Fletcher			20	25	30	32	23	45		4	179	109	103	91
French Broad	R. M. Penson, Haywood Rd., Hendersonville			8	10		6		15			39	20		
Friendship															
Fruitland	Howard Pryor, R-2, Hendersonville	15	4	6	14	22	13	11	80			170	96	81	69
Green River	Glenn Pace, R-1, Flat Rock	5		14	6	6	18		67			116	85	56	45
Hendersonville															
Calvary															
First	C. F. Jervis, 317 Ehringhaus, Hendersonville	80	59	60	98	96	108	117	385	100	8	1111	484		

West Hendersonville	John Rollins, Hendersonville			25	15	25	30	20	46		3	165	125	67	40
Holly Springs															
Hoopers Creek	Pharis Beddingfield, Fletcher			48		39	36	43	67			234	154		
Horse Shoe	L. A. Norton, R-4, Hendersonville			28	28	18	22	48	17			161	111	113	86
Jones Gap															
Laurel Springs															
Liberty															
Locust Grove															
Macedonia															
Middle Fork	Edward Huntley, Bear Wallow			12		9		12	14			52	20		
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe	15		10	6	10	15	6	30			92	39		
Mount Gilead	C. C. Ballard, Fletcher			10	20	10	30	20	44		3	137	75		
Mtn. Home	Loyde C. Laughter, Edneyville			20	25	30	35	30	30		1	171	99	65	50
Mt. Moriah	Clannie Laughter, Edneyville			12	15	25	15	25	40		3	122	85	95	85
Mt. Olivet															
Mtn. Page	Willard Bell, Saluda		12	10	10	15	20	32	50		1	150	68	62	54
Mtn. Valley															
Mtn. View	Glen Laughter, R-1, Hendersonville			18		12	21		32			83	45	54	42
Mt. Zion															
Mud Creek	Arthur Freeman, 823 Teman, Hendersonville	8	29	23	48	43	32	95	44	20	10	352	160	111	100
Naples	V. P. Orr, Mountain Home	10	5	22	15	31	25	31	86		2	127	110	41	34
Oak Grove	Vincent Cable, R-1, Hendersonville			18			15	20	20			105	60		
Pacolet	Elmer Morgan, Lynn											135	105		
Pleasant Grove	Merrimon Shuford, Penrose			12		10	20	20	10			72	50		
Pleasant Hill	Mary Freeman, Hendersonville	15		15	15	20	15	25	35		9	149	111	40	30
Refuge	W. J. Ballard, R-1, Flat Rock		6	22	24	47	57	72	53		3	283	179	103	88
Saluda	W. J. Egerton, Saluda			22	12	16	22	37	24			133	69	68	58
Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, R-4, Hendersonville		8	12	17	25	18	26	51	2	16	175	95	56	54
Tryon First	Laxton Hamrick, Box 1203, Tryon	10	29	24	22	36	24	16	91	10	3	265		85	65
Tryon Second															
Tuxedo	Mr. J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo			22	16	31	30	55	85	5	5	249	119		
Valley Hill	M. J. Banning, R-3, Hendersonville			17	30	27	21	15	125			235	150	105	100
Warrior Mtn.	Phelix Hipp, R-1, Saluda			5	4	8			13		1	30	20		
Zion Hill	Roy Burrell, Zirconia	8		15		12		24	22		7	98	100		
Upward	Robert Burroughs			10		21		15	12		2	60			
Totals		187	175	774	678	928	948	1204	2191	137	99	7381	4191	1842	1520

TABLE C TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	No. Nursery Units	No. Beginner Units	No. Primary Units	No. Junior Units	No. Intermediate Units	No. Young People Units	Adult Units	Total Number Unions	Nursery Enrolled	Beginners Enrolled	Primaries Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Adults Enrolled	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Averags Attendance
Balfour	Carl Hammond, Balfour			1	1	1	1	1	5			10	12	20	18	21	2	83	54
Barker Heights	Mrs. Maude Haynes, 112 Stepp St., Hendersonville			1	1	1	1	1	5			5	7	15	8	10	7	52	35
Barnwell																			
Bat Cave																			
Bear Wallow																			
Berea																			
Beulah																			
Broad River																			
Cedar Springs																			
Crab Creek																			
Cross Roads																			
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, R-1, Flat Rock		1		1	1	1	1	5	10	5		8	6	11	22	3	65	
Double Springs																			
East Flat Rock	Dan Pace, East Flat Rock			1	1		1	1	4			5	10		20	25	3	63	45
Ebenezer																			
Etowah	Miss Marilyn Brewe, Etowah		1		1	1	1	1	5		5		13	10	12	4		44	
Fletcher	Mrs. Tom Whitaker, Fletcher				1	1	1	1	4	3	2	7	8	15	4	18	4	61	35
French Broad																			
Friendship																			
Fruitland	J. M. Huggins, R-1, Hendersonville			1	1	1	1	1	5	2	3	3	11	20	11	18	8	76	50
Green River																			
Hendersonville																			
Calvary																			
First	Keith A. Arledge, 1307 Hyman Ave., Hendersonville		1		4	4	3	2	14		21		46	51	56	35	5	214	123

West Hendersonvi																						
Holly Springs																						
Hoopers Creek																						
Horse Shoe																						
Laurel Springs																						
Liberty																						
Locust																						
Macedonia																						
Middle Fork																						
Mills River			1		1		1		3		6		9		19				34	30		
Mount Gilead																						
Mtn. Home	Loyde C. Laughter, Edneyville		1	1	2	1		1	6		12		29	20		17	6		84	45		
Mt. Moriah	Foy Hill, Edneyville		1		1		1	1	4		17		16		27	14	7		81	40		
Mt. Olivet																						
Mtn. Page																						
Mtn. Valley																						
Mtn. View																						
Mt. Zion																						
Mud Creek	Clayton Croom, R-3, Hendersonville			1	1	1	1	1	5			10	12	10	15	16			63	57		
Naples	Walter Davis, Naples	1			1	1	1	1	5	12			12	14	15	14	2		69	37		
Oak Grove																						
Pacolet																						
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Earl Gray, Etowah				1	2	2		3				12	17	14		5		48	31		
Pleasant Hill	Henry Ivester, Hendersonville				1	1	1	1	4				15	20	20	15	5		75	40		
Refuge	Grady Walker, Sr., Hendersonville		1		1	1	2	1	6		10		14	7	29	10	4		74	63		
Saluda	Clyde Whitlock, Saluda				1	1		1	3				6			19			25			
Shaws Creek	Harvey Drake, R-4, Hendersonville		1		1	1	1	1	5		6		10	14	14	25			65	55		
Tryon First	Fred Powell, Tryon				1	1	1						12	14	9		3		38	29		
Tryon Second					1		1		2				25		25				50			
Tuxedo	Mrs. H. J. Linsey			1	1	1	1		4			5	12	15	14		8		59	44		
Valley Hill	Mrs. Delano McCall, Hendersonville				1	1	1	1	4				18	26	24	29			97	46		
Warrior Mtn.																						
Zion Hill																						
Totals		1	7	7	26	22	24	17	101	27	89	45	317	294	353	312	72	1520	864			

TABLE D WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	W.M.S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	R. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	R. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Enrolled in Mission Study	Total Tithers All Organizations
Balfour	Mrs. John Freeman, Balfour	1	1	2	1		5	21	21	25	4		71		
Barker Heights															
Barnwell															
Bat Cave															
Bear Wallow															16
Berea															
Beulah															
Broad River															
Cedar Springs															
Crab Creek															
Cross Roads															
Dana	Mrs. J. C. Brown, Mountain Home	1	1	1	1	1	5	14	6	6	5	6	37	66	15
Double Springs															
East Flat Rock	Mrs. D. G. Wilkie, Hendersonville	1	1	2	1	1	6	20	12	38	15	22	107	100	80
Ebenezer															
Etowah	Mrs. J. W. Sumner, Etowah	1				1	2	28				12	40	11	7
Fletcher	Mrs. N. B. Baldwin, Fletcher	1			1		2	16			20		36		29
French Broad															
Friendship	Mrs. A. A. Prestwood, R-1, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	1	5	23	6	12	14	20	75	50	25
Fruitland															
Green River															
Hendersonville															
Calvary															
First		1	1	2	2	1	7	215	11	28	21	50	325	373	113

West Hendersonville																		
Holly Springs																		
Hoopers Creek																		
Horse Shoe																		
Jones Gap																		
Laurel Springs																		
Liberty																		
Locust Grove																		
Macedonia																		
Middle Fork																		
Mills River																		
Mount Gilead																		
Mtn. Home																		
Mt. Moriah	Mrs. Albert Hill, Edneyville	1		1	1		3	20		11	11		42					
Mt. Olivet																		
Mtn. Page																		
Mtn. Valley																		
Mtn. View																		
Mt. Zion																		
Mud Creek	Mrs. Juanita Justus, R-3, Hendersonville	1		2	2	1	6	33		16	18	20	87					
Naples	Mrs. Spurgeon Williams, Mtn. Home	1					1	16					16	16				
Oak Grove																		
Pacolet																		
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lathe Williams, R-4, Hendersonville	1					1	9					9					
Pleasant Hill																		
Refuge	Mrs. Carl Garrett, R-1, Flat Rock	2	1	2	2	1	8	39	15	45	27	31	157	35	56			
Saluda	Mrs. W. G. Egerton, Saluda	1		2		1	4	19		15		12	46	40	7			
Shaws Creek	Mrs. G. H. Orr, R-4, Hendersonville	1		1	1	1	4	13		16	16	11	56					
Tryon First	Mrs. Fred Owen, Tryon	2		1		1	4	50		8		15	73	20	15			
Tryon Second																		
Tuxedo	Eugeina Copps, Tuxedo	2	1	2		1	6	27	12	12		12	63	7	11			
Valley Hill																		
Warrior Mtn.																		
Zion Hill																		
Totals		18	7	19	13	11	69	561	75	232	151	211	1240	702	374			

TABLE E BROTHERHOOD WORK—BUILDING—GOALS

CHURCHES	PRESIDENT'S OF MEN'S BROTHERHOOD AND ADDRESSES	Brotherhood		Building		Goals	
		Enrolment of Brotherhood	Meetings Held During Year	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Goal Co-operative Program or Unified Budget New Year	Goal Association Missions Coming Year
Balfour				10000.00	25000.00	350.00	143.00
Barker Heights					12000.00		
Barnwell					500.00		
Bat Cave							
Bear Wallow					3800.00	45.00	5.00
Berea							
Beulah							
Broad River							
Cedar Springs	Herbert Pace, R-1, Hendersonville						
Crab Creek							
Cross Roads							
Dana		8	11	10000.00	35000.00	10%	3%
Double Springs							
East Flat Rock					125000.00	2120.00	120.00
Ebenezer							
Etowah					10000.00		
Fletcher				5000.00	25000.00		50.00
French Broad					20000.00		
Friendship							
Fruitland					25000.00		
Green River	H. L. F. Drake, R-1, Hendersonville				6000.00		
Hendersonville							
Calvary							
First		150	1	15000.00	300000.00	16000.	600

West Hendersonville							
Holly Springs							
Hoopers Creek					20000.00		
Horse Shoe					23000.00		60.00
Jones Gap							
Laurel Springs							
Liberty							
Locust Grove							
Macedonia							
Middle Fork							
Mills River					2000.00	100.00	25.00
Mount Gilead					8000.00		
Mtn. Home					7300.00		
Mt. Moriah							
Mt. Olivet							
Mtn. Page					5000.00		
Mtn. Valley							
Mtn. View					2000.00		
Mt. Zion							
Mud Creek					11000.00		
Naples					7000.00		
Oak Grove					6000.00		
Pacolet					4000.00	25.00	
Pleasant Grove							
Pleasant Hill							
Refuge					30000.00		50.00
Saluda				5000.00	8000.00		
Shaws Creek	Claude Drake, 116-6th Ave. W., Hendersonville	35	7		10000.00		
Tryon First	Robert Millikew, Tryon	30	12	10000.00	35000.	600.00	200.
Tryon Second							
Tuxedo					35000.00		
Valley Hill				10000.00	25000.00		
Warrior Mtn.							
Zion Hill			1		4500.00		
Upward					10000.00		
Totals		223	32	65000.00	840100.00		

TABLE F—CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Money Borrowed, Sale of Property, etc.	All Other Receipts Through All Organizations for Year	Total Salaries (Do Not Include Pastor's Salary Here)	Maintenance, Insurance	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary	Grand Total Local Expense
Balfour	D. R. Lyda, R-2, Hendersonville		8666.00	240.00	1138.70	279.15	400.52	1006.50	667.31		747.84	4480.02	2860.00	7340.02
Barker Heights	Dorothy Walker, Box 752, Hendersonville		3035.83	120.00	138.00		119.32		71.10	680.42	15.25	1072.79	1862.22	3006.31
Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell		261.29		38.67		28.20	6.00			20.25	93.12	114.68	207.80
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave				333.75		61.01	150.00	57.00		92.46	698.22	479.91	1178.13
Bear Wallow	Ruth Merrell, Gerton		1341.37				49.19	33.00	96.05		131.65	309.89	456.11	766.00
Berea														
Beulah	C. G. Thornto, R-3, Hendersonville		1321.62	72.00			105.00				41.36	218.46	660.81	879.27
Broad River														
Cedar Springs	Sam Capps, R-1, Zirconia			6.00	11.46	208.50	110.00		50.00				850.00	
Crab Creek														
Cross Roads	M. L. Jones, Zirconia						75.19	35.80	89.34			200.33	420.61	620.94
Dana	W. T. Willis, R-2, Hendersonville		3703.46	220.50	337.94		180.44	122.44	913.40		377.29	2151.51	895.79	3047.30
Double Springs	Mrs. Elbert Peace												350.00	
East Flat Rock	Hugh D. Morrison, Hendersonville		13294.13	300.00	426.47		675.56	227.00	216.00	6278.68	60.00	8183.71	1800.00	9983.71
Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Hendersonville			402.00	48.33	82.12	367.54				367.00		3377.92	4644.91
Etowah	R. N. Sentelle, Etowah		2803.48	153.00	173.56		149.12		50.00	91.65	305.87	923.20	935.00	1858.20
Fletcher	Mrs. Tom Riddle, Fletcher		697.51	72.00		1033.65	153.95	114.42	101.88		1509.24	2985.14	1280.00	4265.14
French Broad	W. S. Henderson, Hendersonville		2510.53		54.62	485.02	37.79	39.00		554.10	80.00	1310.53	1200.00	2450.53
Friendship														
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, R-2, Hendersonville		5217.62		460.00		259.20		226.25	1565.00	190.34	2700.79	1205.00	3905.79
Green River	Henry Beddingfield, Zirconia			20.00	99.36	66.56	140.00		88.69			414.61	1200.00	1614.61
Hendersonville	Mrs. John Rollins, Hendersonville				22.89		178.68	322.45	471.50	570.00	356.57	1922.09	3120.00	5042.09
Calvary														
First	Francis Drake, Hendersonville	66150.00	73021.42	8032.55	1938.66		2510.63	651.69	1013.66		3967.40	18114.59	6000.00	24114.59

West Hendersonville															
Holly Springs															
Hoopers Creek	Horace Burwell, Fletcher		4095.66	300.00	72.00	438.00	148.98	313.35	426.05			1701.38	1870.23	3571.61
Horse Shoe	Falcom Davenport, Horse Shoe		2870.14	170.00	144.02	40.00	138.18		204.85	307.50	590.58	1595.13	1100.00	2695.13
Jones Gap															
Laurel Springs															
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville					35.00	7.00	17.00	50.00			109.00	104.00	213.60
Locust Grove															
Macedonia															
Middle Fork	Mrs. S. L. Hill, Bear Wallow					200.00	36.00		38.00			274.00	425.36	699.36
Mills River	Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe		1221.87		202.84	6.87	62.20		108.76		30.00	410.67	252.65	663.32
Mount Gilead	E. L. Lanning, Fletcher						50.63	49.26		560.00	235.39	895.28	1856.00	2751.28
Mtn. Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville				308.32		25.60		148.79	500.00		962.71	348.97	1311.68
Mt. Moriah	V. A. Gilbert, P.O. Box 1340, Hendersonvil		2243.44	84.00	1089.11		121.95	23.71			91.40	1410.17	756.02	2166.19
Mt. Olivet															
Mtn. Page	W. L. Davis, Saluda			46.00	24.30		82.16	29.46			9.80	191.72	428.35	620.07
Mtn. Valley															
Mtn. View	George Erwin, Balfour		1375.00	25.00		233.00	133.90	9.00	40.75		73.21	304.66	420.04	724.70
Mt. Zion															
Mud Creek	Mrs. Lula Kent, R-3, Hendersonville			204.00	627.05		428.54	122.10	148.13		350.30	1876.13	2692.05	4568.18
Naples	Spurgeon Williams, Mtn. Home		2179.31	150.00		1434.58	123.35	43.82	66.89			2601.05		3261.82
Oak Grove	Francis Mintz, R-1, E. Flat Rock		1357.00	125.00	60.00	512.00	48.00				25.00	770.00	520.00	1290.00
Pacolet	W. K. Ross, Lynn						88.08	289.30			592.72	970.40	1200.00	2170.10
Pleasant Grove	Hubert Rowan, R-4, Hendersonville		852.62	66.00	42.50	459.16	37.05	207.21			38.99	1068.41	520.71	1589.12
Pleasant Hill	Porter Sosebee, Hendersonville					1644.00	121.00		80.00			1845.00	556.08	2406.08
Refuge	Carroll Lamb, Box 706, Hendersonville		6516.92	480.00	370.36	2050.99	283.92	457.49	30.26		311.84	3984.86	2208.78	6193.64
Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda			35.00	221.62	249.62	335.80	65.63	140.00		286.10	1333.77	1525.00	2858.77
Shaws Creek	J. L. Nanney, 5th Ave. W., Hendersonville			443.30	420.12	345.00	336.04	81.46	121.87		161.18	1908.97	3147.84	5051.81
Tryon First	Mrs. R. E. Brontley, Tryon		9856.82	510.00	1154.11		748.48		298.76		1891.36	4602.71	3600.00	8202.71
Tryon Second	Thomas Metcalf, Tryon			280.00	12600.75		94.14		80.00	858.43	325.39	14248.71	1040.00	15288.71
Tuxedo	Mrs. H. J. Lindsey, Tuxedo		7200.85	403.25	97.00	88.47	252.30	338.50	300.00	1450.06	354.19	2880.52	2860.00	5740.52
Valley Hill	Clinton S. Smith, 316 White Pine, H'ville		6657.03	300.00	660.36		291.37	130.58	250.00	806.00	321.39	2769.70	2799.75	5569.45
Warrior Mtn.	Mildred Hipp, Saluda		154.18			75.00	15.00	15.00				125.00	125.00	250.00
Zion Hill	Mrs. Nora Anders, Zirconia		128.91		616.00		2880.00	1100.00	1130.00	110.00	160.00	55.00	125.00	2436.71
Upward	Robert Burroughs, Flat Rock		598.00		38.00		50.00		30.00			118.00	480.00	598.00
Totals		66150.00	65195.01	13239.60	24170.87	9966.69	9354.11	4902.17	6639.50	14331.84	14111.36	94792.95	54629.88	57817.90

TABLE G—GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Relief and Annuity, Relief, etc.	Total Expenditure for Missions	Grand Total Expenditure for All Purposes	Total Church Debt At End of Year
Balfour	Woodrow Bentley, Balfour	250.00	143.00	100.00	126.00	267.31	63.86	349.06	100.00		1399.23	8739.25	
Barker Heights	Mrs. Quay Nelson, 401 Barker Ave., H'ville			14.22				122.40	65.00		201.62	3136.83	587.41
Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, R-1, Hendersonville		4.00			17.15		15.00	27.50		63.65	271.45	
Bat Cave	Mrs. Carrie F. Cannon, Bat Cave	120.93	32.00		36.00			207.54	94.06	150.00	640.53	1818.66	
Bear Wallow	Mrs. Modeen Bradley, Gerton	56.60	22.81				33.77	72.21	46.16		231.55	997.55	
Berea													
Beulah	C. G. Thornton, R-3, Hendersonville	69.81						69.81	18.50			1037.29	
Broad River													
Cedar Springs	Fred Ward, R-1, Zirconia							32.08	6.10				
Crab Creek													
Cross Roads	Sue Jones, Zirconia							33.65	6.50		40.15	661.09	
Dana	Roy F. Saltz, Hendersonville	290.63		24.42	38.40	148.18		130.14	47.00	115.16	793.93	3841.23	118.76
Double Springs	Mrs. Elbert Peace, Zirconia												
East Flat Rock	Broadus Phillips, East Flat Rock	129.86	115.00	224.10	221.78	274.50		1276.00	933.33	74.40	3249.00	13232.48	9355.30
Ebenezer	B. C. Marlowe, Hendersonville			83.00				219.60	32.67	30.74		5025.91	
Etowah	Mrs. W. A. Morgan, R-1, Hendersonville	24.66	35.00	105.55	38.83	22.50		541.15	123.87	53.72	945.28	2803.48	
Fletcher	Mrs. Ruby Garren, Fletcher	7.50	35.00		68.92			82.27	124.33	39.25	357.37	4697.51	842.65
French Broad	Mrs. W. A. Egerton, 3rd Ave. West, H'ville							60.00				2510.33	560.31
Friendship													
Fruitland	A. B. Pittillo, R-2, Hendersonville	101.33	50.00	68.85	52.00	150.61	100.00	630.54	63.00	95.50	1311.83	5217.62	
Green River	Garland Levi, R-1, Zirconia				16.65	335.35		44.03		34.10	430.10	2044.71	
Hendersonville, First	F. D. Hills, 1615 Druid Hills Ave., H'ville	7758.30	450.00	160.00	285.00	443.21	2000.00	881.27	711.46	160.08	12849.32	36963.91	

Calvary														
West H'ville	W. A. Pressley, Hendersonville					300.00		174.00	50.00		424.00	566.09	412.13
Holly Springs														
Hoopers Creek	Mrs. U. M. Wilkie, Fletcher		23.23	14.00				104.36			141.59	3854.70		
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Oscar Petit, R-5, Hendersonville	18.44	59.25					165.00	50.00	151.61	444.30	3349.43		
Jones Gap														
Laurel Springs														
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville								10.00				223.60	
Locust Grove														
Macedonia														
Middle Fork	W. D. Winters, Bear Wallow							12.50	20.00	106.20	138.70	825.56		
Mills River	G. C. Field, Horse Shoe	100.00	20.00	20.63	10.00	21.24	100.00	221.36	45.32	20.00	558.55	1221.87		
Mount Gilead	Ray M. Crawford, Horse Shoe		5.00					29.87	16.50		51.37	2802.65		
Mtn. Home	Roland Jones, Edneyville									40.00	40.00	1351.16		
Mt. Moriah	Mrs. J. O. Byers, R-1, Hendersonville	39.40	23.71	21.08		13.91			18.55		77.25	2243.44		
Mt. Olivet														
Mtn. Page	W. L. Davis, Saluda	6.50	5.00					62.59	6.00		80.09	780.25		
Mtn. Valley														
Mtn. View	Mrs. George Erwin, Balfour	5.00		15.13		10.66		15.00			45.79	770.49		
Mt. Zion														
Mud Creek	Clayton Croom, R-3, Hendersonville	563.00	287.87	48.52	107.75	70.70	59.00	430.31	86.82		1654.09	6222.27		
Naples	Elmo Orr, Mtn. Home	82.72	30.00					48.08			159.80	3421.62		
Oak Grove	S. L. Crisp, R-1, Flat Rock							42.00	25.00		62.00	1357.00		
Pacolet	W. K. Ross, Lynn	25.00						60.00	75.00	160.00				
Pleasant Grove	Charles Morgan, R-4, Hendersonville	10.00	5.00			5.00		91.82	12.90		124.72	1713.84		
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Ross Sosebee, Hendersonville			5.00	5.00			25.00	21.50		56.50	2457.58		
Refuge	Bessie Marshall, R-1, Hendersonville	89.51	50.00	19.00	26.02	33.00		52.75	29.00	24.00	323.28	6516.92		
Saluda	Mrs. E. B. Hall, Saluda	274.97	85.00	50.98	55.75	108.58	100.00	360.01	152.07	7.00	1194.36	4053.13		
Shaws Creek	Troy A. Drake, R-4, Hendersonville	192.74	72.95	17.58	17.05	46.98		41.40	62.37		438.75	5507.68		
Tryon First	Mrs. Elbert Arlege, Tryon	754.62	177.00	23.26	51.25	26.25	300.00	96.53	124.67	31.78	1585.34	9788.05		
Tryon Second	William Whitmire, P. O. Box 341, Tryon		3.00			200.00			56.33			14498.04	4821.23	
Tuxedo	W. J. Lewis, Tuxedo	1000.00	143.00					41.59		442.73	1627.22	7367.74	1000.00	
Valley Hill	Glenn B. Summey, 115 School St., H'ville	89.36	100.00		150.00			317.22	28.00	405.00	1089.58	6657.03	2475.65	
Warrior Mtn.	Phelix Hipp, Saluda											250.00		
Zion Hill	A. E. Taylor, Zirconia							50.00	50.00		100.00	2536.71	438.40	
Upward	Fred E. Lively											598.00		
Totals		12060.88	1976.92	1005.32	1306.40	2495.13	2831.63	7208.26	3330.18	2141.27	32930.61	88710.75	20825.44	

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ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS

Pastors Conference—The ministers of the association meet each Monday at the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville. This meeting comes at 10:00 A. M.

2. Each fifth Sunday the Association meets at some designated church at 2:30 P. M. and adjourns at 4:00 P. M.

3. Sunday School meetings will be announced by the Superintendent.

4. The Training Union meeting will be announced by the director.

5. The annual meeting of the W. M. N. will be held with Fruitland Baptist Church in April.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

The Fruitland Baptist Assembly is located six miles from Hendersonville and is in session from June 1 through August 31. Rev. B. G. Henry, Hendersonville, N. C. is business manager.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE

Located at the Fruitland Assembly is the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, a preachers' school conducted each year, in three six-weeks terms, October through March, under the direction of Dr. J. C. Canipe, President and State Secretary of Evangelism.

CAROLINA BAPTIST OFFICE

The Carolina Baptist Office is located in room 8, Hunter Building, Hendersonville, Phone 4274. Rev. Roy D. Campbell, Associational Missionary, can be contacted at this address. You are invited to this office and will always find a hearty welcome. Residential telephone is 3694 and post office box is 925.

ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

Moderator, M. L. Walker.....Hendersonville
Vice-Moderator, Albert Hill.....Edneyville
Clerk, Roy D. Campbell.....Box 925, Hendersonville
Treasurer, M. K. Sinclair.....East Flat Rock
Historian, N. A. Melton.....R-2, Hendersonville
Sunday Schol Superintendent, Roy Huggins.....Hendersonville
B. T. U. Director, Mrs. Junius Huggins.....R-2, Hendersonville
W. M. U. Superintendent, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair.....East Flat Rock

MINISTERS CONFERENCE

President, Rev. W. C. Huntley.....Balfour
Vice-President, Rev. Vilas Minton.....Fletcher
Secretary, Roy D. Campbell.....Hendersonville

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Superintendent, Roy Huggins.....Hendersonville
Associate Supt. in charge of Training,
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Evangelism,
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Enlargement,
Asso. Supt in Charge of Vacation Bible Schools, Mrs. H. Sitton
Secretary-Treasurer, Rachel Kuykendall,.....Box 1041, Hendersonville
Pianist,
Chorister,

ASSOCIATIONAL TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

Director, Mrs. Junius Huggins.....R-2, Hendersonville
Associate Director, James Brown.....Hilgirt
Sec.-Treas., U. S. Grant..... Old Sptg. Rd., Hendersonville
Chorister, Junius Huggins.....R-2, Hendersonville
Pianist, Miss Loretta Smith.....Gerton
Adult Leader, Mrs. Louise Pittello..... R-2, Hendersonville
Young People, Frank Neville.....Kanuga, Hendersonville
Intermediate Leader, Mrs. L. V. Lyda..... Hendersonville
Junior Leader, Mrs. Fred Swift.....Hendersonville
Story Hour—Mrs. James Brown.....Hilgirt
Group Directors: Albert Hill.....Edneyville
Lee Moore.....Arden
Clayton Croom.....R-3, Hendersonville
Carson Lewis.....Tuxedo
Clyde Whitlock.....Hendersonville
D. G. Wilkie.....East Flat Rock

STANDING COMMITTEES

State Mission..... V. D. Minton
Home Missions..... William Keen
Foreign Missions..... Allard Garren
Ministers Retirement..... J. E. Shipman
Orphanage..... W. M. Huntley
B.T.U..... Mrs. J. M. Huggins
Sunday Schools..... Roy Huggins
Christian Education..... C. F. Jervis
Temperance and Public Morals..... N. B. Phillips
Periodicals..... F. M. Huggins
Hospital..... N. A. Melton
W.M.U..... Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
Obituaries..... W. F. Sinclair
Historian..... N. A. Melton
Brotherhood..... Keith Arledge
Finance Committee..... M. K. Sinclair, Chm., John Sinclair, Roy Huggins, M. L. Walker, Albert Hill
Program Committee..... Noah Hollowell Chm., William Keen, C. F. Jervis, F. D. Hills, Roy D. Campbell
Executive Committee—One year term.. J. A. Anderson, T. G. Proctor, C. F. Jervis, Miss Myrtle Bennett
Two year term.....N. B. Phillips, J. N. Huggins, A. V. Reese, Mrs. L. V. Lyda
Thre year term.....N. A. Melton, F. M. Huggins, Mrs. M. L. Walker, John Sinclair

ORDAINED MINISTERS WHO ARE NOT PASTORS

Burrell, C. P.	Tryon
Bunday, Stewart	Bob Jones University
Cable, Vincent	Flat Rock
Campbell, Roy D.	8 Hunter Building, Hendersonville
Canipe, Dr. J. C.	417 3rd Ave. W., Hendersonville
Cessna, Robert M.	California
Corn, Edward	Tuxedo
Corn, Quay	R-2, Hendersonville
Crawford, Jerry M.	Arden
Davis, W. H.	Hendersonville
Edney, Arnold	Flat Rock
Field, William A.	Horse Shoe
Gibbs, Perry	Hendersonville
Greene, J. H.	
Hern, Henry O.	Mountain Home
Hollingsworth, Bobo	R-4, Hendersonville
Jackson, Ralph	Fletcher
Joseph, Kenny	
Laughter, Albert	R-3, Hendersonville
Lewis, Jobie	Fletcher
Lewis, Thomas	Fletcher
Livingston, Colon	Fletcher
Mace, H. H.	R-3, Hendersonville
Mainwaring, C. W.	Hendersonville
McCarson, J. B.	R-3, Hendersonville
McClure, Thomas	Saluda
Moore, M. M.	Hendersonville
Peace, Luther	Saluda
Orr, V. D.	Mountain Home
Osteen, Gillea	Flat Rock
Owensby, J. W.	R-1, Flat Rock
Quinn, J. W.	R-3, Hendersonville
Reese, A. V.	Hendersonville
Rhodes, Darel	R-5, Hendersonville
Robertson, Edward	Fletcher
Saltz, Eugene	R-3, Hendersonville
Tillman, Jack W.	Los Angeles
Thompson, Thomas E.	Hendersonville
Wall, J. O.	Gerton
Wilkie, Woodrow	Fletcher
Wilson Lacy	R-2, Hendersonville

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Heatherly, Alfred	Zirconia
Powell, Wesley	Greenville, S. C.
Pettit, Oscar	R-5, Hendersonville
Lively, Fred	Flat Rock

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Woodrow Maxwell
Lacy Wilson
Howard Smith
Paul Fuguly
Darel Rhodes
Robert M. Cessna
Kenny Joseph
Lawrence Rhodes
Harold McKinnish
Stewart Bundy
Jack T. Tillman
Colon Livingston
General Beddingfield
Jake Cartee

LIST OF MESSENGERS

BALFOUR: Mrs. Ed Justus, Mrs. W. C. Huntley, Miss Edna Corn, Mrs. Woodson Henderson, Woodrow Maxwell.

BARKER HEIGHTS:

BARNWELL: Homer Reed, Clarence Barnwell, Mary Ellen Lyda.

BAT CAVE: Wm. H. Garven, Thos. Oats, Mrs. Carrie Freeman, Harold Myers.

BEAR WALLOW: Howard Smith, J. O. Wall, Robert Merrell, Davis Meeks, Mrs. Hal Oats, Mrs. Betty Huntley.

BEREA: Everett Camp, Grady Stepp, Joe Moore, Divine Camp.

BEULAH: L. P. Cantrell, J. P. Huggins, Robert Bell, Fred Wilkie, F. W. Blythe.

BROAD RIVER: Paul Dotson Luther Ledbetter, Press Owenby, Arthur Early.

CALVARY: Miss Jessie Shipman, Dorothy Pace, Mrs. W. M. Sparks, Mrs. Maynard Hoots.

CEDAR SPRINGS: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Capps, Grady Ward, Fred Ward.

CRAB CREEK:

CROSS ROADS. John I. Jones, Pink Bright, Mrs. Pink Bright, Otis Jones, Garland Burrell, Lula Jones.

DANA: Mrs. L. V. Lyda, R. N. Hazeltine, W. K. Hyder, W. T. Willis.

DOUBLE SPRINGS: Mrs. Dorthy Hudson, Mrs. Elbert Pace, Mrs. Louise Hudson.

EAST FLAT ROCK: Mrs. Nora Nanney, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Mrs. Rafe Lockaby, Mr. and Mrs. John Sinclair, Thomas Williams, Mrs. J. T. Beddingfield, Mary Edith Bagwell, Jean Bagwell, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lowe, N. B. Phillips, Mrs. Thos. Williams, Mrs. B. T. Potts. Mrs. Fred Stepp, Mr. Fred Stepp, Dan Pace, Mrs. Glover Clark.

EBENEZER: Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Holbert, Alton Stepp.

ETOWAH: Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hank, Mrs. R. E. Fletcher, D. C. Cantrell, Mrs. Ralph Nickolson, R. N. Sentelle, Ansel Jones

FLETCHER: Tom Riddle, C R. Cunningham, Mrs. Vilas Minton, Tom Wilkie, Mrs. Callie Baldwin, Mrs. C. R. Cunningham, Mrs. Clete Bagwell, Mrs. Ira Guinn.

FRENCH BROAD: Mrs. Person, Mrs. Joe Hooper, B. G. Henry, Mrs. Lloyd Ward.

FRUITLAND: W. M. Maxwell. Murry Arrowood, Howard Pryor, Mrs. N. A. Melton, Mrs. Edith Brigman.

GREEN RIVER: Rev. and Mrs. Virgil Jones, Mrs. Josephine Capps, Gerald Leve.

HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST: Miss Lillian Howell, Miss Jemma Rymer, Miss Mamie Rymar, Mrs. W. H. Martindale, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jervis, Mrs. D. H. Hart, F. S Cannon, Mrs O. J. Smith, Doyle Smith, Mrs. M. L. Walker, M L. Walker, W. B. Sinclair, Rev. A. V. Reese, Noah Hollowell, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Huggins, Rev. Henry O. Hearn, Frank Neville, Mrs. J. R. Neville, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Floyd, Mrs. Kate M. Porter, Mrs. Z. F. Grimer, Keith Arledge, Mrs. Leonard Morrow, F. D. Hills.

HENDERSONVILLE, WEST: Anna Morrison, Anna Jo Merrell, Mollie Pace, Mrs. J. W. Brown, Mrs. T. R. Stepp, Tom McClure, W. J. Scheven.

HOOPERS CREEK: Odell Barnwell, Ownie Souther, Hoover Conner, Gover Reddon, Franklin Huntley.

HORSE SHOE: Mr. Davenport, Albert Capps, Mrs. Albert Capps, Oscar Pettit, Finley Pace.

JONESN GAP: Lawrence Rhodes, J. B. McCarson.

LIBERTY: Geva Rhodes, Mae Whitesides, Clifford Owenby, Tommy Connon.

LOCUST GROVE:

MILLS RIVER: Margaret Bryson, Katherine Whitaker, Doris Moore, G. C. Fields, Robert Bryson, Miss Jean Britton, Valma Britton.

MOUNT GILEAD: Ray Crawford, Harold McLauglin, B. J. Hill, Mrs. Paul Bryson.

MOUNT MORIAH: Sam Ballard, Foy Hill, Clannie Laughter, Mrs. Brodus McCrain, Mrs. A. J. Neilson.

MOUNT OLIVET:

MOUNT ZION:

MOUNTAIN HOME: W. A. Martin, Phyllis Martin, Glenn Jackson, Mrs. Glenn Jackson, Lloyd Laughter.

MOUNTAIN PAGE: Edd Hill, Nina Hill, R. W. Bell, Levi Pace, H. Pace.

MOUNTAIN VIEW: Rev. Cecil Worsham.

MUD CREEK: R. S. Steadman, Glover McGraves, Mrs. Donis Justus, Mrs. Ralph Osteen, Mrs. Parker Lockaby.

NAPLES: V. D. Orr, Mrs. Roy Smith, Margaret Goins, Mrs. Dora Orr.

OAK FOREST: C. B. Reed, Odel Vaughn, Katherine Ruth, Jake Cartee.

Oak Grove: Rev. Darel Brevard.

PACOLET: Jane Henson, Mrs. Thompson, Mr. Paris, Inez Chapman, Mrs. Carroll.

PLEASANT GROVE: Mrs. R. E. Wilson, Mrs. Lathe Williams, Mrs. Charlie Morgan, Mrs. Earl Gray, D. R. Justus.

PLEASANT HILL: Mr. and Mrs. Griffin, Sam Sosbee, Porter Sosbee, H. C. Ivester.

REFUGE: Grady Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Ben King, Mrs. Kenneth Garrett, Mrs. Carroll Garrett, Mrs. T. D. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Merida Marshall, Mrs. Charlie Tabor.

SALUDA: Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Huggins, R. B. Staton, Mrs. Bessie Pace.

SHAWS CREEK: Rev. and Mrs. T. G. Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nanney, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Glazner.

TRYON, FIRST: J. Lee Lavender, Mrs. J. W. Taylor, B. L. Ballenger, Mrs. R. L. Taylor, Mrs. H. D. Davis, Mrs. G. W. Cowmer.

TRYON, SECOND:

TUXEDO: Dean Ward, Jake Cartee.

UPWARD: Leo Bell, Harley Justus, Ken McGraw, Mrs. Albert Jackson, Inez Jackson, Mrs. James Blythe, Mrs. Andy Hill.

VALLEY HILL: D. H. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Clinton Smith, Mrs. Jones Banning, Mrs. Eula Minty, Mrs. H. V. Staton, Mrs. Forest Nash, Mrs. Allard Garren, Mrs. Charles Painter.

WARRIOR MOUNTAIN: Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Early, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Edwards, Mrs. Ned Anderson, Mrs. Ina Garrett.

ZION HILL: J. B. Hill, Mrs. J. H. Stanberry, Mrs. P. H. Gross.

CONSTITUTION

(Mell's Parliamentary Practice Followed)

ARTICLE 1—Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Carolina Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers and pastors of missionary Baptist churches in Henderson and Polk Counties and other missionary Baptist churches who wish to unite with them.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members in excess of one hundred. Only the names of the messengers attending the meeting shall be printed in the minutes.

ARTICLE 2—Objects

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for the increasing of mental and spiritual power of the churches, and for developing and directing their energies, their resources and gifts in advancing the Master's Kingdom throughout the entire world.

ARTICLE 3—Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Historian, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational B. T. U. Director, all of whom shall be elected by a majority vote at each annual meeting. These officers shall assume their duties at the close of the associational meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall, by fraternal visitation, counsel and advise with churches regarding their work through the year.

Section 3. The Vice Moderator shall preside at the request of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches in the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment. His annual compensation shall be $50.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall have charge of all the funds which may be raised by the Association, of which he shall give an account at the annual meeting.

ARTICLE 4

Section 1. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as from time to time be deemed advisable.

ARTICLE 5

Section 1. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ, and the ordinances of His house as eccepted by Missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, by a majority vote.

Section 2. Any church in good standing in this Association may, on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

ARTICLE 6

Section 1. The Association at any meeting may withdraw fellowship from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

ARTICLE 7

Section 1. This Association regards each Baptist church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body for furthering the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity, the preaching of Christian education.

ARTICLE 8

Section 2. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion or resolution of the body, except to amend the constitution which shall require a two-thirds vote of the members.

ARTICLE 9

Section 3. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the beginning of each day and corrected, if necessary. Before adjournment the entire minutes shall be read and approved.

ARTICLE 10

Section 1. The Association shall before its final adjournment, fix a place for the next annual meeting and select one of the ministers of the body to preach the annual sermon.

ARTICLE 11

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of 12 members, six ministers, three laymen and three women, one third of whom shall be elected each year, together with associational officers as members ex officio.

A quorum shall consist of all members of the Executive Committee present after due notice has been given by card or letter.

2. Program Committee Duties:

A. Work with the committee of the pastors conference in correlating the programs of the two groups.

B. Assume responsibility for programs for meetings of the Association in which objectives of the State and Southern Baptist Denominational calendar shall be given proper emphasis.

C. Cooperate with the Field Worker or Associational Missionary, the Sunday School, Training Union, and Woman's Missionary Union departments of the Association so as to co-ordinate the Associational work.

D. Arrange for special Associational meetings when desired.

E. Prepare and publish programs for the quarterly and annual meetings of the Association.

F. Prepare the Association's calendar of meetings and general activities for the year or shorter periods.

3. Mission Committee Duties:

A. Direct and work with the Association's Missionary in cooperation with the State and Home Mission Boards.

B. Survey the field for more effective action.

C. Establish missions where deemed advisable.

D. Conduct revivals when deemed advisable with pastorless or non-self-supporting churches, or communities without a Baptist church.

E. Organize new churches when and where the Executive Committee deems advisable.

F. Conduct Daily Vacation Bible Schools.

G. Conduct Bible Classes.

H. Conduct association-wide Sunday School revivals.

I. Aid pastorless churches, etc.

4. Finance Committee Duties:

Prepare the Associational budget for proposed work to be done by the Executive Committee through all committees and secure necessary funds to accomplish the proposed programs.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The Association shall convene at 9:30 A. M. on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year.

2. The Association shall open and close with prayer each day. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all meetings of the body.

3. The rules of order may be changed at any session by a vote of majority of members present.

4. That reports be limited to 500 words.

5. All questions of order shall be decided by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

PROCEEDINGS

ASSOCIATIONAL W. M. U.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, HENDERSONVILLE

June 1, 1951

(Reported by Mrs. Fred Bowman, Secretary)

THEME: FOUND FAITHFUL

Meeting opened by singing "O WORSHIP THE KING". Devotional by Mrs. J. R. Morgan, Divisional Supt. Prayer period, Mrs. Canipe, Mrs. Lyda.

Welcome: Mrs. J. R. Stewart.

Recognition of Visitors and appointment of Committees.

Committee on Time and Place: Mrs. Melton, Mrs. Nanney, Mrs. Anderson.

Appreciation: Mrs. Lyda, Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. Pace.

Obituary: Mrs. Russ, Mrs. C. V. Orr.

Recognition of A-1 W. M. U. Organizations: Mrs. Huggins reported no A-1 W. M. S. but Intermediate G. A. and Sunbeam of East Flat Rock A-1 and presented certificates of A-1 awards. Associational Map explained by Mrs. Myrtle Bennett.

OPPORTUNITIES THAT CALL FOR FAITHFULNESS: Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Supt.

Faithful Witnessing: Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Young Peoples Leader, Rev. T. G. Proctor, R.A. Leader. Mrs. Hart, Community Chairman. Mrs. J. C. Canipe, Literature Chairman.

Address by Dr. J. C. Canipe, Chairman of Evangelism, State Baptist Convention.

Hymn JESUS CALLS US.

Roll Call of Churches: 14 reported.

Report of Treasurer and reading of minutes of last meeting.

Special Music: Ladies Trio.

Address: FOUND FAITHFUL, Miss Ernell Brooks, Missionary to Nigeria.

Prayer by Mrs. Nanney.

Adjourned for lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Devotional: Miss Hannah Brummitt.

Special Music: Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield.

FAITHFULNESS IN STEWARDSHIP: Mrs. C. E. Scarborough.

In Mission Study: Mrs. J. C. Brown.

Margaret Fund, Talk by Mrs. James Smith

Miss Rachel Leonard, Margaret Fund Student, Biltmore, N. C.

Closing with a beautiful Hymn "HOW BEAUTIFUL UPON THE MOUNTAINS"

Hymn - "TAKE MY LIFE AND LET IT BE"

Report of Committees:

Time and Place: Mrs. Melton. Time, April. Place, Fruitland.

Obituary : Mrs. Russ reporting two of our members having passed on: Mrs. James Garren and Mrs. John Stepp, East Flat Rock.

Report of Nominating Committee: Mrs. Pittillo, Chrm.

Supt., Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
Associate, Mrs. Walker
Secy.-Treas., Mrs. Bowman
Assistant, Mrs. W. A. Bennett
Pianist, Mrs. T. G. Proctor
Chorister, Mrs. L. V. Lyda
Margaret Fund Chrm., and Training School, Mrs. Fred Swift
Literature Chairman, Mrs. T. G. Proctor
Community Missions, Mrs. Hart
Mission Study, Mrs. J. C. Canipe
Stewardship, Mrs. F. M. Huggins
Y. P. Director, Miss Lillian Howell
Y. W. A. Leader, Mrs. J. C. Brown
G. A. Leader, Mrs. F. D. Saltz
R. A. Leader, Rev. T. G. Proctor
Associate, Ray Jones

Mrs. Morgan, presiding and above elected for coming year. Mrs. F. M. Huggins member of Div. Nom. Committee.

Report of Appreciation Committee: Mrs. E. L. Marshall

Dedicatory Prayer: Mrs. J. R. Morgan.

Program closed by talk FAITHFUL TO THE TASK by Mrs. Wacaster, State Worker.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1951

Refuge Baptist Church, Dana, N. C.

The Carolina Baptist Association opened its seventh-fifth annual session at the Refuge Baptist Church August 7, 1951 with M. K. Walker presiding, Roy D. Campbell, Clerk, and D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "Onward Christian Soldiers". Rev. W. L. S. Keen, pastor of Calvary read from Numbers 14 chapter and led in prayer.

Moderator declared the seventy-fifth session in order. 43 churches were represented on roll call by the clerk and 54 churches had letters on hand.

Visitors: Earl Bradley, Field Secretary of State Convention; Rev. and Mrs. B. Jacobson of Glennville, Ga.; Rev. R. M. Hause of Shelby; Lawrence Erwin of S. C.; Rev. C. W. Bazeman of Raleigh.

The following officers were elected for next year:

Moderator, M L. Walker; Vice Moderator, Albert Hill; Clerk, Roy D. Campbell; Treasurer, M. K. Sinclair; Historian, N. A. Melton; S. S. Supt., Roy Huggins; T. U. Director, Mrs. Junius Huggins; W.M.U. Supt., Mrs. M. K. Sinclair.

The following pastors and ministers were presented: N. B. Phillips, Woodrow Maxwell, Ray Riddle, S. P. Stepp, A. V. Reese, Claude McClure, J. W. Jackson, Zeno Greene, Howard Smith, Allard Garren, Jake Cartee, Eensign Chattams, W. F. Sinclair, Bill Keen, W. C. Huntley, Leo Bell, Vilas Minton, Ted Huntley, F. M. Orr, O. J. Smith, N. A. Melton, T. G. Proctor, Virgil Jones, John Dixon, F. M. Huggins, L. A. Erwin, C. B. Hollingsworth, C. E. Blythe, D. R. Corn, W. H. Davis, J. O. Wall.

Brother Davis and Brother Wall recognized as being the longest in the service. Brother Wall being more than 90 years of age.

The following reports were read and adopted:

State Missions by W. F. Sinclair.
Home Missions by J. O. Smith.
Foreign Missions by N. B. Phillips.

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

The Home Mission Board was organized in 1845 on a very small scale, but has grown both in geographical bounds and in the hearts of the people. It has helped to organize 10,005 Baptist churches or one-third of all the churches in the Southern Baptist Convention. It has had an average of 463 missionaries in the field every day since it was organized. The converts, if gathered together would equal the total membership of Virginia, Maryland, New Mexico, Florida, Arkansas and Arizona.

The population of the Home Missions Territory is 77,000,000 of which 39,000,000 are unchurched. In 1940 the increase of Baptist membership had been three times the increase in population. There are 14 times as many unsaved people in the Home Mission Field as are living in the state of Mississippi. The Home Mission Board has a department of Evangelism definitely set to the task of real effort in soul-winning.

The radio program is carried by 46 stations in 16 states, Alaska and the Canal Zone. The Home Mission Board is engaged in rural missions in an effort to revitalize the rural church.

The 60 larger cities in the southland have a population of 15 million people, six out o fevery ten are unchurched. 800 suburban areas have no church at all. This is a challenge that our Board is trying to meet through the program of city missions. In the three states of Washington, Oregon and California about 80 percent of the population is unchurched. We are trying to meet the need of these people as well as the increasing needs of the old territory.

The work with the Indians should be enlarged and carried on with greater zeal. The Board now has 97 missionaries with them. This still leaves thousands of them without the message. In Cuba and Central America we have one missionary for every 46,000 people and one church for every 80,000 people. There are 81 churches and missions with no church buildings and scores of fields in the interior where churches and missions should be established.

There are 11,000,000 Negros among us, three million of whom are Baptist. The Board is helping to train the Negro preachers in the colleges and institutes.

Thousands of our people are moral and mental wrecks and thousands of homes are broken and without spiritual guidance. The board must meet this challenge as well as minister to the underpriviledged and friendless. This is done through rescue missions.

The publication of the Home Mission magazine has reached a circulation of 130,000 subscriptions.

In 1950 the missionaries preached 82,000 sermons and reported 32,600 conversions. It opened 598 mission stations. The present force of missionaries is 745 including summer workers. This number should be increased twenty-five percent within the next five years.

One of the newest phases of this work is the endeavor to reach the migrant farm labor now numbering 750,000 many of whom are located at the present time in Henderson County.

The board is launching a five-year crusade for the purpose of emphasizing evangelism, church extension and more effective witnessing for Christ. During the five-year period it is hoped that 2,500,000 converts may be baptized into our churches. 5,000 new churches organized and 10,000 new missions established.

The interest, prayers and offering of every individual in every church in the southland should be dedicated to this crusade in the same way as the Home Mission force is dedicating themselves. Each of us should accept the Bible as the inspired Word of God, the great commission as our marching orders, the Holy Spirit as our Guide and Companion and Jesus Christ as our Saviour and Lord.

Respectfully submitted,

O. J. Smith

FOREIGN MISSION REPORT

The Foreign Mission Board, Richmond, Va., is the agency of Southern Baptist to fulfill the last part of the great commission of our Lord as he says, "AND UNTO THE UTTERMOST PARTS OF THE EARTH". Acts 1:8. Sixteen churches of this association contributed the amount of $1700 in special offerings to this work last year. From the receipts of the Cooperative Program from the Carolina Association came about $3890 for Foreign Missions. This gives a total of $5076.00 for 59 churches for a whole year.

Respectfully,

N. B. Phillips

Brother Earl Bradley from State Convention spoke to all the mission reports with special emphasis on the need of the new hospital wing and urged more and more churches to cooperate with all Southwide agencies in the promotion of all kingdom phases of the work. He plead for sacrificial giving of time, talent and money and declared that "YOU CAN SEE THE GREAT NEED OF THE WORLD ONLY FROM TOP OF THE CROSS".

M. K. Sinclair gave the following Treasurer's report:

REPORT OF TREASURER
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1951

Balance on hand Aug. 1, 1950		$ 240.51
Contributions to maintain Field Worker		2514.63
Received for Minute Fund		278.44
Contributions to Field Worker for supply, etc.		396.37
Receipts at Quarterly Meetings		107.54
Contribution received for Home Missions		15.00
Interest refund		1.50
		$3553.99
Disbursements:		
Salary and Expense—Field Worker	$2764.22	
For printing Minutes	295.00	
Balance on note at Bank	200.00	
Clerk	50.00	
Expense—advertising Evangelistic Crusade	25.00	
Supplies	36.70	
Printing	17.01	
M. A. Huggins—Home Missions	15.00	
Bank—Service Charge	3.38	$3406.31
Balance on hand		$ 147.68

Respectfully submitted,

M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

Churches contributing to support of Field Worker and Minute Fund:

	Minutes	Field Worker	Home Missions
Balfour	$ 25.00	$ 151.50	
Barnwell	1.50	6.50	
Bat Cave	5.00		
Bear Wallow		59.61	
Beulah		33.05	
Cross Roads	5.00	144.66	
Double Springs	4.00		
East Flat Rock		210.00	
Etowah	8.00	105.00	
Fletcher	7.50	45.00	
French Broad	5.00		
Fruitland	10.00	50.00	
Green River	2.00		
Hendersonville, First	25.00	650.00	
Hoopers Creek	10.00		
Horse Shoe	6.00		
Middle Fork	2.00		
Mills River	10.00	26.68	
Mtn. Home	3.70		
Mt. Moriah	15.24	67.60	
Mtn. Page	3.50		
Mtn. View	2.00		
Mud Creek	20.00	274.89	
Naples	7.50	30.00	
Oak Forest		10.00	
Pacolet	9.00	60.00	
Pleasant Grove	5.00		
Refuge	10.50		
Saluda	10.00	100.00	
Shaws Creek	10.00	60.00	
Tryon, First	15.00	200.00	
Tryon, Second	6.00	15.00	15.00
Tuxedo	10.00	143.00	
Valley Hill	10.00	50.00	
Zion Hill	5.00		
Unaccounted for		22.14	
	$278.44	$2,514.63	$15.00

This is for year ending July 31, 1951.

Respectfully submitted,

M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

The Committee on Committees made the following report:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTES, AUG. 1951

STATE MISSIONS.....Rev. V. D. Minton

HOME MISSIONS.....Rev. William Keen.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.....Rev. Allard Garren

MINISTERS' RETIREMENT.....Judge J. E. Shipman

ORPHANAGE.....Rev. W. M. Huntley

TRAINING UNION.....Mrs. J. M. Huggins

SUNDAY SCHOOL.....Roy Huggins

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION.....C. F. Jervis

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS.....Rev. N. B. Phillips

PERIODICALS.....Rev. F. M. Huggins

HOSPITAL.....Rev. N. A. Melton

W. M. U.....Mrs. M. K. Sinclair

OBITUARIES.....Rev. W. F. Sinclair

HISTORIAN.....Rev. N. A. Melton

BROTHERHOOD.....Keith Arledge

FINANCE COMMITTEE.....M. K. Sinclair, Chairman, John Sinclair, Albert Hill, Roy Huggins, M. L. Walker

MISSIONS COMMITTEE.....N. B. Phillips, Chairman, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, F. M. Huggins, F. Douglas Hills, Ralph Banning

PROGRAM COMMITTEE.....Noah Hollowell, Chairman, William Keen, C. F. Jervis, M. L. Walker, Roy Campbell

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

One year Term: J. A. Anderson, T. G. Proctor, C. F. Jervis, Miss Myrtle Bennett.

Two Year Term: N. B. Phillips, J. M. Huggins, A. V. Reece, Mrs. L. V. Lyda.

Three Year Term: N. A. Melton, F. M. Huggins, Mrs. M. L. Walker, John Sinclair.

Submitted by Committee on Committees. F. M. Huggins, Chairman and T. G. Proctor.

The Moderator appointed Committee on Time, Place and Preacher: J. A. Anderson, Ralph Banning, W. J. Ballard.

Committee on Resolutions: Allard Garren, F. M. Orr, W. E. Lowe.

Committee on Reception of New Churches: T. G. Proctor, Vilas Minton, W. B. Sinclair.

Dr. James M. Hayes, Supt., of new Baptist Home for Aged, Winston-Salem was recognized and spoke briefly.

Report on Men's Brotherhood was made by Keith Arledge and adopted.

REPORT OF MEN'S BROTHERHOOD

We should like to be able to report that the Brotherhood movement in the Association has made rapid progress since last year, however this has not been the case and therefore our report can not reflect glowing success. From the few churches in the Association reporting on the work of their Brotherhoods we find much good was accomplished by their efforts. The work of the church has been strengthened by the efforts of men united in the crusade of soul winning and other great christian endeavors.

We should like to encourage all churches to investigate the brotherhood movement and determine for themselves if they can afford to be without it. The leaders of the Association will be more than glad to assist in the preliminary work. An Association wide Rally will be sponsored with our state leader present to give us a good send off—Christ calls for men, will we not hear His call and follow Him?

Beginning Friday evening, August 17th. at Fruitland the North Carolin Baptist Brotherhood Conference will be held. Several outstanding State Brotherhood Secretaries wil be on the program.

All men interested in the Brotherhood program are invited to come in time for six o'clock supper on Friday evening and remain through lunch Saturday August 18th.

Respectfully submitted,
Keith A. Arledge
Chm., Brotherhood Committee

Mr. W. H. Kendall of Mars Hill College was recognized by the Moderator.

Brother Frank Neville of First Church, Hendersonville and leader of the Young Men's Brotherhood gave an oral report on that phase of the work in our association.

N. A. Melton of Fruitland gave the Historian's report which was adopted.

REPORT OF HISTORIAN

Earlier historical data may be found in the preceding minutes of the Association. In this report some brief statements are submitted concerning events of the past year.

First of all we wish to mention the two new institutions among Baptist in our state. The North Carolina Baptist Home for the Aged was opened in Winston-Salem on March 16, 1951, and the Southeastern Seminary at Wake Forest will be opened in September of this year. Reports indicate that with Rev. James M. Hayes as superintendent of the Baptist Home we are making a good start in taking care of our lonely old people, and with a strong faculty already secured the announcements are out for the opening of seminary classes for first year students in the new Seminary at Wake Forest.

Into our Association one new church has been admitted during the past year. This new church is Oak Forest near Fletcher and it seeems to be making fine progress with young Jake Cartee as its pastor.

Last spring many of our churches cooperated in the simultaneous evangelistic campaign in which the churches of the Southern Baptist Convention east of the Mississippi river ere engaged. This was perhaps the greatest evangelistic effort that has ever been sponsored by any religious denomination and the results have been marvelous. For the past several years interest in evangelism has been growing and greatly increased numbers have been led to Christ and to more active church participation.

The pastors' school at Fruitland is still growing. Last year a greater number of the pastors and prospective pastors of the Carolina Association attended the Institute and helped to make the largest enrollment so far in the history of the Bible school. Also the Baptist Assembly at Fruitland is having fine attendance this summer. Both of these important features of our Baptist work are aiding wonderfully in making Baptist history, not only in our own association but also throughout the state and beyond.

It appears that most of our churches are making substantial progress along right lines as indicated in the growth of Sunday schools and other church organizations, in increased contributions to pastors' salaries and the general work of the denomination, and especially in the increased number of conversions and baptisms.

Respectfuly submitted,
N. A. Melton, Historian

The report on periodicals given by C. F. Jervis was adopted.

REPORT ON PERIODICALS

Written across the blackboard of a debating society hall of a local high school was this query: "Resolved, That a man is responsible for his ideas". It is not known whether the query was debated, nor if debated, what was the decision of the judges; but surely a man is responsible for his ideas.

Then if he is responsible for his ideas, is he not responsible also for the source of his ideas? Is it not true also that our ideas are formed to a great extent by our reading? Then surely man is responsible for what he reads. We may then go further and reason logically that a man is responsible for what he does not read.

We are surrounded by all types of literature. The range extends all the way from the lowest trash to the rarest gems of Biblical literature. If we want to fill our minds with the cheap, we have no trouble in finding it. One the other hand, if we desire the gems, we find them just as easily available and plenteous.

Therefore, instead of making the Bible merely an adornment for the center table, let us read it and make an adornment for our ideas and our ways of living. Let us subscribe for the Recorder and Charity and Children not only to be loyal to our denomination, but also let us read them so as to be informed Baptists with the right kind of ideas, and to be informed Christians.

Let us read our various missionary journals so that we may have the loyal missionary spirit and sympathetic interest. Let us read Home Life and place it before our young people and young married couples in an effort to insure that present and future homes may be made Christian homes. Let us read and study other various publications of our Sunday School Board, many of which are admitted by impartial authorities to have no superior among the religious publication houses.

By so doing, we need not fear to be responsible for our ideas; we will not suffer an inferiority complex as we mix and mingle with people who know; we will make the rarest gems of Christian literature a part of our lives; and by our enriched experiences, we will be able better to give our best to the Master.

Respectfully submitted,
C. F. Jervis

Brother O. J. Smith made an appeal for help for a family of people who were in a car wreck near Edneyville one of whom had already died and others were in a very critical condition. An offering was taken amounting to $107.14.

A. V. Reese presented the following report on Temperance and Public Morals which was adopted.

REPORT ON TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

First I should like to pass on to you some statements made recently by J. Edgar Hoover on "America's Dreadful Spiritual Plight."

"People spend eight times more hours at movies than at Sunday School; only one out of twelve persons in our country attends church and Sunday School attendance before they reach fifteen years of age; fifteen million "sex" magazines are printed monthly and read by one-third of the American people; there are more bar-maids in this country than college girls; one million—ONE MILLION—American girls have venereal disease; one hundred thousand girls disappear every year into white slavery; one million illegitimate babies are born annually; our nation harbors three times as many criminals as college students A major crime is committed every 22 seconds; a case of rape every hour; a murder every forty minutes; there are 60 suicides in our nation daily; two out of every three adults, both men and women smoke; three out of every ten who start as light drinkers end up drunkards; as a nation we spend about seven hundred and fifty dollars on pleasure, sins, cosmetics, and amusements to every dollar given for Foreign Missions".

Director J. Edgar Hoover said further, "The nation is facing a potential army of 6,000,000 criminals and an ever-increasing wave of lawlessness. Our homes and our lives are daily threatened by this vast army".

"The crime increase so far this year is even greater than that recorder last year. Every 20 reconds a serious crime is committed; every six minutes some one was raped, assaulted or slain".

Read, pary, weep as you consider America's dreadful plight.

Second, I wish to mention some immediate causes of this condition. The crime wave, it seems, could be attributed to the following causes: laxity in parental control, lowered moral standards, social and economic conditions, use of intoxicating liquors, gambling and a lack of interest in the fundamentals of matrimony and in the proper rearing of children tends to contribute to delinquency.

In closing I might suggest that we must erace the crime at its roots by the rededication of our lives and our homes to God. Every home in America should become a sanctuary for good citizenship and not a breeding place for criminals as is so often the case. Christians must also abstain from any use of intoxicating liquor in any form. We should work and pray for an immediate election to vote our own county dry and for a referendum in our state as soon as possible.

Let us work and pray and vote right.

Respectfully submitted,

A. V. Reese.

This subject was further discussed by Rev. R. M. Hause of Shelby.

The Association voted a committee be appointed to work for an election in the near future.

Committee: M. L. Walkr, Chm., N. B. Phillips, N. A. Melton.

The report on Thomasville Orphanage was read by John A. Sinclair and adopted.

REPORT ON OUR BAPTIST ORPHANAGE

Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself upspotted from the world. James 1:27.

This scripture is to plain to be misinterpreted. Christianity consists of more than church membership. And the only religion that will stand the final test must be the type as defined by this passage of scripture. Pure religion is the only religion that God will recognize. If you have a defiled religion you would be better off without any religion at all. Then we are commanded to visit the widows and orphans in their affliction, which simply means their misfortune, and along with that command is the command to also keep ourselves unspotted from the world.

Now which is the most important? To see that the widows are taken care of in their affliction? To see that the orphans are taken care of? Or to keep ourselves unspotted from the world? So far as we are able to discern there is as much emphasis on one as the other.

Examine yourself. Examine your church. If you are failing as an individual or as a church to comply with these requirements from God's law for the Christian you will be held responsible to God for failing to do the thing He plainly tells you to do.

Surely an Orphan's Home could be classed as one of the greatest institutions on earth. Surely our Lord Jesus is pleased with this wonderful ministry, and will allow His Spirit to hover over these little ones and those who minister to their needs, because He said, "Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not. For of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

Let us support our Orphanage.

Respectfully submitted,
John A. Sinclair

Bro. C. W. Bazemore, representing the Biblical Recorder spoke on this report.

Brother Wade Worly of S. S. was recognized and invited to a seat in the body.

W. H. Davis was given an opportunity to speak and announced his book for sale.

Missionary Campbell gave a brief oral report on his work for the past year.

Mrs. Ramon Pace and Mr. J. W. Ballard both of Refuge, the host church, welcomed the large group here for the day and announced plans for the lunch hour. Brother George Roberts, host pastor being in the hospital was greatly missed and the association voted to send him greetings and hoped for his speedy recovery.

The annual sermon was preached with great fervor by Rev. W. C. Huntley pastor of Balfour Church on the subject of "THE GREAT GIFTS OF GOD".

Vilas Minton of Fletcher led the closing prayer and offered thanks for the noon day meal.

Meeting adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Association reassembled at 1:30 and after song service Brother Vilas Minton read scripture from Acts 1 chapter and Dr. J. M. Hayes led in prayer.

Dr. W. C. Reese, Supt. of Mills Home was presented and discussed the future plans for the Orphanage and urged the Association stand against the report of the Committee of 19 to incorporate the Orphanage in the Cooperative Program thus reducing the income of the Orphanage some $100,000 per year. The vote was unanimous against such procedure. The clerk was asked to convey the thought and action of this body to the Recorder on Charity and Children.

The W. M. U. Report was read by Mrs. M. K. Sinclair and adopted.

REPORT OF CAROLINA W.M.U. FOR 1951

"Another year is but another call from God to do some deed undone and some duty we forgot."

In spite of somewhat adverse conditions, our Carolina W. M. U., has passed through a year of constructive work. There are many things, however, that we have left undone or forgotten, but some progress is very encouraging. With grateful hearts we come again to render an account of this Stewardship of Missions and Missionary Training. This report should begin by acknowledgement of our indebtedness to all of the faithful workers and officers. Their efforts give reason for rejoicing.

We are glad to report 103 Mission Study Classes during the year. Mrs. Una Roberts Lawrence says, "you ought never to be the same after a Mission Study Class". We are aware that honest, conscientious study of our fields will have its reaction upon all of our work. 504 tithers have been reported. 719 members contributed regularly through the co-operative program. We are a link between our Lord's command, "Go and the goal, "That al may hear". By our gifts and yours we will have an unbroken chain, a real life-line that all may hear the good news. Our gifts total $6,382.39. This is not complete. For the last two quarters of this year we did not report our co-operative gift through the W. M. U. This will be done through our local Churches hereafter.

The Carolina W. M. U., pledges its loyal support and cooperation to the great cause of Christ and counts it a privilege to be "laborers together with God", and with each other.

We take great courage in His promises and through His strength we are trying to do the task, and to perform the many duties which were left undone. This is not always easy, so we ask for your prayers and your cooperation in our work.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair

Mrs. Sinclair then presented two R.A. boys who spoke on "What the R.A. Means To Me". Gloria Floyd told what the G.A.'s meant to her. The Y.W.A. was also represented by a speaker who praised the work being done in that department.

W. B. Sinclair presented the report on the Ministers Retirement plan which was adopted.

MINISTERS' RETIREMENT RELIEF AND WIDOW'S SUPPLEMENTAL ANNUITY PLAN

The Ministers' Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention was established for the purpose of aiding our Baptist preachers in case of disability or retirement from active service. The plan has been enlarged to include other church employees and the Widows' Supplemental Annuity Plan. Anyone wishing information on the retirement plan may write to Dr. M. A. Huggins, Raleigh, N. C.

The following is taken from the report of the Relief and Annuity Board for 1950:

"Even with utmost care, in seeking to keep expenditures to a minimum, the relief department, for the third consecutive year, spent more for relief than was received. Only when conditions seemed to demand it, were increases granted.

"There is growing concern on the part of the Relief and Annuity Board over the ever increasing load which the relief department is called upon to carry and the Board feels that our Constituency should be acquainted with the seriousness of the problem. Pastors now in active service who refuse or neglect to join the Ministers Retirement Plan have no right to expect assistance from the relief department. It is urgently requested that the secretaries inform pastors in active service that unless they provide, with the help of their denomination, retirement benefits, there is serious doubt that the Board will be able to care for them out of relief funds.

"More was spent for relief in ten states than was received. So serious has this problem become that the relief committee has given instructions that no increase be granted except in cases of dire emergency. The department spent $14,397.11 more than Southern Baptists gave for relief. It is imperative that more of our churches take a fellowship offering for ministerial relief that the needs of our old preachers and widows of preachers be met.

"Too many of our pastors have neglected to join the Ministers Retirement Plan and the Widows Supplemental Plan and these pastors or their widows may suffer from this negligence. That large group of pastors who joined the Ministers Retirement Plan but are inactive because of non-payment of dues, should take care lest they come to retirement age with the anuity they should receive greatly reduced.

"The report of the relief committee, at the annual meeting of the Board, showed grave concern over the large number of pastors who are retiring and requesting that their names be placed on the relief roll who have never been members of the Ministers Retirement Plan."

There are 1989 ministers in North Carolina and 952 have been issue dcertificates in the Ministers Retirement Plan.

Out of these 1989 ministers, 295 have certificates in the Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan. 221 of these are active paying members, and 74 are delinquent.

These figures show that several hundred pastors should join the Ministers Retirement Plan and Widows Supplemental Annuity Plan without delay.

"Last year, North Carolina Baptists gave $16,918.93 for ministerial relief and the Relief and Annuity Board spent for relief in North Carolina $23,029.50, leaving a deficit in the North Carolina relief account of $6,110.57. The four and two-thirds cents of each cooperative program dollar does not provide sufficient funds to take care of the relief beneficiaries in North Carolina. It is, therefore, urgent that every church heed the request of the Southern Baptist Convention and take a fellowship offering in connection with the observance of the Lord's Supper in June, or at such time as convenient to the church. This deficit can only be met by these fellowship offerings."

There are six active paying members in the Carolina Association.

Respectfully submitted,
W. B. Sinclair,
for J. E. Shipman

REPORT OF THE BAPTIST HOSPITAL

MOTHER'S DAY OFFERINGS:

Funds received each year in Mother's Day Offerings are used to help pay the hospital expenses of those patients who can pay only a part of their hospitalization or nothing at all. Receipts from the churches in Mother's Day Offerings in 1950 totaled $140,639.81, and a goal of $150,000.00 was set for 1951. The total includes the value of linens and funds for linens contributed through Woman5s Missionary Unions and estimated at $3,964.57 last year. Approximately half of the 9,702 bed patients admitted to the hospital in 1950 and all those seen in the outpatient clinics (47,889 visits) paid no doctor's fee and were assisted by the Mother's Day Offering.

The hospital provided more free service in 1950 than any other denominationally-controlled hospital in the South. Free service amounting to $337,000 which was dispensed to patients in the hospital and the outpatient clinic was made possible by individual contributions, welfare agencies, and mainly through the Mother's Day Offering.

AID TO MINISTERS AND MISSIONARIES:

Free hospitalization for regularly-ordained ministers and missionaries who devote their full time to the ministry is provided through the Outpatient Department. A flat 50 per cent discount is given on all work done for actual dependents of pastors and missionaries. These discounts amounted to $18,386.65 in 1950.

OUTPATIENT DEPARTMENT:

Visits to the outpatient department numbered more than 47,889 in 1950.

DEPARTMENT OF RELIGION:

A patient's need for pastoral care is increased rather than lessened by his illness. To meet this need, the hospital has established a full Department of Religion with a director, two chaplains and a student secretary. Their duties consist of pastoral care of the patients, the promotion of a religious program for nurses and medical students.

ASSOCIATIONAL FIGURES:

There were 102 visits to OUTPATIENT Clinic last year.

There were 11 bed patients cared for at the Hospital.

Mother's Day Offerings of the churches in the Carolina Association amounted to $1713.36.

Mother's Day Offering running ahead about 150.00 more than last year.

Mother's Day Offering for through July 142,000 for State.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Allard Garren

Report adopted and Dr. W. K. McGee told of the needs of the Hospital

A trio from Shaws Creek rendered special music.

The report on the BAPTIST HOSPITAL was read by Rev. Allard Garren of Valley Hill.

Dr. James M. Hayes, Supt. of the Baptist Home for Aged was presented and told of the great need for caring for the old people of our state and presented a report which follows:

STATEMENT FOR REPORT ON NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOMES FOR AGING

The North Carolina Baptist State Convention in its November, 1950, session authorized the committee on the Home for the Aging to make plans for the opening and operation of our Home for the Aging as soon as the committee might find a way to meet the cost of equipping and operating. Because of the drive to raise money for the construction of the new wing to the Baptist Hospital, the Convention instructed the committee for the Home not to expect direct help from the Baptist State Convention during the year 1951.

On January 9, the committee on the Home elected Rev. James M. Hayes, pastor of North Winston Baptist Church, Winston-Salem, superintendent of the Home, and Miss Edna Heinzerling, director of Nurses of the Baptist Hospital, to serve as supervisor of our Home. The committee decided to open the Home for residents when sufficient funds became available to begin.

There are many evidences of the Lord's favor upon the Home thus far. In the first place, He led in making a home immediately available. Ten years ago the trustees of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest College leased a three-story, brick-constructed, fireproof building, with an elevator, for a period of 25 years for $1.00 a year. The committee on the Home was able to secure this building for 15 years at the same rental price. The building accommodates 20 residents at present. The top floor, if completed, would give space for 16 additional residents. The completion of this floor would cost approximately $23,000. With more than 100 applications for admission already received, and inquiries coming almost daily, one can easily see the pressing need of more space.

The Home has been greatly helped by the gifts received—furniture, office equipment, heating system, blankets, linens, towels, and many other items, as well as discounts on supplies necessary to be purchased. though the Home has been operating only since March 16, yet it now has assets approximating $50,000, and is not operating in the red.

Our residents range in age from 67 to 91 years, and come from widely scattered sections of North Carolina—from Franklin to Elizabeth City—the mountains to the sea. Regardless of the sections from which they come, they are a happy, congenial family, all rejoicing in the opportunity to live in the Home. The attitude of all the residents is well expressed in the brief statements of Miss Bertha Callaway, former matron of Mills Home Orphanage: "I like this good Christian home"; and of Mrs. Carroll: "I wouldn't exchange it for any other."

The Home offers four things to those who come to live there: security, comfort, congeniality, and a Christian ministry. With this sort of program, North Carolina Baptist can add years to life, and life to years for those who reside in our Baptist Home for the Aging.

One donor said when he sent his check to the Home: "I believe in this practical kind of Christianity. North Carolina Baptists have waited too long to begin it." Surely it is practical, for Jesus said: "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these by brethren, ye have done it unto me."

The committee on the Home has challlenged North Carolina Baptists to build a home adequate to meet the need of the increasing number of old people from 65 years up. Their program calls for a million dollar plant, which would accommodate 270 residents. With the Lord leading and North Carolina Baptists cooperating, such a plant should be built and in operation within a few years.

"Now also when I am old and grayheaded, O God, forsake me not" (Psalm 71:18).

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

TIME. PLACE AND PREACHER

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. EAST FLAT ROCK

Tuesday, August 6, 1952

Preacher N. A. Melton - Alternate Allard Garren

RESOLUTIONS:

We recommend that the Carolina Association express its aboundable appreciation to the people of the Refuge Baptist Church for the quality and quantity and enjoyable good dinner by a rising vote of thanks.

We also recommend that the associational missionary and our moderator express appreciation by a letter to the Hendersonville Times News and also the Carolina Tribune for the publicity they gave toward this associational meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
Allard Garren
Finley M. Orr
W. E. Lowe

These reports were adopted by the body. The clerk was also instructed to send message to host pastor, George Roberts, Mountain Sanitarium, express a hope for speedy recovery and thanks for the fine work of his church.

Walter Zvoda of Buncome Association referred to the work being done by Catholics in Western North Carolina and warned those present to be on guard and to make provision in every way for the training of our young people in our own churches.

Rev. Cecil Worsham read the list of those called home during the year and the body stood in silence in their honor before the prayer of dismissal by Brother N. A. Melton.

Adjourned to meet again at eight o'clock.

EVENING SESSION

The evening session was opened by singing "DRAW ME NEARER". Devotion by Mrs. Howard Sitton of Fruitland Church.

Mrs. Junius Huggins, Training Union Director gave the following report which was adopted.

REPORT OF THE TRAINING UNION

Several new unions have been organized during the past year.

Eleven Churches took part in the Enlargement Campaign in June.

Almost all of the Training Unions in the Association have had one or more Study Courses during the year.

We had representatives in all the tournaments at the Regional B.T.U., Convention in April. Bernice Blackwell from Refuge Church won the Young Peoples Speaker Tournament and represented our association at the State Assembly at Fruitland. Several of our Juniors made perfect scores in the Junior Memory Work at the State Assembly at Fruitland.

The Training Union Department has helped sponsor and promote all the activities of our work in the Association.

We held four Mass Meetings during the year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs Junius Huggins

Mrs. Huggins presented Mr. Versil Crenshaw of the Sunday School Board and southwide Intermediate worker who brought a wonderful message on training and christian growth.

The Sunday School report was read by Roy Huggins and adopted.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT TO CAROLINA ASSOCIATION

Meeting with Refuge Baptist Church, August 7, 1951

During this associational year of work some 400 cards and letters have been mailed in the interest of Sunday Schools promotion.

September 14th 1950 we attended the Association Planning meeting for the Western part of our State at which time the Theme again "Take Your Family to Sunday School" was announced, it has been ringing all the year. October, November and December emphasis was placed on Church Contact and 1951 Program. January 28 Sunday School Rally at Hendersonville First, with Rev. M. O. Owen inspirational speaker, also a film strip "Take Your Family to S. S." was presented.

Major preparation for the coming revival was the week of Bible study and prayer in the churches of the Carolina Association.

February more emphasis on church visiting, March 25 to April 8th Evangelistic Crusade. Many Souls were saved and churches built up by this special Evangelistic effort. May the 8th from 4:30 to 9:00 P. M. a Vacation Bible School Clinic was conducted in Fruitland Baptist Church. Plans were made and Leadership Preparation was trained through demonstration and conference methods. This was put on by local associational church leadership. A goal of 35 schools was set for this year.

June 1-6 we attended week at Ridge Crest with Associational Superintendents with much benefit and inspiration received. Also June, July major efforts have been placed on the conducting of Vacation Bible School in the Churches. Most of the churches have put on the schools with their own workers. We are going forward for better Sunday Schools and V. B. Schools in the Carolina Association for our Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
Roy A. Huggins

Special music was given by a trio from East Flat Rock.

Dean Ward of Tuxedo Church gave the report on Christian Education and W. H. Kendall of Mars Hill College spoke in behalf of all the Baptist Colleges and their worthy aims for the young people of our state and nation.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION IN NORTH CAROLINA

When we get sick we prefer a physician who has been thoroughly educated in the arts of healing. When we need legal advice, we consult a lawyer who has had years of college training in law and who has demonstrated his knowledge by passing a bar examination. When we travel over a high bridge, we trust that it has been designed by trained and competent engineers.

In spite of these obvious facts, there are an astonishing number of Baptists who cling to the curious belief that collegiate training for carrying on Christian work is undesirable, that education is a handicap to effective ministerial work, and that the worth of a sermon can be best judged by the sound and fury with which it is delivered.

Fortunately, our far-seeing Baptis leaders of the past have discerned that the worth and dignity and the compelling need of Christian work in North Carolina deserve the services of personnel whose native intelligences have been sharpened and honed by the educative process in Christian colleges. To that end they established and the Baptists of this Sate help maintain seven colleges.

Two of them, Wake Forest for men and Meredith for women, are senior colleges, equipped and authorized to confer degrees. The other five, Mars Hill, Gardner-Webb, Campbell, Wingate, and Chowan, are junior colleges, each offering two years of college work.

The following facts concerning Baptist colleges in North Carolina during the past college year are pertinent:

(1) Total enrollment—5000. (2) Degrees conferred by Wake Forest and Meredith—654. (3) Number completing two-year courses in junior colleges—800. (4) Number training for the Baptist ministry—400. (5) Number training for other types of church work—300. (6) Total amount of financial support provided these colleges by the Baptists of North Carolina through the Cooperative Program—350,000. (7) Average amount per student from the same source—$70. (Compare this amount with the more than $400 per student spent by the State to tducate those enroled in its colleges and university.)

Respectfully submitted,
Dean A. Ward

Moderator Walker then recognized Pat H. Hill, missionary to Nigeria who stated that he would be glad to visit any of our churches and show the pictures he made on the mission field.

Rev. F. M. Huggins pastor of Saluda led the closing prayer and the Association stood adjourned to meet with East Flat Rock Baptist Church August 6, 1952.

M. L. Walker, Moderator
Roy D. Campbell, Clerk

Brief Digest of reports as given by Missionary Campbell:

Number of Baptisms	551
Additions by letter	469
Number Revivals held	75
Total Receipts	$ 252,960.00
Expenses	$ 223,626.00
Valuation church property	$1,395,000.00
10 churches have parsonages valued at	$ 98,000.00

PROCEEDINGS OF THE QUARTERLY MEETING

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

BALFOUR BAPTIST CHURCH, April 29, 1951

The quarterly meeting of the Association convened with the Balfour Baptist Church at 2:30 p. m., April 29, 1951. Brother D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS" and "HEAVENLY SUNLIGHT". A short devotion was conducted by Reverend W. C. Huntley and Prayer by Reverend C. E. Blythe.

The roll was called and 36 Churches were represented. Mrs. Junius Huggins gave a report on the Training Union work, and Mrs. O. J. Smith reported on W. M. S. Announcement was made by Roy Huggins that a Bible School Clinic would be held with Fruitland Baptist Church, Tuesday, May 8th from 4:30 to 9:00 p. m.

After Brother M. K. Sinclair gave the Treasurer's Report an offering was taken. On motion and second the next quarterly meeting was called off because of the nearness of the time for the Annual Meeting—August 7th at Refuge Baptist Church.

Brother C. E. Scarborough read a letter of appreciation concerning the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute and its great work with and for preachers, and the body voted to send this letter to Dr. M. A. Huggins, Secretary of the State Baptist Convention.

Mrs. Howard Sitton, Vacation Bible School Leader for our Association brought a fine message on "WHY A VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IN EVERY CHURCH."

Special Music was rendered by a trio from Shaws Creek. Dr. J. C. Canipe, Secretary of Evangelism of North Carolina brought a wonderful and very helpful message on "CONSERVING THE RESULTS OF OUR SIMULTANEOUS REVIVALS".

Reverend Vilas Minton led the closing prayer.

Meeting adjourned.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE QUARTERLY MEETING

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

UPWARD BAPTIST CHURCH, Oct. 29, 1950

The quarterly meeting of the Association was called to order by the moderator, M. L. Walker, and D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS", and "THERE IS POWER IN THE BLOOD". Scripture by Rev. Leo Bell and prayer by Rev. W. H. Davis.

31 Churches were represented and there were 19 Pastors present. Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Reid of Mills Home were recognized and welcomed by the moderator.

A brief business session was held and Training Union officers were elected and the Director, Howard Smith discussed plans for "M" night on December 5th at First Church, Hendersonville, N. C. The committee on Reception of New Churches recommended that Oak Forest be admitted to fellowship in the Association. Victor Rector made a motion that they be accepted, and F. D. Hills seconded. Motion was carried. Rev. W. H. King, the pastor, was presented to the Association and words of welcome were given by Moderator Walker. An invitation for the next quarterly meeting was extended by Tuxedo Baptist Church and the body voted to accept. An offering was taken for Association Missions.

Brief plans for promotional work in the Carolina Association were presented by Missionary Roy D. Campbell.

Chairman of Evangelism, Rev. D. H. Daniels, presented plans for the simultaneous revivals and N. B. Phillips made a motion that our Association participate wholeheartedly. Motion carried.

Dr. W. C. Reid, Superintendant of Mills Home brought a wonderful message on "DIRECTING THE CHILD IN HIS QUEST FOR FREEDOM".

Meeting adjourned.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE QUARTERLY MEETING

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

TUXEDO BAPTIST CHURCH, Dec. 31, 1950

Moderator called the meeting to order. Mrs. John Sinclair, Organist and Don Wilkie, Chorister led the opening hymn "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS". Scripture by Mrs. Lindsey and Prayer by N. B. Phillips. Roll Call of Churches revealed that 23 Churches were represented and 26 Pastors were present.

Next meeting to be with the Balfour Baptist Church, April 29th at 2:30 p. m.

Resignation of Howard Smith, Associational Training Union Director, was announced and referred to Executive Committee.

Missionary Campbell discussed plans for the coming year; Evangelistic Crusade; Bible Schools, and Election on Beer and Wine for Henderson County.

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair led in the W. M. U. Program and presented T. G. Proctor who spoke on R. A. Work. Mrs. Sinclair reported 10 new societies last year.

Roy Huggins discussed plans for Sunday School for new year. Brother W. B. Sinclair had a fine message on Bible Study in January urging the use of Dr. R. G. Lee's new book, "THE BIBLE AND PRAYER".

Rev. D. H. Daniels presented a challenge to all the Churches to enter the Crusade, March 25 - April 8.

Special Music, "THE LOVE OF GOD" by Trio from First Church Hendersonville.

Brother Daniels presented Dr. J. C. Canipe, Secretary of Evangelism of North Carolina, who stirred the hearts of all with his dynamic message on the need of evangelism in this darkened hour of the world's need.

Meeting adjourned.

OUR BELOVED DEAD

BARKER HEIGHTS
Mrs. Z. B. Hart

BARNWELL
Mrs. Vertie Barnwell

BEAR WALLOW
Mr. Thomas Huntley

BEULAH
Mr. A. F. Cantrell

CROSS ROADS
Mr. C. L. Osteen
Mr. Herman Burrell
Miss Phalby Lindsey

DOUGLE SPRINGS
Mrs. Martha Shipman

EAST FLAT ROCK
Mrs. D. H. Laughter
Mrs. John Stepp
Mrs. J. B. Ward

EBENEZER
Mrs. W. W. Bagwell

ETOWAH
Miss Faye Gossett
Mrs. Whitt Nickelson

FLETCHER
Mrs. Agnes Baldwin
Mr. J. E. Sanders
Mr. Burgin Baldwin

FRENCH BROAD
Mrs. J. Z. Cleveland

FRUITLAND
Mr. J. W. Garren (Deacon)
Mr. R. M. Pryor (Deacon)
Mrs. Emma Lyda

GREEN RIVER
Mrs. Hattie Hart
Mrs. Levi Beddingfield

HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST
Mrs. A. V. Reese
Mrs. Foster Bennett
Mr. J. F. Brooks (Deacon)
Mrs. E. R. Brown
Mrs. Nancy Ann Forest
Mrs. Andrew C. Gallamore
Mr. W. A. Garland
Mr. L. E. Hesterley
Mrs. Joe P. Hollingsworth
Mr. John Hyder
Mrs. Purnia Lyda
Mr. S. Maxwell (Deacon)
Mrs. Mitchell O. Orr
Mrs. Mary Emma Pruitt
Mr. Victor E. Rector (Deacon)
Mrs. J. L. Redden

HOLLY SPRINGS
Miss Thelma Blalocq
Mrs. Serepta Smith
Mrs. Dureal Rhodes

HOOPERS CREEK
Mrs. Amanda Beddingfield

HORSE SHOE
Mrs. Grant Worley
Mr. Flem Galloway

MILLS RIVER
Mr. W. M. Sitton

MOUNT MORIAH
Mr. Ralph Freeman

MOUNTAIN HOME
Mrs. W. F. Merrell
Mr. Lola Gilliam

MOUNTAIN PAGE
Mr. J. L. Staton

MUD CREEK
Miss Carrie Nelson
Mrs. Freeman Thomas

NAPLES
Mr. Joseph Eli Messer
Mr. C. M. Beddingfield

OAK FOREST
Mrs. Ida Mae Garren

OAK GROVE
Mr. Pink Tompkin (Deacon)
Mrs. Rufus Kuykendall

PLEASANT HILL
Mrs. Wilma Summay Swan

SALUDA
Mr. Jake Owens

SHAWS CREEK
Mrs. Nannie Cillins
Miss Hettie Merrell

TRYON, FIRST
Mrs. Sarah Going
Mr. Jimmie Going
Mr. Eugene Gosnell

TRYON, SECOND
Mr. Emory Bradshaw (Deacon)

TUXEDO
Mr. B. H. Hill

HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith			
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshu Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshu Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text. Gen. 35:34
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Saluda	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Fruitland	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Beulan	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Conner	J. T. Freeman	Hoopers Creek	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Riverside	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Fruitland	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Mt. Gilead	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	E. H'ville	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	T. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthorne	Salem	K. W. Cawthorne
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mt. Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	E. Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargent	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	E. Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Mrs. J. L. Redden	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Chas. Vause	H'ville 1st	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Fletcher and	W. W. Worley
			E. Flat Rock	Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek	O. M. Seigler
			and Refuge	B. G. Henry
1945	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Horse Shoe	J. N. Shuford
			and Balfour	L. A. Erwin
1946	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Oak Grove	Wayne Peek
1947	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Mud Creek	Fred Poplin
1948	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	H'ville 1st	Ralph Banning
1949	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Valley Hill	C. E. Scarborough
1950	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Dana	D. H. Daniels
1951	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Refuge	W. C. Huntley

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A — CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location Rural V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	Gains		Losses	Total			Special Information			
					Baptisms	Letters and Other Additions	Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	Total Resident Members	Total Non-resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Revival Meetings Held	Number Tithers	State Paper in Budget	Are Members Asked to Pledge to Church Budget
Balfour	V	1908	All	W. C. Huntley, Balfour, N. C.	9	29	3			350	2			Yes
Barker Heights	V	1944	All	C. E. Haynes, 112 Stepp St., H'ville	19	7	8			136	2			.....
Barnwell	R	1864	1-3	O. J. Smith, Hendersonville	4	1	1	14	5	19	2			.....
Bat Cave	R	1892		S. P. Stapp, Chimney Rock	5	4	3	77	50	127	1	1		.....
Bear Wallow	R	1868	All	Howard Smith, 212 East 8th St., Gastonia	5	6	5	56	25	81	2	20		.....
Berea	R	1921		J. E. Blythe, R. 3, Hendersonville	12	8	2			112	2			.....
Beulah	R	1880		J. E. Blythe, R. 3, Hendersonville	15	2	17	223	15	255	1			.....
Broad River	R	1866	All	J. T. Dotson, R. 2, Asheville	4		3	31	43	78	2			.....
Calvary	T	1937	All	Wm. L. S. Keen, So. Church, H'ville		10	5	131	181	312	1			.....
Cedar Springs	R	1887		Wm. Jackson, Horse Shoe						110				
Crab Creek	R	1834	2-4	Carl Taylor, Rutledge Dr., H'ville						212	1			No
Cross Roads	R	1912	2-4	J. E. Osteen, R. 3, Hendersonville	4	10	4			136	2			.....
Dana	R	1936	All	F. M. Orr, Dana	9	16	7	93	30	123	2	25		.....
Double Springs	R	1871	1-3	G. M. Beddingfield, Tuxedo				58	50	108	1			.....
East Flat Rock	T	1911		N. B. Phillips, Hendersonville	21	17	7	322	25	346	2	30	No	No
Ebenezer	R	1877	All	L. K. Holbert, Hendersonville	27	20	11			489	1			No
Etowah	R	1926	2 4-5	W. F. Sinclair, Arden	7	5	12	154	53	207	1	7		
Fletcher	V	1938	All	Vilas Minton, Fletcher	9	38	7	208	52	260	1		No	No
French Broad	R	1789	All	B. G. Henry, Hendersonville		1	1	40	12	52	1	3		.....
Friendship	R	1875		Paul Stepp, Mill Springs										.....
Fruitland	R	1875	2-4	N. A. Melton, R. 2, Hendersonville	10	8	11			197				.....
Green River	R	1846	All	Virgil Jones, Balfour		12	2	101	20	127	1	15		.....

H'ville, First	C	1844	All	Mack M. Goss, Hendersonville	74	104	91	1266	434	1700	2	325	No	No
H'ville, West	T	1936		W. R. Hester, Hendersonville	15	7	3	238		238	3	40		
Holly Springs	R	1860	1-3	Richard Pace, Hendersonville		2	5	75	27	102	1			
Hoopers Creek	R	1776	All	Odell Barnwell, Fletcher	13	12	8	240		240	2	24		
Horse Shoe	V	1888		Cecil Worsham, Fletcher	19	6	10			194	2	18		
Jones Gap	R	1892	All	Lawrence Rhodes, R. 1, H'ville	11	18	7	54	58	112	2			
Laurel Springs	R	1906		John J. Huntley, Fletcher										
Liberty	R	1884	All	Harold McKinnish, R. 5, H'ville	2					45	2			
Locust Grove	R	1898		Woodrow Maxwell, Balfour	2					100	1			
Macedonia	R			George Flynn										
Middle Fork	R	1886	1-3	Ensign Chattam						52				
Mills River	R	1835	2-4		8	1	4	60	65	125	2			
Mt. Gilead	R	1883		W. F. Sinclair, Arden	28	4	6			230	1			
Mt. Moriah	R	1896	1-3	Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe	18	2	2	169	90	259	2			
Mt. Olivet	R	1882		Richard Pace	4					75				
Mt. Zion	R	1900		Harold McKinnish, R. 5, H'ville						6				
Mtn. Home	R	1892		William Jackson, Horse Shoe		3	5			283	1			
Mtn. Page	R	1789		Carl Blythe										
Mtn. Valley	R	1933		John Middleton	15					112				
Mtn. View	V	1949		Cecil Worsham, Fletcher	16	2	3	40	2	42	2			
Mud Creek	R	1804	All	J. A. Anderson, Etowah	32	9	12	305	144	451	1	25		
Naples	V	1942	2-4	N. B. Phillips, Hendersonville	10	4	20	75	30	105	1			
Oak Forest	R	1950	All	J. C. Cartee, Tuxedo	5	2	13	55	1	56	2	20		
Oak Grove	R	1875	2-4	D. K. Brevard, Fletcher	8	6	10	56	2	58	2	12		
Pacolet	V	1916	2-4	Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe				200		200	2			
Pleasant Grove	R	1859	1-3	G. M. Beddingfield, Tuxedo	2	1	9	44	121	165		2		
Pleasant Hill	R	1880	1-3	John Middleton, Naples	18	11	6	100	60	189	1	4		
Refuge	V	1837	All	George Roberts, Dana	34		13			419	2	63		
Saluda	T	1882	All	F. M. Huggins, Saluda	3	6	8	133	39	172	1	18		
Shaws Creek	V	1881	All	T. G. Proctor, Hendersonville	13	9	4	163	69	232	1	22		
Tryon, First	T	1892	All		19	20	43	298	16	298	2	13	Yes	
Tryon, Second	V	1924	1-3	Leonard Harrell, Forest City	5	4	1	48	40	88	2			
Tuxedo	V	1910	1-2-3-4	Wayne Peek, Tuxedo	3	5	4	293	100	393	2	25		
Upward	V	1943	All	Leo Bell, Tuxedo	7	15				85	2	4		
Valley Hill	V	1908	All	Allard Garren, Stepp St., H'ville	18	15	21	230	135	365	2			
Warrior Mtn.	R	1933	All	M. R. Earley, Saluda		1	1	30	20	50		1		
Zion Hill	R	1916		Harve Stanberry, Hendersonville		7		125	25	150	1	10		
Totals					551	461	416	5808	1970	11064	73	726		

TABLE B—THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

ASSOCIATIONAL SUPERINTENDENT

Roy Huggins

Hendersonville

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT												V. B. S.	
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes and Departments	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance
Balfour	E. D. Dunlap, Balfour			28	40	53	55	26	147	6	5	360	287	158	136
Barker Heights	Robert Glover, Sptg. Rd., Hendersonville		8	13	9	18	21	20	16			104	96		
Barnwell	Mrs. O. J. Smith, 105 Hall St., H'ville	4		10	6	10	8		14	5		59	18	34	31
Bat Cave	Wm. Garven, Bat Cave			13	12	12	13		40			90		28	24
Bear Wallow	David Meeks, Gerton			6	6		5	11	25			53	36		
Berea	G. D. Davis, R. 3, Hendersonville	4					14	16	26			68	43		
Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, R. 3, Hendersonville			20	12	25	19	20	45			140	75		
Broad River	Paul Dotson, Black Mountain		4	4	3	10	5	3	24			53	30		
Calvary	M. M. Hoots, Stapp St., Hendersonville		5	19	14	28	25	27	41			159	98	113	84
Cedar Springs	Arthur Osteen, Zirconia											70	60		
Crab Creek	Lawrence Barnwell, Willow St., H'ville											60	53		
Cross Roads	T. C. Burrell, Zirconia			17		5		22	24		7	68	50		
Dana	R. N. Hazeltine, R. 1, Hendersonville			14	5	7		14	36		3	79	44	59	50
Double Springs	Troy Thomas, Zirconia					7			22			29			
East Flat Rock	Rafe Lockaby, Hendersonville	17	19	15	46	39	52	113	82			383	329	115	82
Ebenezer	Alton Stepp, Hendersonville			25	25	25	32	35	100			243	200		
Etowah	Garland Jones, Horse Shoe	10		36	21	26	31	18	84		1	226	102	100	86
Fletcher	Howard Garren, Fletcher			42	40	38	28	32	47		4	231	127	135	98
French Broad	R. M. Pinson, R. 5, Hendersonville			8		6		2	15			31	20		
Friendship	Willis Johnson, Saluda														
Fruitland	Howard Pryor, R. 2, Hendersonville	12	4	10	21	33	12	11	78	15		196	112	82	70
Green River	Glen Pace, Flat Rock		4	17	7	7	23	12	44		7	116	87	57	50

H'ville, First	C. F. Jervis, Hendersonville	48	106	75	94	129	100	108	419	100	8	1187	575	194	155
H'ville, West	John Rollins, John St., Hendersonville			26	15	20	19	12	55		3	150	115	92	82
Holly Springs	Anna Jo Merrill, Penrose			6	10	8	6		12			60	28		
Hoopers Creek	Charles Youngblood, Fletcher			44		43	37	51	67			242		144	123
Horse Shoe	Lewis Davenport, R. 5, Hendersonville			15	25	40	35	55	40			210	113	111	88
Jones Gap	Charley Mace, R. 3, Hendersonville			19		5	9	30	39		1	101	33		
Laurel Springs															
Liberty												45			
Locust Grove	Carl Clingpell, R. 2, Hendersonville			5	6	10	8	12	39			80	50		
Macedonia															
Middle Fork															
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe			10	6	10	15		30			71	38		
Mt. Gilead	C. C. Ballard, Fletcher			15	18	12	32	5	42			124	80	86	55
Mt. Moriah	Clannie Laughter, R. 1, Hendersonville			15	23	31	22	17	66			174	95	75	64
Mt. Olivet	Columbus Harriman, Zirconia			10	5	10	15	10	20			70	55		
Mt. Zion															
Mtn. Home	Lloyd Laughter, Edneyville			25	20	25	31	30	34			171	100		
Mtn. Page															
Mtn. Valley															
Mtn. View															
Mud Creek	Arthur Freeman, Teman St., H'ville	10	21	35	35	48	30	87	44	20	10	350	165	119	93
Naples	Elmo Orr, Naples		16	17	19	26	24	37	68			207	117	75	53
Oak Forest	J. L. Youngblood, Fletcher											115	80	63	54
Oak Grove	Raymond Capps, East Flat Rock			14		8	10	15	16			95	60	63	50
Pacolet	Elmer Morgan, Lynn			20	15	30	10	20	40			135	105	95	
Pleasant Grove	M. H. Shuford, R. 1, Penrose			12		15	20	20	8		1	75	50		
Pleasant Hill	Mary Freeman, R. 3, Hendersonville			10	13	14	20	15	20			92	60	40	30
Refuge	W. J. Ballard, Flat Rock		6	19	42	44	29	72	53		3	268	184	150	118
Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda			22	17	12	14	36	24			125	77	78	62
Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, R. 4, Hendersonville	5	8	16	12	20	26	22	40		12	161	103	56	52
Tryon, First	Laxton Hamrick, Tryon	9	27	25	28	26	21	27	78	30	3	274	146	135	125
Tryon, Second	Theodore Burrell, Tryon		6	12	12	16	13	25	18		3	115	90		
Tuxedo	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo			27	12	29	30	20	129		2	249	117		
Upward	Robert Borough, Flat Rock	12			20		20		17		5	74	66		
Valley Hill	M. J. Banning, R. 3, Hendersonville	4	8	17	21	19	27	62	48	14	6	226	142	119	106
Warrior Mtn.	Ned Anderson, Saluda				10	6			10			26			
Zion Hill	Roy Burrell, Zirconia			15		15		35	25			110	85		
Totals		132	242	823	745	1020	952	1189	2341	190	87	8132	4753	2490	1966

TABLE C TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR Mrs. Junius Huggins Hendersonville	No. Nursery Units	No. Beginner Units	No. Primary Units	No. Junior Units	No. Intermediate Units	No. Young People Units	Adult Units	Total Number Unions	Nursery Enrolled	Beginners Enrolled	Primaries Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Adults Enrolled	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
Balfour	Miss Edna Corn, Balfour		1	1	1	1	1	1	6		3	5	12	10	8	16	2	56	40
Barker Heights																			
Bat Cave	Jno. Burroughs, Bat Cave																	39	
Bear Wallow	Mrs. Modeen Bradley, Gerton		1		1		1	1	4		2		6		14	10		32	28
Beulah	P. L. Cantrell, R. 3, Hendersonville		1		1		1	1	4		8		12		25	20		65	50
Calvary	L. E. Garren, Hendersonville	1			1	1	1	1	5	4			5	15	13	16	5	58	36
Dana	Katherine Hazeltine, Dana				1	1	1	1	4				4	7	12	20	3	46	
East Flat Rock	Dan Pace, East Flat Rock		1		1		1	2	5		5		12		25	30	3	75	45
Etowah	Mrs. Bernice Roberts, Etowah			1	1	1	1	1	5			6	14	12	10	6	9	57	40
Fletcher	Mrs. Tom Whitaker, Fletcher			1	2	1	1	1	6			15	28	12	12	29	2	98	40
Fruitland	J. C. Justus, R. 2, Hendersonville		1	1	1	1		2	6		5	11	19	13		34		82	52
Green River	Alvin Staton, Zirconia		1		1	1		1	4		14		6	11		20		54	

H'ville, First	Keith A. Arledge, Hendersonville	2	1	1	4	4	2	5	19	14	19	17	69	62	32	110	5	323	168
Horse Shoe	Betty Lou Pettit, R. 5, Hendersonville		1		1	1	1	1	5		12		20	22	13	11	5	72	59
Mills River	Cora Belle Gillespie, Horse Shoe		1		1		1		3		7		8		20			35	30
Mt. Gilead	Mrs. H. H. McLaughlin, Horse Shoe		1		1		1	1	4		12		15		25	25		77	65
Mt. Moriah	Mr. Foy Hill, Edneyville		1		1	1		1	4		12		21	22		17		72	45
Mtn. Home	Lloyd Laughter, Edneyville		1		2	1		1	4		12		15	20		10		60	
Mtn. View	Glenn Laughter				1	1		1	3				4	11		9		24	
Mud Creek	Miss Louise Satterfield, R. 3, H'ville				1	1	1	1	4				14	15	8	15	3	55	39
Naples	Walter Davis, Naples			1	1	1	1	1	5			7	12	18	14	17	6	74	47
Oak Forest	Mrs. Katherine Ruth, Fletcher			1	1	1		1	4			19	21	12		29	10	91	70
Pacolet			1	1	1	1	1	1	6		20	15	30	10	20	40		135	105
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Charles W. Morgan, R. 4, H'ville			1	1	1			3				10	14	14		5	38	28
Pleasant Hill	H. C. Ivester, R. 3, Hendersonville				1	1	1	1	4				10	12	13	9		46	30
Refuge	Grady Walker, R. 2, Hendersonville			1	1	1	2	1	6			13	18	6	23	10		74	58
Saluda	Clyde Whitlock, Hendersonville		1			1		1	3		8			19		16		43	
Shaws Creek	Harvey F. Drake, R. 4, Hendersonville		1		1	1		1	4		8		9	18		15	8	50	45
Tryon, First	Fred Powell, Tryon	1			1	1	1	1	5	3			14	9	12	11	3	52	35
Tryon, Second	Miss Marie Arrowood, Tryon			1	1	1	1	1	5			4	4	8	5	10		31	30
Tuxedo	Mrs. H. J. Lindsey, Tuxedo		1		1	1	1	1	5		9		17	11	15	11	5	63	43
Valley Hill	Mrs. Ross McCall, Spring St., H'ville			1	2	1	1	1	6			8	8	18	17	20		81	48
Totals		2	18	12	36	28	23	34	144	14	165	120	569	394	269	623	69	2207	1315

TABLE D WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL PRESIDENT Mrs. M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	W.M.S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	R. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	R. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Enrolled in Mission Study	Total Tithers All Organizations
Balfour		1	1	1		1	4	15	25	20		25	65	30	15
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, R. 1, Flat Rock	1	1	1	1	1	5	10	4	5	3	3	25	25	15
East Flat Rock	Mrs. D. G. Wilkie, Hendersonville	1	1	2	1	1	6	12	8	18	14	20	72	54	60
Etowah	Mrs. G. W. Allison, Etowah	1						30					30		
Fletcher	Mrs. D. M. Livingston, Fletcher	1					1	20						16	
French Broad		1						16							
Fruitland	Mrs. C. D. Pittillo, R. 1, Hendersonville	2	1	1	1	1	6	33	10	14	16	12	85	33	17

Green River	Mrs. Clyde Morgan, Zirconia	1						20										
Hendersonville, First	Mrs. James R. Stewart, Box 122, H'ville	1	1	2	1	1	6	203	6	22	3	30	264	258	104			
Calvary	Mrs. Jess Brooks, R. 5, Hendersonville	1	1	1			3	22	9	9			40		22			
Mt. Moriah	Mrs. Albert Hill, Edneyville	1						20						15	4			
Mud Creek	Mrs. Juanita Justice, R. 3, Hendersonville	1					1	23							10			
Naples	Mrs. Roy Smith, Naples	1		1	1	1	4	18		11	11	15	55					
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lathe Williams, R. 4, Hendersonville	1						10					10		2			
Refuge	Mrs. Zura Hall, R. 1, Hendersonville	2	1	2	2	1	8	30	15	43	32	42	162		56			
Saluda	Mrs. W. G. Egerton, Saluda	1		2		1	4	11		12		12	35	50	7			
Shaws Creek	Mrs. G. H. Orr, White Pine Drive, H'ville	1	1	1	1	1	5	15	4	15	16	15	65	35	20			
Tryon, First	Mrs. John Moore, Tryon	2		2	1	1	6	52		14	5	25	96	50	10			
Tuxedo	Mrs. H. J. Lindsey, Tuxedo	2	1	2	1	1	7	25	11	14	8	12	80	25	10			
Upward	Mrs. Andy Hill, Flat Rock	1	1	1	1		4	40	11	8	10	11	40					
Totals		24	10	19	11	11	70	625	103	205	118	222	1124	591	352			

TABLE E. BROTHERHOOD WORK—BUILDING—GOALS

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES Keith Arledge Hendersonville	Enrolment of Brotherhood	Meetings Held During Year	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Goal Co-operative Program or Unified Budget New Year	Goal Association Missions Coming Year
Balfour			2	10000.00	25000.00			156.00
Barker Heights					12000.00			
Barnwell					1200.00			
Bat Cave					10000.00			
Bear Wallow					6000.00	262.64	50.00	5%
Berea					5000.00			
Beulah					15000.00			
Broad River					3000.00			
Calvary					40000.00			
Cedar Springs				7000.00	5000.00			
Crab Creek					6000.00			
Cross Roads					3500.00			
Dana		8	12	10000.00	35000.00		10%	3%
Double Springs					10000.00			
East Flat Rock					125000.00	5809.73		
Ebenezer					20000.00			
Etowah					15000.00			
Fletcher				5000.00	30000.00			60.00
French Broad					20000.00			
Friendship					8000.00			
Fruitland	H. L. S. Drake, R. 1, Hendersonville	18	12		25000.00	3500.00	16000.00	600.00
Green River					10000.00			

Hendersonville, First		100	7	15000.00	550000.00	36000.00		
Hendersonville, West					25000.00			
Holly Springs					500.00			
Hoopers Creek					15000.00			
Horse Shoe					20000.00			
Jones Gap					3000.00			
Laurel Springs					3000.00			
Liberty					2000.00			
Locust Grove					5000.00			
Macedonia					2000.00			
Middle Fork					2000.00			
Mills River					2000.00		100.00	25.00
Mt. Gilead				6000.00	26000.00	3500.00		
Mt. Moriah					10000.00			5%
Mt. Olivet					5000.00			
Mt. Zion								
Mtn. Home					7500.00			
Mtn. Page					5000.00			
Mtn. Valley					4000.00			
Mtn. View					10000.00			
Mud Creek					15000.00			
Naples					6000.00			
Oak Forest					10000.00	708.88	100.00	50.00
Oak Grove					10000.00			
Pacolet					10000.00			
Pleasant Grove					3000.00			
Pleasant Hill					5000.00			
Refuge					50000.00			
Saluda				5000.00	8000.00			
Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, R. 4, Hendersonville	14	8		10000.00		200.00	5%
Tryon, First	P. L. Barnett, Tryon	35	12	10000.00	40000.00			
Tryon, Second					30000.00			
Tuxedo				10000.00	25000.00		1000.00	143.00
Upward					10000.00			
Valley Hill				10000.00	25000.00	1570.21		
Warrior Mountain					2000.00			
Zion Hill					15000.00			
Totals		175	53	98000.00	1395200.00	51351.46		

TABLE F—CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	All Receipts Through All Organizations for Year	Total Salaries (Do Not Include Pastor's Salary Here)	Maintenance, Insurance	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses (Excluding Pastor's Salary	Pastor's Salary	Grand Total Local Expense.
Balfour	Dan Lyda, R. 2, Hendersonville	11651.84	240.00	174.77	3681.50	373.42	1003.75	391.36		1274.60	7139.40	3030.00	10169.40
Barker Heights	Dorothy Walker, Box 752, H'ville							96.50				2440.12	2709.69
Barnwell	Clarence Barnwell, R. 1, H'ville	403.77		45.20		38.48	20.00	40.00		15.00	158.68	156.29	314.89
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	2223.85	26.00	412.28		66.26	100.00	128.31		39.30	872.15	829.20	1701.35
Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrill, Gerton	2077.71		226.51	1435.99	94.62	59.30	139.57	281.40	18.74	2256.15	736.02	2992.17
Berea	Grady Stepp, East Flat Rock	35.00				50.00		75.00			210.00	240.00	370.00
Beulah	C. G. Thornton, R. 3, H'ville	1500.00	72.00	19.20		134.64		120.32		135.94	482.00	564.44	1046.44
Broad River	Roy Cornner, Black Mountain	439.37	5.00		150.00	35.99		58.08		45.35	294.42	143.93	428.25
Calvary	Leonard E. Garren, Hendersonville	3918.87	395.00	503.94	97.57	206.79	48.19	116.25	300.00	199.00	1786.74	1835.00	3721.74
Cedar Springs	H. G. Capps, Zirconia	1225.00	377.51	115.00	75.41	60.00		84.00		18.70	396.21	700.00	1036.21
Crab Creek	Harold Cabe, R. 3, Hendersonville	1727.12			1000.00	219.49						400.00	1619.49
Cross Roads	Miss Sue Jones, Zirconia	813.30		47.00		83.71	62.00	114.13			306.84	412.34	719.18
Dana	W. T. Willis, R. 2, Hendersonville	3812.12	240.00	132.23		118.60	299.00	538.95	118.76	475.05	1922.29	926.90	2349.19
Double Springs	Mrs. Elbert Peace, Zirconia								60.00			125.00	185.00
East Flat Rock	Hugh D. Morrison, Hendersonville	11209.14	300.00	713.90	48.00	555.62	150.00	300.00	3982.30	435.75	6485.57	2100.00	8585.57
Ebenezer	J. P. Searcy, Hendersonville	5779.28	280.00	295.00		375.00		192.42		150.00	1293.02	4023.26	5316.28
Etowah	R. N. Sentelle, Etowah	3983.52	172.00	205.50	911.14	170.94	184.24	145.58		427.12	2216.52	980.00	3196.52
Fletcher	Mrs. Tom Riddle, Fletcher	5645.19	72.00		2368.64	248.62	308.78	96.20		287.23	3381.47	1935.00	5316.47
French Broad	W. S. Henderson, R. 5, H'ville	2535.50		200.47		66.11	8.00	90.00	700.00	92.00	1156.58	1200.00	2356.58
Friendship													
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, R. 2, H'ville	5000.00		420.58		297.41	85.78	290.45	780.00	212.75	2086.97	1200.00	3286.97
Green River	Henry F. Beddingfield, Zirconia	2000.00		134.11	520.00	233.00		112.10		278.68	591.89	881.38	1473.28

H'ville, First	Francis Drake, Hendersonville	64248.39	9515.00	1558.00		3038.00	538.00	1053.38	31553.53	7267.10	54523.11	5500.00	60023.11
H'ville, West	Mrs. John Rollins, Hendersonville	5348.15		16.42		117.17	690.00	426.00	412.13	466.43	2128.15	2820.00	4948.15
Holly Springs	Odell McKinney, Penrose	364.66				50.00		61.16		30.00	141.16	150.00	291.16
Hoopers Creek	Horace Barnwell, Fletcher	4852.63	300.00	72.50	1330.45	259.33	789.14	213.27			3241.92	1326.20	4568.12
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Finley Pace, R. 4, Hendersonville	4140.47	254.35	1523.26	243.79	185.11	47.50	171.85		113.70	2539.56	1240.80	3780.38
Jones Gap	Mrs. M. S. McCarson, R. 4, H'ville	1271.93	82.98			71.44	58.45	158.30	49.00	38.36	462.51	442.81	905.82
Laurel Springs													
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville	235.85				44.00		30.00			70.00	155.85	225.85
Locust Grove	Betty Clingpell, R. 2, Hendersonville	500.00		75.00		50.00		25.00			125.00	200.00	350.00
Macedonia													
Middle Fork	S. L. Hill, Gerton	700.00				20.00				12.00		350.00	382.00
Mills River	Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe	1588.00		260.00		79.76	10.00			53.00	402.76	660.96	1063.72
Mt. Gilead	E. L. Lanning, Fletcher	4000.00	66.51	41.87	756.75	102.26	24.03	277.03		747.23	2015.74	1820.00	3835.74
Mt. Moriah	Alvin Dalton, R. 1, Hendersonville	4088.85	84.00	857.42	644.00	75.58	64.16	229.22		81.65	2036.03	1352.44	3388.47
Mt. Olivet	Herman Tankelsy, Zirconia	400.00	250.00			50.00		40.00		20.00	110.00	250.00	360.00
Mt. Zion		55.00		30.00		10.00						15.00	55.00
Mtn. Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville	1426.52	95.00	281.95		100.00	73.77			116.77	667.49	702.40	1369.89
Mtn. Page	W. L. Davis, Saluda												
Mtn. Valley													
Mtn. View	Mrs. Ben H. Jones, Hendersonville	1867.00	60.00		870.70	78.35	18.61	88.74		62.85	1297.25	600.00	1897.25
Mud Creek	Glenn Kent, R. 3, Hendersonville		204.00	681.93	4049.21	442.31	468.08	192.16		239.62	6277.81	2651.19	8929.00
Naples	Mrs. Roy Smith, Naples	2850.82	180.00	239.25	80.00	235.64	247.61	35.32		191.64	1209.46	1100.00	2309.46
Oak Forest	G. D. Vaughn, Fletcher		177.00			70.50	30.00	40.00	700.00	72.76	1090.20	936.00	1990.62
Oak Grove	Mrs. Frnacis Mintz, E. Flat Rock	2320.92	120.00	60.00	1199.77	123.44		218.00		77.69	1738.98	511.77	2350.75
Pacolet						134.45					1471.61	1200.00	2806.06
Pleasant Grove	J. H. Drake, R. 4, Hendersonville	970.41	50.00	17.00	67.41	66.00	62.48			159.98	482.87	389.24	872.11
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Julia McMinn, R. 3, H'ville	2897.50	240.00		1327.50	584.00				24.00	1935.50	900.00	2835.50
Refuge	W. W. Ballard, Dana	10226.72	480.00	313.79	5362.68	244.99	330.41	131.00		468.56	7331.43	2324.84	9656.27
Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda	5721.02		233.59	90.70	239.94	162.50	190.00		337.80	1254.53	1900.00	3154.53
Shaws Creek	J. L. Nanney, 5th Ave. West, H'ville		495.90	1336.58		374.54	169.00	189.57		371.93	2937.52	3335.62	6273.14
Tryon, First	R. B. Scruggs, Tryon	8264.36	908.32	1591.03	13968.00	784.52	100.00	310.35		627.89	17388.00	3729.25	21117.36
Tryon, Second	Thomas Metcalf, Tryon	5225.39	350.00			88.02	30.00	92.50	1270.83	604.65	3646.00	1210.00	4856.00
Tuxedo	H. J. Lindsey, Tuxedo	7116.74	447.87	83.60	188.30	265.85	399.69	158.26	1383.17	422.04	3348.78	2860.00	6208.78
Upward	Robert Borough, Flat Rock	805.00	11.45	58.00		40.00	75.00	80.00			265.00	480.00	745.00
Valley Hill	Clinton S. Smith, 316 White Pine, H'ville	5976.22	300.00	808.59		373.22	125.00	195.20	1000.00	446.60	3248.61	2341.80	5590.41
Warrior Mtn.	Mrs. Ima Garrett, Saluda	264.50		17.00	6.00	13.50				24.00	37.50	120.00	264.50
Zion Hill	Mrs. Nora Anders, Zirconia	2142.90		28.80		62.42	439.42	200.00			719.62	900.00	1619.62
Totals		252960.00	16581.89	13831.27	40473.53	11833.04	7281.89	7840.53	42591.12	17221.36	148971.00	69447.26	223626.44

TABLE G—GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY Roy D. Campbell 8 Hunter Bldg., Hendersonville	Cooperative program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Relief and Annuity, Relief, etc.	Total Expenditure for Missions	Grand Total Expenditure for All Purposes
Balfour	Woodrow W. Bentley, Balfour	350.00	176.50	118.00	51.38	129.29		467.20	850.00		2142.37	12311.77
Barker Heights	Robert Glover, Old Spbg. Rd., H'ville								172.69			2709.31
Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, R. 1, H'ville		7.00		19.00			15.50	47.38		88.88	403.77
Bat Cave	Mrs. Carrie F. Cannon, Bat Cave	157.87		20.00				252.18	97.46		527.50	2228.85
Bear Wallow	Mrs. Modeen Bradley, Gerton	75.50	36.80					93.64	78.00	38.84	320.78	3313.95
Berea	Mrs. Grady Stepp, East Flat Rock											
Beulah	C. G. Thornton, R. 3, Hendersonville	223.33						223.33			446.66	1482.76
Broad River	Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mountain							5.00	6.62			11.62
Calvary	Miss Ethel MacMurrey, 505 William, H'ville	3918.87		21.00	25.00	21.00		156.00	37.50			310.50
Cedar Springs	James M. Capps, Zirconia							32.00	6.61	175.80	214.41	1220.62
Crab Creek	Roland Bell, R. 3, Hendersonville							107.63			107.63	1727.12
Cross Roads	Miss Sue Jones, Zirconia							54.84	14.30		68.14	787.32
Dana	Roy F. Saltz, R. 2, Hendersonville	302.85	60.85	43.60	34.70	39.45		138.24	138.95		758.64	3607.83
Double Springs	Mrs. Elbert Peace, Zirconia											
East Flat Rock	Brodus Phillips, East Flat Rock	120.70	210.00	102.75	208.00	236.13		1300.00	362.00	84.00	2633.57	11209.14
Ebenezer	B. E. Marlowe, Hendersonville						181.00	250.00	33.00		464.00	5779.28
Etowah	Mrs. W. A. Morgan, R. 4, Hendersonville	52.00	50.00	73.00	71.00	46.00		370.00	125.00		787.00	3983.52
Fletcher	Mrs. Ruby Garren, Fletcher		45.00		16.50			74.89	146.52		282.38	5599.38
French Broad	Leona Lane, R. 5, Hendersonville	81.92						35.00	14.00	48.00	178.92	2535.50
Friendship												
Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, R. 2, Hendersonville	108.03	50.00	106.80	64.95	133.25		810.20	407.00	36.00	1716.23	5003.20
Green River	Garland W. Levi, Flat Rock					32.00		34.55		170.86	525.42	1998.69

H'ville, First	F. D. Hills, 1516 Druid Hills Ave., H'ville	10799.00	600.00	247.35	325.00	500.00		1056.00	1093.00	1155.00	14703.00	75960.46
H'ville, West	W. A. Pressley, Hendersonville					300.00		50.00	50.00		400.00	5348.15
Holly Springs	Odell McKinney, Penrose	364.66		5.00	5.00		5.00	5.00		10.00	30.00	321.16
Hoopers Creek	Glazner Bagwell, Fletcher		10.00			37.12		131.58	66.48		275.18	4843.30
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Oscar Pettit, R. 5, Hendersonville			11.61		13.43		180.00	134.18		339.22	4119.60
Jones Gap	Mrs. Virgil T. Jones, R. 4, H'ville							11.25	14.00		25.25	930.57
Laurel Springs												
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville								10.00			10.00
Locust Grove	Wayne Brevard, R. 2, Hendersonville		25.00					75.00				100.00
Macedonia												
Middle Fork	W. D. Winters, Bat Cave											
Mills River	G. C. Field, Horse Shoe	103.40	26.68	19.39	11.82	11.86		281.90	69.37		524.47	1588.19
Mt. Gilead	Ray M. Crawford, Horse Shoe							28.52	103.71		132.25	3967.97
Mt. Moriah	Mrs. Willard Turner, R. 1, H'ville		67.60			29.47			241.02		438.02	4096.98
Mt. Olivet	Herman Tankelsy, Zirconia							20.00			20.00	380.00
Mt. Zion												
Mtn. Home	Roland Jones, Edneyville											1369.89
Mtn. Page	W. L. Davis, Saluda											
Mtn. Valley												
Mtn. View	George Orr, Hendersonville	7.23					33.52		28.61	18.00	87.36	1984.61
Mud Creek	Mrs. Parker Lockaby, R. 3, H'ville											
Naples	Elmo Orr, Naples	141.53	30.00		25.00			202.15	47.00	39.46	510.14	2819.63
Oak Forest	Mrs. G. D. Vaughn, Fletcher	7.22	30.00								37.22	2027.82
Oak Grove	Archie Durham, E. Flat Rock							100.00	25.00		125.00	2490.75
Pacolet	Genell Foster, Lynn	25.00			124.15				243.62		392.77	3198.83
Pleasant Grove	Charles W. Morgan, R. 4, H'ville							106.24	21.31		127.55	999.66
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Jiles											
Refuge	Bessie Marshall, 225 7th Ave. E., H'ville	221.86		31.91	24.75	51.35		155.99	81.59	3.00	570.45	10226.72
Saluda	Mrs. E. B. Hall, Saluda	361.55	202.00	55.60	34.00	89.00	50.00	379.96	124.53	62.81	1359.45	4513.98
Shaws Creek	Troy A. Drake, Hendersonville	216.48	60.00	102.45		53.49	153.91	200.73			787.06	7870.06
Tryon, First	Mrs. B. B. Hester, Tryon	704.66	200.00	10.75	30.00	32.00	175.00	144.70	604.45	144.00	2043.89	23161.25
Tryon, Second	William Whitmire, Tryon							89.00	126.55		215.55	5071.55
Tuxedo	W. J. Lewis, Tuxedo	912.00	143.00				107.50	25.00			1187.50	7396.28
Upward	Mrs. J. F. Hoots, Flat Rock	805.00						60.10			60.10	805.00
Valley Hill	Glenn Summey, 115 School St., H'ville	43.81	50.00					292.00			385.81	
Warrior Mtn.	Mrs. Ned Anderson, Saluda											
Zion Hill	H. E. Taylor, Zirconia							62.00	50.00		112.00	1731.62
Totals		20022.55	2080.33	948.21	1045.25	1733.83	704.93	7802.32	5671.45	842.32	45943.00	243345.16

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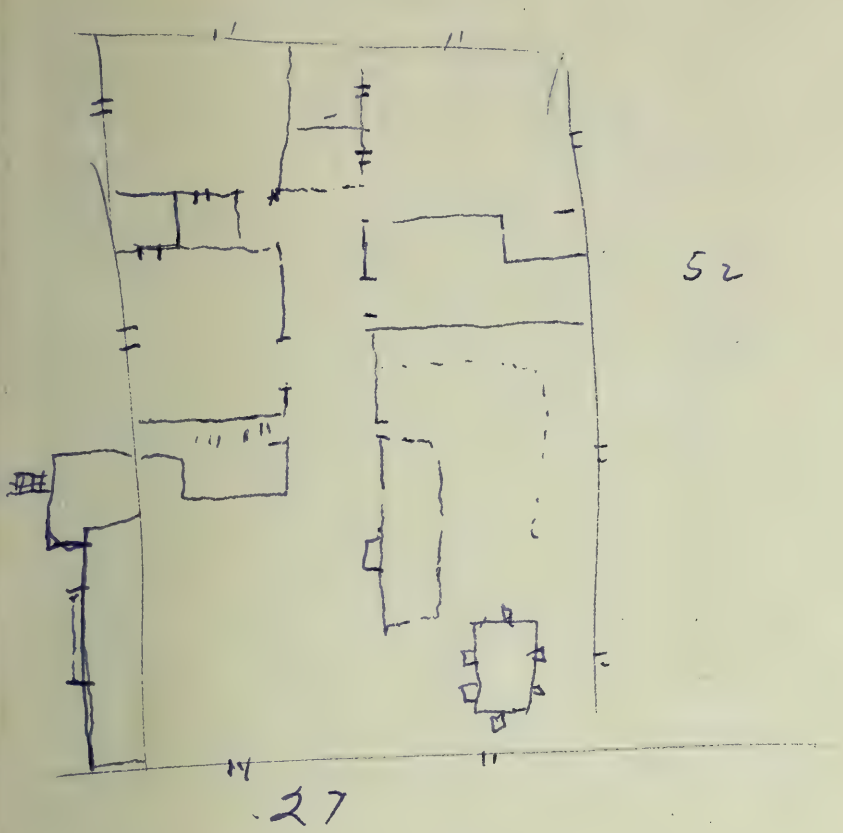
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ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS

Pastors Conference—The Ministers Conference of the association meets each Monday at the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville. The meeting begins at 10 A. M. and all pastors are urged to attend.

Quarterly Meetings—Each fifth Sunday the Association meets at some designated church at 2:30 P. M. and adjourns at 4 P. M.

Sunday School Meetings will be announced by the Superintendent.

Training Union Meetings will be announced by the Director.

The annual meeting of the W. M. U. will be held with East Flat Rock April 21, 1953.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

The Fruitland Baptist Assembly is located six miles from Hendersonville and is in session from June 1 through August 31. Rev. B. G. Henry is director.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE

Located at Fruitland Assembly is the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, a preachers' school conducted each year, in three six-weeks terms, October through March, under the direction of Dr. J. C. Canipe, President and also State Secretary of Evangelism.

CAROLINA BAPTIST OFFICE

The Carolina Baptist Office is located in room 5, Hunter Building, Hendersonville, Phone 4274. Rev. Roy D. Campbell, Associational Missionary, can be contacted at this address. You are invited to this office and will always find a hearty welcome. Residential telephone is 3694 and post office box is 925.

ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

Moderator	M. L. Walker
Vice-Moderator	Albert Hill
Clerk	Roy D. Campbell
Treasurer	M. K. Sinclair
Historian	N. A. Melton
Sunday School Superintendent	Roy Huggins
Training Union Director	Mrs. J. N. Huggins
W. M. U. Superintendent	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair

MINISTERS CONFERENCE

President, Rev. N. A. Melton	Rt. 2, Hendersonville
Vice-President, Rev. Mack M. Goss	Hendersonville
Secretary, Rev. W. F. Sinclair	Hendersonville

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Superintendent, Roy Huggins.....Hendersonville
Associate Supt. in charge of Training,
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Evangelism,
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Enlargement,
Asso. Supt. in Charge of Vacation Bible Schools, Mrs. H. Sitton.
Secretary-Treasurer, Rachel Kuykendall.....Box 1041, Hendersonville
Pianist,
Chorister,

ASSOCIATIONAL TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

Director, Mrs. Junius Huggins.....R-2, Hendersonville
Associate Director, James Brown.....Hilgirt
Sec.-Treas., U. S. Grant.....Old Sptg. Rd., Hendersonville
Chorister, Junius Huggins.....R-2, Hendersonville
Pianist, Miss Loretta Smith.....Gerton
Adult Leader, Mrs. Louise Pitello.....R-2, Hendersonville
Young People, Frank Neville.....Kanuga, Hendersonville
Intermediate Leader, Mrs. L. V. Lyda.....Hendersonville
Junior Leader, Mrs. Fred Swift.....Hendersonville
Story Hour—Mrs. James Brown.....Hilgirt
Group Directors: Albert Hill.....Edneyville
Lee Moore.....Arden
Clayton Croom.....R-3, Hendersonville
Carson Lewis.....Tuxedo
Clyde Whitlock.....Hendersonville
D. G. Wilkie.....East Flat Rock

STANDING COMMITTEES

State Missions.....F. M. Huggins
Home Missions.....W. F. Sinclair
Foreign Missions.....Ralph Banning
Christian Education.....Dean A. Ward
Orphanage.....Arthur Freeman
Hospital.....V. D. Minton
Home for Aging.....W. B. Sinclair
Christian Literature.....M. L. Lewis
Sunday Schools.....Roy Huggins
Training Union.....Mrs. J. N. Huggins
W. M. U.....Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
Temperance and Public Morals.....Zeno Greene

FINANCE COMMITTEE:
Allard Garren, Chairman, M. K. Sinclair, R. N. Sentell, F. D. Hills, M. J. Banning.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE:
M. L. Walker, Chairman, C. F. Jervis, Roy D. Campbell, Mrs. W. C. Huntley, Miss Zora Hall.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:
One Year Term: N. B. Phillips, J. N. Huggins, A. V. Reese, Mrs. L. V. Lyda.
Two Year Term: N. A. Melton, F. M. Huggins, Mrs. M. L. Walker, J. A. Sinclair.
Three Year Terms: H. O. Hearn, W. S. Billingsley, T. G. Proctor, Miss Myrtle Bennett.

MISSIONS COMMITTEE:
N. B. Phillips, Mrs. T. G. Proctor, George Roberts, Mack M. Goss, Mrs. Virgil Jones.

ORDAINED MINISTERS WHO ARE NOT PASTORS

Burrell, C. P.	Tryon
Bunday, Stewart	Greenville, S. C.
Cable, Vincent	Flat Rock
Camp, Everett	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Campbell, Roy D.	Hendersonville
Canipe, Dr. J. C.	417 3rd. Ave. Hendersonville
Capps, Judson	Zirconia
Chapman, Harrison	Lynn
Corn, Edward	Tuxedo
Corn, Quay	Rt. 2, Hendersonville
Crawford, Jerry M.	Arden
Field, William A.	Horse Shoe
Gibbs, Perry	Hendersonville
Gibbs, Albert	412 Hall St., Hendersonville
Greene, J. H.	Hendersonville
Heatherly, Alfred	Zirconia
Hester, B. B.	Tryon
Hollingsworth, Bobo	Rt 4, Hendersonville
Huntley, T. R.	Balfour
Laughter, Albert	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Mace, H. H.	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Mainwaring, C. W.	Hendersonville
McCarson, J. B.	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Merrill, Tom H.	Hendersonville
Moore, M. N.	Hendersonville
Peace, Luther	Saluda
Osteen, Gilleo	Flat Rock
Owensby, J. W.	Flat Rock
Quinn, J. W.	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Quinn, R. P.	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Reese, A. V.	Hendersonville
Rhodes, Darel	Rt. 5, Hendersonville
Rhodes, Lawrence	Rt. 5, Hendersonville
Roberts, W. A.	Hendersonville
Robertson, Edward	Fletcher
Smith, Robert	Balfour
Tillman, Jack	Los Angeles, Calif.
Thompson, Thomas E.	Hendersonville
Tweed, Luther	Hendersonville
Vaughn, Ed	Fletcher
Wall, J. O.	Gerton
West, J. W.	South Carolina
Wilkie, Woodrow	Fletcher
Wilson, Lacy	Hendersonville

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Jimmie Riddlehoover	Albert Gibbs
Clyde Fetner	Tommy Cannon
Floyd Pasell	Alvin Drake
Buddy Mullinax	Tommie Lewis
James Burge	Jobie Lewis
Howard Cable	Horace Barnwell

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Robert Smith	Hendersonville
Alfred Heatherly	Zirconia
Eugene Saltz	Rt. 5, Hendersonville
G. B. McCarson	Rt. 5, Hendersonville
Roy Rector	Hendersonville
Everett Camp	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Judson Capps	Rt. 3, Hendersonville

LIST OF MESSENGERS

BALFOUR: Woodrow Bentley, George Robertson, Ted Huntley, Will Mills, Mrs. Woodrow Henderson, Mrs. C. H. Corn, Mrs. E. A. Justus.

BARKER HEIGHTS: Mrs. Junia Floyd, Mrs. Betty Goforth, Miss Shirley Hyder, Miss Jeannette Nelson.

BARNWELL: Oscar J. Smith, Mary Ellen Lyda, Clarence Barnwell.

BAT CAVE: William Garven, Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Louis Meyers, Mrs. Carrie Cannon.

BEARWALLOW: W. R. Wall, Mrs. Betty Huntley, Miss Ruth Merrill.

BEREA: James Connell, Hayes Tankersley, Eldridge King, Dewey Davis.

BEULAH—Cedar Springs: James A. Capps, Grady Ward, H. G. Capps, Jesse E. Osteen.

CRAB CREEK:

CROSS ROADS: J. C. Burrell, G. D. Burrell, Jarvis Jones.

DANA: R. T. Pace, Mrs. W. T. Willis, Margaret Hazeltine, H. J. Pace.

DOUBLE SPRINGS: Mrs. Clyde Ward, Mrs. Dorothy Hudson, Mrs. Daisy Hudson, Mrs. Beulah Hess.

EAST FLAT ROCK: D. G. Wilkie, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sinclair, Dan Pace, Mrs. G. M. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Mrs. Nora Nanny, W. E. Lowe, Rafe Lockaby.

EBENEZER: Rev. L. K. Holbert, Mrs. L. K. Holbett.

ETOWAH: Ansel Jones, Mrs. R. E. Fletcher, Mrs. John Sumner, Mrs. H. P. Hank.

FLETCHER: Mrs. N. B. Baldwin, Mrs. Bill Pearson, Mrs. Ansil Dunlap, Mrs. Betty Gosnel, T. H. Riddle, C. R. Cunningham, June Baldwin, Mrs. Ernest Galycan, Bill Pearson.

FORK CREEK: Andrew Belcher, B. W. McCravy, Mrs. B. W. McCravy, Mrs. C. M. Lawson.

FRENCH BROAD: Mrs. B. G. Henry, Miss Leona Lane, Mrs. R. M. Pinson.

FRUITLAND: H. L. F. Drake, Howard Pryor, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sitton, Burt Jackson, Mrs. M. A. Melton, Mrs. Louise Pittillo, Mrs. John Freeman.

GREEN RIVER: Mrs. O. W. Staton, Mrs. Fannie Morgan, Mrs. Wessia Corn, Mrs. Cecil Lively, Mrs. V. D. Jones, Mrs. Lum Pace.

HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST: Mack M. Goss, Hannah Brummitt, Lillian Howell, F. S. Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Walker, W. B. Sinclair, Mrs. Fred Bowman, Frank Nevill, Kenneth Hill, F. D. Hill, Mrs. O. J. Smith, Mrs. W. H. Martindale, Miss Betty Smith, Doyle Smith, A. V. Reese, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jervis, Ray Hill, Joe Bennett, Noah Hollowell, Mrs. Arthur Kilpatrick, Mrs. Jesse Neville.

HENDERSONVILLE, WEST: Mr. and Mrs. Frady.

HORSE SHOE: Mrs. Albert Capps, Mrs. Betty Lou Capps, Mrs. Sarah Davenport, Mrs. Ida Davenport, Mrs. Oscar Pettit.

HOPERS CREEK: J. K. Williams, Hoover Wilkie, Hoover Connor.

JONES GAP: Leonard Nelson, Mrs. Leonard Nelson, Mrs. Louise Levi, Virgil T. Jones, Mrs. Virgil T. Jones.

LIBERTY—Eugene Saltz, Tommy Connor, Alum Drake.

LOCUST GROVE:

MILLS RIVER:

MIDDLE FORK: Mrs. Luther Hill, Mrs. Charles Ingram, R. C. Messer.

MT. GILEAD: E. L. Lanning, B. J. Hill, Mrs. Paul Bryson, Mrs. Jerry Crawford, Mrs. Grace Carland, Miss Mildred Butler, Miss Wilma Butler.

MT. MORIAH: Foy Hill, Clannie Laughter, Pierce Dalton, Drama Turner, Inez M. Ballard, Mrs. Leland Capps.

MOUNTAIN HOME: Claude Justice, Nathan Stepp, M. A. Martin, Roland Jones, Charlie Huntley, Ed Jones, Lloyd Laughter, Mrs. Dolly Steppe.

MOUNTAIN PAGE: W. L. Davis, H. G. Jones, Ted Morgan, R. W. Bell, Mrs. Luther Morgan.

MOUNTAIN VALLEY: Buck Maybin, Claude Coggins, Nellie Coggins.

MOUNTAIN VIEW:

MUD CREEK: Parker Lockaby, Mrs. Lula Kent, Mrs. Dewey Orr, Ralph Osteen, Mrs. Tom Lyda, Tom Lyda, Mrs. Gallileo McGraw.

NAPLES: Mrs. Harry Towland, Mrs. Margaret Goins, Mrs. Evelyn Barnette, Mrs. Dora Orr, Spergeon Williams.

OAK FOREST—Birdetta Wilkie, Katherine Ruth, Florence Howell, Marie Lewis.

PLEASANT GROVE: Mrs. James Dalton, Mrs. Robert Wilson, Mrs. Oscar Gray, Mrs. Lathe Williams, Richard Hamilton.

PACOLET: E. Morgan, Mrs. Mamie Thompson, Mrs. Donnie Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Foster.

PLEASANT HILL: Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ivester, Mr. and Mrs. Frances Griffin, Parker Sosbee, John J. Huntley.

REFUGE: W. J. Ballard, W. W. Brown, Mrs. W. W. Brown, Mrs. Eunice Garrett, Mrs. Carrol Lamb, Mrs. Velda Brown, Mrs. Bryan Ledbetter, Miss Betty Garrett, Miss Grace Ledbetter.

SALUDA: Mrs. J. C. Thompson, R. B. Staton, Mrs. Bessie Pace, Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Mrs. Ed Phillips, Mrs. W. G. Edgerton, Mrs. E. L. Pace.

SHAWS CREEK: Miss Della Garren, Mrs. T. G. Proctor, T. G. Proctor, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Glazener.

TRYON, FIRST: Mrs. Harrison Brigman, Mrs. J. W. Taylor, Mrs. Lela Jones, W. A. Hudson, Mrs. Henry O. Hearn, Fred Powell, Eugene Jones.

TRYON, SECOND:

TUXEDO:

VALLEY HILL: Mrs. Evans Hamilton, Mrs. James Barnette, Mrs. Eulas Mintz, Mrs. Tom McGee, Mrs. Charles Painter, D. H. Kilpatrick, Miss Avis Mintz, Francis Ficker.

UPWARD: Mrs. Harley Justus, Mrs. Clayton Ward, Mrs. James Blythe.

ZION HILL: J. B. Hill, B. A. Barnett, Mrs. Nora Anders, Mrs. P. H. Grose, Ray Boyd, Woodrow Lively.

CONSTITUTION

(Mell's Parliamentary Practice Followed)

ARTICLE 1—Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Carolina Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers and pastors of Missionary Baptist churches in Henderson and Polk Counties and other Missionary Baptist churches who wish to unite with them.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members in excess of one hundred. Only the names of the messengers attending the meeting shall be printed in the minutes.

ARTICLE 2—Objects

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for the increasing of mental and spiritual power of the churches, and for developing and directing their energies, their resources and gifts in advancing the Master's Kingdom throughout the entire world.

ARTICLE 3—Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Historian, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational B. T. U. Director, all of whom shall be elected by a majority vote at each annual meeting. These officers shall assume their duties at the close of the associational meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall, by fraternal visitation, counsel and advise with churches regarding their work through the year.

Section 3. The Vice Moderator shall preside at the request of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches in the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment. His annual compensation shall be $50.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall have charge of all the funds which may be raised by the Association, of which he shall give an account at the annual meeting.

ARTICLE 4

Section 1. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as from time to time be deemed advisable.

ARTICLE 5

Section 1. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ, and the ordinances of His house as accepted by Missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, by a majority vote.

Section 2. Any church in good standing in this Association may, on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

ARTICLE 6

Section 1. The Association at any meeting may withdraw fellowship from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

ARTICLE 7

Section 1. This Association regards each Baptist church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body for furthering the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity, the preaching of Christian education.

ARTICLE 8

Section 2. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion or resolution of the body, except to amend the constitution which shall require a two-thirds vote of the members.

ARTICLE 9

Section 3. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the beginning of each day and corrected, if necessary. Before adjournment the entire minutes shall be read and approved.

ARTICLE 10

Section 1. The Association shall before its final adjournment, fix a place for the next annual meeting and select one of the ministers of the body to preach the annual sermon.

ARTICLE 11

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of 12 members, six ministers, three laymen and three women, one third of whom shall be elected each year, together with associational officers as members ex officio.

A quorum shall consist of all members of the Executive Committee present after due notice has been given by card or letter.

2. Program Committee Duties:

A. Work with the committee of the pastors conference in correlating the programs of the two groups.

B. Assume responsibility for programs for meetings of the Association in which objectives of the State and Southern Baptist Denominational calendar shall be given proper emphasis.

C. Cooperate with the Field Worker or Associational Missionary, the Sunday School, Training Union, and Woman's Missionary Union departments of the Association so as to co-ordinate the Associational work.

D. Arrange for special Associational meetings when desired.

E. Prepare and publish programs for the quarterly and annual meetings of the Association.

F. Prepare the Association's calendar of meetings and general activities for the year or shorter periods.

3. Mission Committee Duties:

A. Direct and work with the Association's Missionary in cooperation with the State and Home Mission Boards.

B. Survey the field for more effective action.

C. Establish missions where deemed advisable.

D. Conduct revivals when deemed advisable with pastorless or non-self-supporting churches, or communities without a Baptist church.

E. Organize new churches when and where the Executive Committee deems advisable.

F. Conduct Daily Vacation Bible Schools.

G. Conduct Bible Classes.

H. Conduct association-wide Sunday School revivals.

I. Aid pastorless churches, etc.

4. Finance Committee Duties:

Prepare the Associational budget for proposed work to be done by the Executive Committee through all committees and secure necessary funds to accomplish the proposed programs.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The Association shall convene at 9:30 A. M. on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year.

2. The Association shall open and close with prayer each day. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all meetings of the body.

3. The rules of order may be changed at any session by a vote of majority of members present.

4. That reports be limited to 500 words.

5. All questions of order shall be decided by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

PROCEEDINGS

ASSOCIATIONAL W. M. U.

The 1952 Associational W. M. U. met at Fruitland April 15 at 4 p. m.

Theme—"The Power of Jesus' Name"

Hymn—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

Devotional—"His Name" Acts 3—Rev. Melton.

Prayer—Rev. N. B. Phillips.

Solo—"How Sweet the Name of Jesus"—Miss Lillian Howell.

Season of silent prayer, closed by Mrs. J. R. Morgan—Divisional Superintendent.

Recognition of pastors—six present.

Recognition of visitors and roll call of churches—thirteen churches represented.

Appointment of committees.

Time and Place—Mrs. W. G. Eggerton, Mrs. L. F. Saltz, Mr. D. M. Livingston.

Appreciation—Mrs. Myrtle Bennett, Mrs. R. B. Smith, Mrs. Raymond Pace.

Obituary—Mrs. O. J. Smith.

The W. M. S. presidents chosen for nominating committee—W. M. S. Pres. Tryon, Hendersonville, Refuge, Fruitland, and Naples.

Hymn—"Jesus Shall Reign".

Address—Mrs. Sinclair, Supt.

Special music by 21 members of the Sunbeam choir of Hendersonville, accompanied by Mrs. Albert Drake.

Mrs. Sam Mayo, missionary to Migrants gave a very interesting and instructional talk of her work—"In His Name Among all Nations".

Review of Associational Opportunities by Mrs. M. S. Walker assisted by the chairman of Community Missions, Mission Study, Stewartship, Training School and Margaret Fund. In the absence of the Community Mission Chairman Mrs. D. B. Hart the report was given by the Associate Supt., Mrs. M. L. Walker. An interesting discussion of the real aim of Community Missions was given with numerous voluntary experiences related by various W. M. S. Presidents showing that love and concern in times of need and grief many times is the means of winning the lost. Reports of chairmen—Stewartship, Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Margaret Fund and Training School, Mrs. Fred Swift. Address—Mrs. John Waycaster, State Worker. Mrs. Sidney Pittilo announced supper would be served in the Martha Sullinger Home Dining Room, and invited all to stay. Adjourned for supper.

Worship—Prayer—Rev. Roy Campbell.

Hymn—"Take the Name of Jesus With You".

Scripture—Norman Lockaby and Frances Barton, G. A., girls of East Flat Rock and Shaws Creek Baptist churches.

Special Music—Y. W. A. girls of Refuge Church "Jesus the Very Thoughts of Thee".

Prayer—Rev. Allard Garren.

Report of young peoples' work by Miss Howell as follows:

"Of the 60 churches in our Association, we have young peoples' work in only 14 churches. Of these fourteen there are ten churches which are carrying on a fairly active program: Dana, East Flat Rock, Shaws Creek, Fruitland, Hendersonville First, Mud Creek, Refuge, Saluda, Tryon 1st and Tuxedo. The four churches not reporting are: Balfour, Calvary, Naples and Upward. In these 14 churches we have nine Sunbeam Bands, 19 Girls Auxiliaries, 10 R. A. chapters, and 9 Y. W. A.'s, giving a total of 47 organizations for young people. Of the 47 groups, 24 reported this past quarter. So my theme song is 'If you are doing the work, please report it.' Not that we are working in numbers, but we have no other way of getting an idea of what is being done in our association. I have faith to believe that a great deal more has been done than is shown on the report".

Annie Armstrong Offering—$81.75.
Lottie Moon—$103.97.
Our Associational Leaders are:
Sunbeam Leader—Mrs. Raymond Pace.
G. A. Leader—Rev. T. G. Proctor.
Y. W. A. Leader—Mrs. J. C. Brown, Jr.
Report on address by Rev. Proctor as follows:
Court of recognition at Shaws Creek the first of April. Also later one at Fruitland calling on Wayne Pittillo for report of that meeting. Have 10 active chapters and others we hope to start in the near future. Eleven boys attended the First State R. A. Conference April 4 at Charlotte. We have started a new system of ranking called Advance Badges.
Magazine Demonstration by Mrs. T. G. Proctor was very helpful and especially well given.
Hymn—"I Love to Tell the Story".
Report of Committees—Time and Place—April 21 at East Flat Rock.
Report of Nominating Committee as follows:
Mrs. M. R. Sinclair—Supt., East Flat Rock.
Mrs. N. A. Melton—Associate Supt.
Mrs. R. D. Sutherfield, Hendersonville—Secretary.
Treasurer—Mrs. Fred Bowman.
Young Peoples Leader—Mrs. Hannah Brummitt.
Assistant—Mrs. M. L. Walker.
Y. W. A. Leader—Mrs. J. C. Brown, Jr.
G. A. Leader—L. F. Saltz.
R. A. Leader—Rev. T. G. Proctor.
Assistant—Ray Jones.
Sunbeam Leader—Mrs. Raymond Pace.
Mission Study—Mrs. J. C. Canipe.
Stewardship—Mr. F. M. Huggins.
Margaret Fund and Training School—Mrs. Fred Swift.
Literature—Mrs. T. G. Proctor.
Pianist—Mrs. Amos Bennett.
Chorister—Mrs. Lillian Howell.

A rising vote of thanks was taken to show our appreciation of the hospitality of the Fruitland and Mount Moriah Churches in entertaining the association.

Mrs. J. R. Morgan, Divisional Supt., conducted a very impressive installation service, closing with prayer.

Closing prayer—Rev. Roberts.

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Supt.
Mrs. Fred Bowman, Sec.

PROCEEDINGS

1. The Seventy-sixth annual session of the Carolina Baptist Association was called to order by Moderator M. L. Walker in the First Baptist Church of East Flat Rock, August 5, 1952. Brother D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS" and "WE'LL WORK TILL JESUS COMES".

2. Major Henry O. Hearn, pastor of First Baptist Church of Tryon read the 12th chapter of Romans and led in prayer.

3. The following visitors were recognized by the chair: Dr. J. C. Owen of South Carolina, Roger H. Crook of Meredith College, Lawrence Erwin of South Carolina, Dr. W. K. McGee of Baptist Hospital and Mrs. Ed Walker of the Ashe Association.

4. The clerk called the roll of churches and 43 were represented by messengers. The number later was revised upward to 50 and 52 letters from the churches were in the hands of the clerk.

5. The following officers were elected:

Moderator	M. L. Walker
Vice Moderator	Albert Hill
Clerk	Roy D. Campbell
Treasurer	Milas K. Sinclair
Historian	N. A. Melton
S. S. Supt.	Roy Huggins
T. U. Director	Mrs. Junius Huggins
Chorister	D. G. Wilkie
Pianist	Mrs. J. A. Sinclair
Director of Men's Brotherhood	Keith Arledge
Director of Young Men's Brotherhood	Frank Neville

7. The following program was presented and adopted by the body.

PROGRAM

76TH ANNUAL SESSION

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

August 5, 1952

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

East Flat Rock

9:45 Music
Scripture & Prayer—Rev. Henry O. Hearn.

10:00 Organization—Roll Call of Churches.
Recognition of visitors, adoption of program.

10:30 Sunday Schools—Roy Huggins.

10:45 Report of Associational Missionary—Roy D. Campbell.

11:00 Treasurer's Report, and consideration of Associational Budget for coming year.

11:15 Report of committee on committees.

11:20 Appointment of committees.

11:25 Men's Brotherhood—Keith Arledge.

11:35 Young Men Brotherhood—Frank Neville.

11:45 Annual Sermon—N. A. Melton, alternate—Allard Garren.

12:30 Lunch.

AFTERNOON SESSION

1:30 Music

1:35 Scripture and Prayer—W. A. Billingsly.

1:40 Periodicals—F. M. Huggins.
Address—L. L. Carpenter, Editor Biblical Recorder.

2:00 Temperance and Public Morals—N. B. Phillips.

2:10 Baptist Home for the Aged—J. M. Hayes, Supt.

2:20 Women's Work—Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Supt.

2:45 Training Union—Mrs. J. M. Huggins.

3:00 Ministers' Retirement—Judge J. E. Shipman.

3:10 Report of all Committees—Business.

3:20 Historian Report—N. A. Melton.

3:30 Obituaries—W. F. Sinclair.

3:40 Adjourn.

NIGHT SESSION

8:00 Music
Scripture and Prayer—Rev. Jake Cartee.

8:10 Report on State Missions—Vilas Minton.

8:20 Report on Home Missions—M. L. Lewis.

8:30 Report on Foreign Missions—Allard Garren.

8:40 Address—M. A. Huggins, Sec'y N. C. Baptist State Convention.

Christian Education, Orphanage and our Hospital were each discussed at a quarterly meeting during the year. Program Committee suggests that representatives of these agencies be recognized during the session as time permits.

6. The following pastors were recognized: George Roberts, Leo Bell, F. M. Huggins, N. B. Phillips, M. L. Lewis, W. S. Billingsley, W. F. Sinclair, O. J. Smith, Troy Lunsford, W. C. Huntley, Vilas Minton, N. A. Melton, Ralph Banning, A. B. Ledford, Harold McKinnish, Cecil Worsham, General Beddingfield, Finley Orr, Zeno Greene, T. G. Proctor, Mack M. Goss, Allard Garren, Henry O. Hearn, Ensign Chattam B. G. Henry, J. C. Cartee and A. V. Reese.

7. Rev. B. G. Henry, was recognized and made special announcement about Fruitland for the next several weeks and urged all who would to attend these meetings.

8. The Sunday School work was presented by Roy Huggins who read the following report which was adopted:

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

AUGUST 5, 1952

This Sunday School year has been very fruitful in many respects, we feel. With concentrated efforts on trying to put in effect the theme for the past two years: "Take Your Family To Sunday School." Our first Associational Sunday School Meeting this year was launched around this theme. With 67 present from 8 churches, 4 pastors were present.

January through March were months of Bible and Study Courses.

In April an Associational Vacation Bible School Conference 25 churches participated in this with 110 present. All 25 of the churches promised to have a Vacation Bible School this year. A goal for 43 Vacation Bible Schools in our Association was set.

These past few months of the Associational year have been concentrated on Vacation Bible Schools and Mission Schools.

We have had two Associational Officer's Meetings and have written 550 letters and cards in the interest of Sunday School work.

There has been Church and Sunday School growth in the past few years, many of the churches have grown from once-a-month preaching service to half and full-time churches. Also there is a noticeable growth in departmental work largely due from more emphasis being put on Grading and Promotion Day.

Fruitland Assembly offers great opportunities for Church advancement and better teaching. May we magnify our opportunities of the day!

Respectfully submitted,
Roy Huggins

10. Mrs. Howard Sitton was presented and gave the following supplementary report:

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

August 5, 1952—Flat Rock Church

I. Vacation Bible School In Carolina Association.

A. Back in April a group of VBS and SS workers were asked to set a goal for the number of VBS that we expected to hold this year. We were asked, "Can't you be 100%—a BVS in every church?" That would have been wonderful. Our Associational Missionary suggested that he always liked to make at least a passing grade in everything so we set 70% of our churches—or 42 VBS in Carolina Association in 1952 as our goal.

According to the Associational Minutes the number of schools held this year have so far fallen short of our goal. We have had 32 schools—one of these a negro mission school. Unless some of you have failed to report schools you have had, we have ten more schools to go to meet our goal this year.

I have been curious about the growth of VBS in our associations through the years. From our Assn. Missionary and from our VBS Dept. Bulletin, I have found these figures that I believe you will find interesting. In a way they show ten years of progress in VBS work.

In 1942 we had reported in Carolina Assn. only 8 VBS

1943	5
1944	5
1945	1
1946	11
1947	20
1948	22
1949	28
1950	30
1951	34
1952—Incomplete	32—42, goal

In a way this report might be called a report of ten years of progress. But when we remember that all of those years we had 50 or more churches in our Association. We know that only in the last four years have we had even 50% of our churches holding VBS. This report then shows us that we need to double our efforts to reach every church and every boy and girl in Carolina Association with summer training.

B. At our annual VBS Clinic, held this year at Mud Creek Church in April, we were led by a fine group of workers sent by our State Department. Twenty-two of our churches participated. These clinics are most helpful. I've attended them for several years and each time I come away with new ideas. Our S. S. Superintendent Roy Huggins does a splendid job year after year in securing a splendid group of leaders for us. Next year when you are invited to a VBS Clinic, plan to attend and take a group of workers with you. f you don't find it worthwhile, I'll take all the blame.

C. I fear several of our schools this year are being held for only five days. Let me urge you to plan for ten days next year. The boys and girls want a ten day school. The conscientious teacher needs ten days to cover the suggested materials. If I'm eating chocolate pie (and I do like chocolate pie) and just as I'm served someone comes and cuts my piece of pie in half, I'm surely disappointed. You would be too! That's how many boys and girls feel at the end of a five day VBS. Don't take away half of their VBS opportunities next year.

II. N. C. Sunday School Week at Fruitland.

We Baptists in the Carolina Association are especially fortunate to have in our midst the Fruitland Assembly. People from all over our state come to worship and study together in our own county. We are missing many great opportunities if we do not join them there every time we can.

Next week, August 11-16 is of special importance because it is N. C. Sunday School Week. The morning sessions begin at 8:30 and last until 12:30. Conferences under the direction of Mr. L. L. Morgan will suit every Sunday School worker and pupil. Some of the leaders will be Mrs. Davis Cooper, Mr. J. L. Corzine, Rev. D. P. Brooks. The Worship Service at 12 o'clock each day will be led by Dr. S. L. Stealey, President, Southeastern Baptist Seminary, Wake Forest.

Evening sessions beginning Monday Night start at 7:30 o'clock. The Christian Home Hour will be led by Rev. Edwin F. Perry of the Broadway Baptist Church, Louisville, Ky. The Inspirational Message will follow each night by Dr. Stealey.

Who should attend: Pastors, General SS Superintendents, Dept. or Class Officers, Teachers, Parents, Assn. Officers, VBS Officers, Juniors and Intermediates. In fact, no one is left out.

Plan to be at Fruitland either for the morning conferences beginning at 8:30, Tuesday thru Friday. At the Morning Worship hour—12 o'clock, at the evening worship service, 7:30 o'clock.

III. Promotion Day in Carolina Association.

Some of our Sunday School Departments and Classes are already looking forward to Promotion Day in October. The pupils and teachers are planning and working toward that goal. In a recent Associational S. S. Workers Conference it was noted with regret that many of our Sunday Schools do not have this promotion day habit. We would like to encourage each Sunday School Superintendent, Dept. Superintendent, or if you do not have a Department, class teachers to study your S. S. Builder and write to the S. S. Board, Nashville, Tenn., for additional information relative to Promotion Day.

It can be a highlight in a pupils S. S. experience even as the last day or promotion day is in public schools. Don't you remember how pleased you were and maybe sometimes how surprised to see the words "Promoted" on your report card. We can make promotion to the next class in our Sunday Schools just as special, just as climatic for our boys and girls, young people, and even adults by just a little planning and preparation. There's time now to get ready for Promotion Day this fall. Carolina Baptist should have Promotion Day in all of our churches.

RECOMMENDED BUDGET
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Salary — Field Worker	$2,220.00
Car and travel expense	800.00
Office Rent	204.00
Telephone - telegraph, postage and supplies	180.00
Clerk	50.00
Minute Fund	350.00
Sunday School Promotion	50.00
Training Union Promotion	50.00
Miscellaneous	96.00
	$4,000.00

Members of Finance Committee present: M. L. Walker, Albert Hill, John A. Sinclair, Roy Huggins, M. K. Sinclair.

We recommend that those who are able base their contributions on 10% of pastor's salary. Those who are not able to do this—we recommend 5% of pastor's salary and if there are those who think this too much we recommend that you take an offering each 5th Sunday and bring your offering to our Quarterly meetings.

This recommendation is for 1952-1953.

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair

12. Roy D. Campbell, Associational Missionary gave an oral report of his work for the year stating that he had conducted more than 700 services and gave assistance in every way possible but still was unable to answer all the calls which came. He expressed appreciation for the fine cooperation of the pastors and people of the association and especially for the leaders in Sunday School, Training Union, and W. M. U. Work.

13. Rev. M. L. Lewis of Dana expressed appreciation of the work of the Missionary and asked for a rising vote of thanks from the association which was given while standing and before the Moderator called for the Treasurer's report.

14. The Moderator announced the importance of the evening session and urged all to attend. Dr. M. A. Huggins of the State Convention to be the speaker.

Brother M. K. Sinclair gave the following Treasurer's report:

REPORT OF TREASURER
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1952

Balance on hand Aug. 1, 1951		$ 147.68
Contributions to maintain Field Worker		2855.82
Contributions to Field Worker for supply		123.25
Receipts at Quarterly Meetings		243.22
Received for Minute Fund		314.20
		$3684.17
Disbursements:		
Salary and Expense—Field Worker	$3184.25	
For printing of Minutes	331.35	
Student Fund	39.00	
Service charge—State Trust Co.	1.50	$3556.10
Balance on hand		$ 128.07

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Churches Contributing To Support Of Field Worker And Minute Fund

	Field Worker	Minutes
Balfour	$ 171.00	$ 25.00
Barker Heights		3.00
Barnwell		3.00
Bat Cave		5.00
Bear Wallow	36.84	5.00
Berea		3.00
Beulah	28.22	
Broad River		2.50
Cross Roads		5.00
Dana	61.33	10.00
Double Springs		4.00
East Flat Rock	210.00	10.00
Ebenezer	25.00	5.00
Etowah		10.00
Fletcher	60.00	10.00
Fruitland	60.00	10.00
Green River	10.03	4.00
Hendersonville First	764.78	25.00
Holly Springs		3.00
Jones Gap		1.00
Liberty		3.00
Middle Fork		4.20
Mills River	84.22	10.00
Mt. Gilead		5.00
Mt. Moriah	74.45	10.00
Mtn. Page		5.00
Mtn. Valley		7.00
Mtn. View		2.00
Mud Creek	285.54	20.00
Naples	70.00	7.50
Oak Forest	16.30	5.00
Oak Grove	15.00	5.00
Pacolet	25.00	10.00
Pleasant Grove		5.00
Refuge	36.86	
Saluda	120.00	10.00
Shaws Creek	106.25	10.00
Tryon First	242.00	15.00
Tryon Second	60.00	6.00
Tuxedo	143.00	10.00
Upward		5.00
Valley Hill	150.00	10.00
Warrior Mountain		1.00
Zion Hill		5.00
	$2855.82	$314.20

For year ending July 31, 1952.

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

The Committee on Committees makes the following report:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

STATE MISSIONS ..... F. M. Huggins
HOME MISSIONS ..... Rev. W. F. Sinclair
FOREIGN MISSIONS ..... Ralph Banning
CHRISTIAN EDUCATION ..... Dean A. Ward
ORPHANAGE ..... Arthur Freeman
HOSPITAL ..... Rev. V. D. Minton
HOME FOR AGING ..... W. B. Sinclair
MINISTER'S RETIREMENT ..... Rev. N. A. Melton
CHRISTIAN LITERATURE ..... Rev. M. L. Lewis
SUNDAY SCHOOLS ..... Roy Huggins
TRAINING UNION ..... Mrs. J. N. Huggins
W. M. U. ..... Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS ..... Rev. Zeno Green
FINANCE COMMITTEEE ..... Allard Garren, Chairman, M. K. Sinclair, R. N. Sentell, F. D. Hills, M. J. Banning
PROGRAM COMMITTEE ..... M. L. Walker, Chairman, C. F. Jervis, Roy Campbell, Mrs. W. C. Huntley, Miss Zora Hall

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

One year term: N. B. Phillips, J. N. Huggins, A. V. Reece, Mrs. L. V. Lyda.

Two year term: N. A. Melton, F. M. Huggins, Mrs. M. L. Walker, John Sinclair.

Three year term: Rev. H. O. Hearn, Rev. W. L. Billingsly, T. G. Proctor, Miss Myrtle Bennett.

Missions Committee: N. B. Phillips, Chairman, Mrs. T. G. Proctor, Rev. George Roberts, Mrs. Virgil Jones, M. M. Goss.

OBITUARIES ..... Rev. A. V. Reece

Signed:
N. A. Melton
Mack Goss
Allard Garren

The report was adopted.

16. The moderator appointed the following committees:
Resolutions: W. S. Billingsley, Woodrow Jones, Zeno Green.
Reception of new churches: M. L. Lewis, F. M. Huggins, Leo Bell.
Time, place and preacher: N. B. Phillips, George Roberts, O. J. Smith.

17. The moderator recognized the following visitors: Dr. L. L. Carpenter, W. H. Kendall, Charlie Parker, Phil Elliott, Howard Smith, and Ralph Nix.

18. Frank Neville of the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville spoke briefly on the work of the Brotherhood and presented Kenneth Hill who made the following report on Young Mens' Brotherhood which was adopted:

It is with pleasure that we report that the Young Mens' Brotherhood, a recently formed organization, has made much progress during the last year. There is a total of 6 churches in our organization, with our meetings being held on the first Monday of every third month. During the past year we have had four meetings. The purpose of our meetings is to sponsor missionary activities.

We would like for more churches in the association to attend our meetings. All the churches have been contacted and we hope for better response in the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
Kenneth Hill

19. Brother Charlie Parker, pastor of the First Baptist Church of New Bern, presented the following visitors who spoke briefly of their respective schools: Dr. Phil Elliott of Gardner-Webb, W. H. Kendall of Mars Hill, Dr. Hastings of Wake Forest, and Dr. Roger H. Crook of Meredith.

20. D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms". Allard Garren read the scripture, Romans chapters 12 and 13, after which Rev. N. A. Melton preached the Introductory Sermon using as his text Romans 12:1—"DEDICATION OF SELF TO THE WILL OF GOD".

Dr. Phil Elliott dismissed the meeting with prayer and offered thanks for the abundant meal, which was served by the ladies of the host church.

AFTERNOON SESSION

21. The Association reassembled at 1:30. W. S. Billingsly read 1 Corinthians 13 and led in prayer.

22. F. M. Huggins gave the following report on periodicals, which was adopted.

REPORT ON PERIODICALS

Long ago the prophet of God said: "My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge". A knowledge of God and his word are essential to the Christian life and to the life of our churches.

The Bible comes first; after that good books, which will help in the understanding of the Bible, and provide inspiration for Christian living.

Among the various periodicals which are helpful to our Baptist people the following may be listed: Biblical Recorder, Charity and Children, The Commission, Southern Baptist Home Missions, Home Life, W. M. U. literature, and the literature for our Sunday School and Training Unions published by our Sunday School Board. We recommend all of this literature as sound, suitable, adapted to our needs and unsurpassed for its literary quality.

We would recommend also Charity and Children, ably edited by Mr. J. Marse Grant, to our Sunday Schools, which may be had in clubs of 10 or more to the same address at 60 cents per year. More of our Sunday Schools should receive Charity and Children, and thus provide the information and inspiration which comes with every issue.

It remains for me to say a word of commendation for the Biblical Recorder, the organ of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina. The Recorder was founded in 1833, three years after the organization of the Baptist State Convention, and since that time it has been going into the homes of our people. The Recorder has grown through the years. Today it has a circulation of 50,000, which means an increase of 5,000 in the past year. Under the leadership of Dr. L. L. Carpenter, as Editor and Business Manager, the Recorder has not only greatly increased in its circulation, but the size of the paper has been enlarged to 24 pages, providing religious news, editorials, the Sunday School lessons, various departments of our work, contributed articles, pictures, and many other helpful features.

Let us support our Baptist State paper. Dr. Truett once said concerning our Baptist State papers: "A worthy enlistment of Southern Baptist in practical cooperation with the work of the local churches, and in caring for Christ's cause, both at home and abroad, is vitally dependent upon the information and inspiration given weekly by our Baptist papers. It is a tragedy for any Baptist family to fail to receive and regularly read the Baptist State paper". The Recorder has three subscription plans: $2.50 a year for individual subscriptions; $2.00 a year in clubs—a minimum of 3 subscriptions required for every church reporting less than 100 members, and 5 subscriptions for every church reporting more than 100 members; $1.50 for every family plan—one subscription for every resident family.

Subscribe today.

Respectfully submitted,
F. M. Huggins

The report was discussed by Dr. L. L. Carpenter, Editor of the "Biblical Recorder".

23. Rev. N. B. Phillips made a report on temperance and public morals, which was discussed by Dr. R. M. Hause of Shelby. The report follows:

As far as this association is concerned, a report of this nature is useless. We have three times petitioned the election board for an election, in the hope of lessening the consumption of wine and beer in this county, and three times been denied.

Our people in the United States are today spending more for drink than for education and Christianity combined. We have 40,000,000 habitual drinkers, and they have a stronger voice in the State and Nation than all the praying thousands.

There are 300,000,000 hungry children in all parts of the world. In the breweries of America, grain is being converted into liquor and beer, this could save these. This state of affairs will continue so long as church members in the state and nation vote for men who take their orders from liquor bosses.

Respectfully,
N. B. Phillips

24. The following report on "Resthaven", Baptist Home for the Aging, was given by Dr. J. N. Hayes, superintendent of the Home, and adopted by the association.

REPORT ON NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOME FOR THE AGING — RESTHAVEN

Winston-Salem, N. C.

Operation of Resthaven was begun March 16, 1951. Soon after the opening it was filled to capacity, twenty residents. When the news spread of the beginning, applications began to accumulate rapidly. To date, there have been close to 500 inquiries. Had there been rooms available, and all applicants could have made financial arrangement, our Home would have had 200 residents instead of only twenty at present.

There is encouraging prospect of getting the top floor of the present building completed, which will provide space for fifteen additional residents. The cost of this enlargement project has been underwritten by a business man of Winston-Salem, who is not a Baptist. This same friend has already donated a television set, and has concreted the basement of the Home.

Our residents range in age from 64 to 92 years, and come from widely scattered sections of our State—Franklin to Elizabeth City. All rejoice in the opportunity to be in the Home. Here are some of their statements:

"I like this good Christian Home and all the family. I would not exchange it for any other in all the world."—Mrs. J. L. Smith, coming from Franklin.

"This 'more than we expected' about this Home makes us all hope and pray that more men and women may come to enjoy its many blessings."—Miss Ella Moffett, coming from Southern Pines..

"I never thought I would be so happy in my last years of life."—John Holt, age 92, coming from Wilson Mills.

In spite of the fact that Resthaven did not receive financial assistance last year from the Baptist State Convention (except a loan which was repaid), it was operated clear of a deficit. How did this happen? By the Lord laying our needs upon the hearts of friends and causing them to respond. Of course, the Home was compelled to charge the cost of keep from the residents who came on the monthly-pay plan. The income from this source, together with that coming from residents giving property or cash for their maintenance, plus donations by churches and auxiliary organizations and friends, enabled the Home to pay its way and to accumulate assets in excess of $100,000.00.

Beginning the year 1952, with the new Nine Year Program, our Home receives three-fourths of 1% of the funds to be divided. From this source has come less than $500.00 per month since January of this year. The Home is estimated to receive a total of approximately $500,000.00 in NINE YEARS. It is apparent, therefore, that slow provision for enlarged facilities will be made to accommodate the hundreds of aging people who want to come to our Home, unless funds come from other sources than our denominational program as it now operates.

Our Home presents a great challenge to North Carolina Baptists to provide adequate facilities. There are probably 100,000 people in our State past 65 years of age, and a large number of these are of Baptist faith. We must make provision as time and finances permit for these aging Baptists. Since Baptists of our State now number more than 700,000 in membership, we are well able to make such provision. If every Baptist would give an average of $1.00 to our Home in one year, we could raise $700,000.00 and not one person would suffer hardship. As soon as a practical and adequate plan of support can be agreed upon, it is reasonable to expect that our Baptist Home will be worthily supported.

Many suggestions have been made as to the best plan of supporting our Home. Among them are: (1) Fifth Sunday offerings through the Sunday schools, as the Virginia Baptist Home plan; (2) special day offering, as the Mother's Day plan for our Baptist Hospital; and (3) putting the Home in the local church budget, and appealing to the churches that have no budget for at least one special offering a year.

Either of these plans, supplemented by such special gifts as may come from individuals and corporations, and provision made in wills, would enable the Home to make reasonable progress, and thus enlarge our facilities on the pay-as-you-go plan.

We are closing our report with a statement made by a prominent furniture manufacturer, Mr. B. C. Philpott, of Lexington, N. C.

> "I consider this one of the most important forward steps the Baptists of North Carolina have taken in a long time, because it is indeed a great move and one that has been neglected all too long.
>
> Mrs. Philpott and I want to have a part in this fine undertaking, and herewith you will find my check for one thousand ($1,000.00) dollars, which we desire used as a memorial to our son, B. C. Philpott, Jr.
>
> May the Lord continue to bless you in such a noble work."

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me" (Matthew 25:40).

Prepared by:
James M. Hayes, Sup't.

25. The following report on WMU work was read by Mrs. Sinclair and adopted.

REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION FOR THE YEAR 1952

Our women have labored lovingly and well during the year. As I review the work I find it both gratifying and challenging. The Lord has been gracious to us and has led steadily forward. We have been drawn closer together in Spirit and purpose.

Our 21 missionary societies have reported better. We have received reports from each one for a whole year. Community missions have greatly improved. More of our members have made definite effort in soul winning.

The three special seasons of prayer have been observed. We cannot measure the far reaches of prayer, but we are thankful that more praying has been manifested. In Ephesians 6:18 you will recall the words of Paul: "Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance." Was there ever a time when the call to prayer comes more urgent for watchfulness. Satan knows the power of prayer and is therefore quite diligent in his effort to draw us away from it. Many things are wrought in our prayer life.

We have 213 new tithers in our missionary societies, and 40 in our young peoples organizations. This makes a total of 727 tithers on our membership of 1,346. We note 799 giving regularly through our cooperative program. God uses these gifts to extend His kingdom. $4,025.86 were given through special offerings. Greater interest in the reading of mission books. Two societies report where each member has read one or more books.

We trust to reach more of our young people through the leadership of our new young peoples leader, Miss Hannah Brummitt. We greatly appreciate the interest our associational R. A. counselor has. He feels deeply the need of reaching our boys: when we save a boy, we save a man for God's glory and service. He needs our help and prayers.

We face the challenge such as we have never had before with the world at our door pleading for the message that has been entrusted to us: "Go make disciples of all nations." That is our business; that is the task. If we fail, we fail Him who came and gave His life that men might have life regardless of race, creed, or color.

May we have more churches with open doors for mission work. We appreciate the interest our pastors have had in meeting with us at our annual meeting. May we continue to feel you are praying for use as we turn our faces to the future with the "conquering Spirit of the conquering Christ".

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair

Mrs. Hannah Brummitt announced Workers Institute at Fruitland August 19-20.

26. Rev. T. G. Proctor, R. A. leader, presented to the association Rev. Frank Hopkins, divisional R. A. leader, who brought a timely message on the importance of R. A. work.

27. Mrs. J. N. Huggins, training union director, presented the following report, which was adopted and discussed by Joe Bennett of the First Church.

TRAINING UNION REPORT

Five new unions have been organized during this associational year. Most of the churches have had or are planning a study course. The following churches had Juniors in the Junior Memory Work Tournament at the state assembly at Fruitland: Calvary, Fruitland, Green River, Hendersonville First, and Mount Moriah.

Twenty two churches were represented at the Mass Meeting in December. The Rev. E. V. Plemmons was the guest speaker at this meeting. May we strive to put a training union in every church.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Junius Huggins

28. The Ministers' Retirement report was given by Brookshire Sinclair, and adopted.

MINISTERS' RETIREMENT RELIEF AND WIDOWS' SUPPLEMENTAL ANNUITY PLAN

The Ministers' Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention was established for the purpose of aiding our Baptist preachers in case of disability or retirement from active service. The plan has been enlarged to include other church employees and the Widows' Supplemental Annuity Plan. Anyone wishing information on the retirement plan may write to Dr. M. A. Huggins, Raleigh, N. C.

This plan offers a degree of security for ministers in their declining years, or their widows.

The Relief and Annuity Board is facing the future with grave apprehension because so many pastors who have never been members of the Relief and Annuity plan are retiring and asking that their names be placed on the relief roll.

About half the pastors in North Carolina have been issued certificates of membership, but many of these are delinquent in their payments.

In 1950 the Relief and Annuity Board spent over $6000 more for relief in North Carolina than North Carolina Baptists gave; and the board spent $14,397.11 more than Southern Baptists gave for relief.

These facts explain why the Relief and Annuity Board feels grave concern, as contributions do not keep pace with the demand for relief. And these same facts should give concern to any minister or church employee who plans to ask for membership in later years, for no institution can long operate with a deficit.

The Relief and Annuity Board is appealing to the churches to take special offerings to supplement the present inadequate funds. The Board is also urging that all ministers and church employees become active members of the plan. Unless more money comes in from these sources, it will be necessary to refuse aid to non-members.

The present 4 2-3% of the Cooperative Program is not sufficient to meet the demand for relief.

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. Sinclair

29. The historian's report was given by N. A. Melton and adopted.

REPORT OF HISTORIAN 1952

For the purpose of showing something of the progress in our association over a period of forty years, we have compared some statistics taken from the records of 1911 and 1951. Comparison is made of some twelve items listed in each of the two minutes of the two years being considered by placing the reported figures in parallel columns, and the calculated amounts of increase and the percentage of increase in two additiona columns as follows:

Items	1911	1951	Increase	Pct.
Number of churches	33	58	26	78%
Value of church property	62,484.	1,343,849.	1,281,365	2050%
Building and repair	2,830.	40,473.	37,643	1329%
Number of members	3,658	11,064	7,406	202%
Number of baptisms	243	551	308	126%
Enrollment in S. S.	3,015	8,132	5,117	170%
Number of W. M. S.	9	20	11	122%
Number of pastors	20	47	27	135%
Total pastors' salaries	4,373.	69,447.	65,074.	1490%
Average pastors' salary	219.	1,478.	1,259.	575%
Gifts to Orphanage	71.	7,802.	7,731.	10918%
Missions and Beneficiences	1,080.	33,047.	31,967.	2958%

Please note that in 1911 the average amount paid per member for pastor's salary was $1.19 and for missions only 29 cents. In 1951 the average per member for pastor's salary was $6.27 and for missions $3.00. Still, pitably low, is it not?

But worse yet, in the matter of Sunday school attendance and in winning the lost we are not doing as well as did our parents. In 1911 the Sunday school enrollment equaled 82% of the number of church members, but in 1951 there was a drop to 73%. In the matter of evangelism in 1911 there was one baptism for every 15 church members, but in 1951 we reported only 1 baptism for every 20 church members.

In recent years we have made great progress in buildings and equipment, in a larger number of better trained pastors, and in our contributions to our organized work. "These things ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone".

Respectfully submitted,
N. A. Melton, Historian

30. Reports of committees: August 4, 1953.

Time, Place, and Preacher: Mud Creek Baptist Church. Mack M. Goss, sermon. George Roberts, alternate.

Reception of new churches—no report.

Resolutions:

We recommend that the Carolina Association express their appreciation to the people of East Flat Rock Baptist Church for their fine hospitality, and quality and quantity of good food.

Respectfully submitted,
W. S. Billingsly
Virgil D. Jones
Zeno Green

31. Dr. W. C. Reed was recognized and brought readings from Mills Home. Dr. W. K. McGee brought greetings from the hospital. Rev. W. F. Sinclair read the Obituary List and the association stood in silent prayer.

The closing prayer was led by Rev. W. S. Billingsly.

The meeting adjourned until 8:00 in the evening.

NIGHT SESSION

32. The body reconvened at 8:00. D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "Jesus Is Mine" and "Have Faith in God". The devotion was conducted by Rev. Jake Cartee from Psalms 139.

33. The reports on missions were given as follows:

State Missions ..... Vilas Minton
Home Missions ..... M. L. Lewis
Foreign Missions ..... Allard Garren

REPORT ON STATE MISSIONS

State Missions embraces 18 different activities: teaching, training, summer assemblies, visual education, radio, evangelism, missions pastors, work among the Indians, silent people, schools for ministers, Allied Church League, work in rural churches, and the Baptist Student Union. Last year the churches of our Association gave $948.21 for these different causes. This year we gave $1340.40 according to the records of the churches furnished the association. This is an increase of $392.19 over last year.

Let us remember that our State Mission Program calls for $150,000 for the coming year. Let us see that each church gives something to this cause for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
Vilas N. Minton

HOME MISSION REPORT

The Home Mission Board (Located in Atlanta, Ga.) was organized in 1845 along with the Southern Baptist Convention. This Board has done a much needed and important work through these 107 years. In fact its work is indispensable, if Baptists are to carry out the Mission of Christ. It is now in the midst of a five-year crusade of evangelism, and results thus far have been gratifying. It is constantly opening new Mission stations among the language groups, in City missions and in the western states. New churches are being organized by the hundreds each year by its workers. Its total income, since its organization has been more than $39,000,000 or an average of about $352,000 per year.

The Home Mission Board, believes the gospel is for everyone, regardless of race or nationality, therefore it has set out the following goals:

(1) To double the number of good will centers.
(2) To add 500,000 unaffiliated Baptists to our churches.
(3) To double the number of churches in the outposts of the Board's Mission field.
(4) To have every church in the territory of our convention winning souls to Christ.
(5) To establish 181 missions in the language group field.
(6) To secure 200,000 subscriptions to "Southern Baptist Home Missions".
(7) To publish and distribute 200,000 Mission books. And
(8) To secure a total of 500,000 attendance in schools of missions.

If we feel that these and other goals of our Home Mission Board are worthy and worthwhile; then we should give it our support. Advance, has been the keynote of our Home Mission Board's program. We know that the advance of the Foreign Mission Board depends largely on the advance of the Home Mission Board. State, Home and Foreign Missions are simply the three persons in the trinity of Missions. We cannot afford to try supporting one at the expense of another. Therefore, we recommend the "Cooperative program" as the channel through which we support missions.

Respectfully submitted,
M. L. Lewis

FOREIGN MISSION REPORT

"The Field is the World . . ."

A report of the services and achievements accomplished through the Foreign Mission Board in 1951 could never be made by the use of statistics alone. Spiritual contributions and accomplishments cannot be measured by figures. Figures alone applied to the ministry of Jesus while he was on earth would prove him a failure. In the report presented herewith missionaries tell very briefly the story out of which figures come.

Southern Baptists have, at the beginning of 1952, a total of 832 missionaries who are serving in 30 countries of the world. They are associated with 3,000,225 members. These churches operate 3,660 mission points which have an enrollment of 17,700. During the year, 18,372 members were added to the churches by baptism.

The objective in all these countries is to develop indigenous churches which will become evangelizing agencies of their own people. Therefore, the churches promote the various types of organizations for training, teaching, and promotion that our churches in America have. They have 2,600 Sunday schools with 192,600 pupils enrolled, 1,200 Training Unions, with 31,000 members, 900 Woman's Missionary Societies which have 25,700 members, and 1,300 auxiliaries with 23,800 enrolled.

Five hospitals, 10 dispensaries, and five clinics ministered to 43,000 patients in areas where medical facilities are available for only small margins of the total population.

In 1951 Southern Baptists contributed $6,900,000. Approximately 95 per cent of this amount was appropriated for support of missionaries and work on mission fields abroad. Approximately 2 per cent was used for administrative expenses, and the balance for promotion and miscellaneous items.

I move the adoption of this report.

Respectfully submitted,
Allard Garren

The reports were adopted. Secretary of the State Baptist Convention, M. A. Huggins, spoke to the reports on the subject "The Spiritual Undergirding of all Missions". "The whole mission plan and purpose of the church," said he, "can be put in five words":

Admit
Remit
Submit
Commit
Transmit

34. The closing hymn was "Blest Be The Tie That Binds".

Rev. F. M. Orr led the closing prayer and the association adjourned until Nov. 30, 1952, when it will meet at Valley Hill Baptist Church.

M. L. Walker, Moderator
Roy D. Campbell, Clerk

QUARTERLY MEETING OF
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
MILLS RIVER BAPTIST CHURCH, June 29, 1952

The Carolina Baptist Association met in quarterly session with Mills River Baptist Church Sunday, June 29, 1952 and was called to order by the Moderator, M. L. Walker at 2:30. D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS".

Host Pastor, Zeno Greene welcomed the messengers and visitors and conducted the devotional. 27 pastors were present and 30 churches were represented.

Reports were made by the departments of Sunday School, Training Union, W.M.U., Associational Treasurer, and Field Worker.

Rev. W. C. Huntley made a brief oral report on Mills Home and Editor Marse Grant of Mills Home brought the Inspirational Address.

The Quarterly meeting for August 31 was called off due to the annual meeting on August 5 at East Flat Rock.

M. L. Walker, Moderator
Roy D. Campbell, Clerk

QUARTERLY MEETING OF
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

The Quarterly meeting of the Carolina Baptist Association convened with Fruitland Baptist Church Sunday, September 30. Brother D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS" and "I WILL SING OF MY REDEEMER". Scripture and Prayer by Junius Huggins of Fruitland Baptist Church.

Twenty churches were represented and the next Quarterly meeting was announced for Shaws Creek Baptist Church on December 30, 1952. Rev. W. L. S. Keen, Calvary Baptist Church, presented the matter of worship services for migrant workers in Henderson County during the summer and fall months. He urged closer cooperation in a great endeavor to administer to the needs of this group in our midst.

The Treasurer's report was made by Brother M. K. Sinclair.

D. G. Wilkie and Clyde Jackson sang "WONDERFUL JESUS".

Plans for the W.M.U. were presented by Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, president of the associational W.M.U. She announced the District Meeting with Calvary Baptist Church, West Asheville, October 4. She also spoke of a recent meeting with Mt. Moriah Church and asked for closer cooperation and prayers of all Christians.

Mrs. Junius Huggins, Training Union Director was recognized and spoke for that Organization.

Missionary Roy D. Campbell expressed thanks for the fine cooperation in the Bible School Program and stressed the fact that WE ARE CO-LABORERS TOGETHER WITH GOD.

The congregation led by Brother Wilkie sang "WE'LL WORK TILL JESUS COMES" and Rev. Mack M. Goss, new pastor of Hendersonville, First, brought the inspirational message.

Closing hymn "BLEST BE THE TIE THAT BINDS" and benediction by Rev. S. P. Stepp, Bat Cave.

M. L. Walker, Moderator
Roy D. Campbell, Clerk

QUARTERLY MEETING
SHAWS CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH, Dec. 30, 1951

The Carolina Baptist Association was called to order in Quarterly meeting by Moderator M. L. Walker and D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS" and Pastor T. G. Proctor read the scripture from Matt. 28, Rom. 1:16 and 2 chapter of 1 Cor. and led in prayer.

Mr. Walker expressed delight with the fine attendance and invited all the pastors to seats on platform in order to make room for many who were standing in the vestibule and aisles. Roy Huggins was recognized and presented a list of officers for the Sunday School Associational work all of which were duly elected by the association. Their names will be listed in the Directory on page ... . Brother Walker also called attention to the vacancies on associational committees. Rev. Henry O. Hearn was elected to fill out the unexpired term of Rev. J. A. Anderson on the Executive Committee and Rev. Mack M. Goss to fill out the unexpired term of W. S. Keen on the Program Committee.

The Treasurer's report was made by Brother M. K. Sinclair.

The Roll Call of the churches revealed 34 churches represented and 31 pastors present.

Rev. N. B. Phillips, Chairman of the Missions Committee reported to the association that several months ago the Executive Committee voted in accordance to the appeal from General Secretary M. A. Huggins to increase the Missionary's salary. He stated that the increase had been made effective and retroactive from the General Board from March 1, 1951 and asked the Association to approve the action of the Executive Committee. The motion carried without any opposition and a strong appeal was then made by Brother N. B. Phillips that the money be raised at once and the bill paid. The amount was $350.00. An offering for Associational missions was taken.

Special Music was rendered by Shaws Creek Trio.

The following report on CHRISTIAN EDUCATION was read by Brother C. F. Jervis and adopted by the body after a wonderful address to the subject by Dr. Phil L. Elliott, President of Gardner Webb College. The hearts of all present were blessed by this timely message.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

To use the words of Mr. Claude F. Gaddy, the most effective type of report on Christian education should include not only general information on a south-wide and a state-wide basis, but also the number of young people from the churches of the association who are attending our Christian colleges. Information as to the exact number of our young people of the Carolina Association enrolled in our Christian colleges is not immediately available; however, it is known that we are represented with approximately two dozen students at Mars Hill, Meredith, and Wake Forest Colleges. A fine type of advertising for our Christian Colleges would have been a presentation of a number of these young people at this session today.

There is no doubt that the progress of the work promoted by our Baptist churches depends very largely upon a trained leadership. While it is recognized that many fine young men and women are being sent out by our state universities and colleges to become leaders in all phases of life, especially in the agricultural and industrial world, the fact remains that our churches have the responsibility of making available those who will stand shoulder to shoulder with them, not only in developing the natural resources, but also in developing the human resources. For purposes of comparison, let it be stated here that we are attempting to do this at a money cost of $70 per pupil, while the state provides $400 per pupil enrolled in its colleges and and universities.

As is generally known, the Baptists of North Carolina are now helping to support Wake Forest, Meredith, Mars Hill, Gardner-Webb, Campbell, Wingate, and Chowan Colleges, and also the School of Nursing of the Baptist Hospital. Of the total enrollment of 5000, some 400 are training for the Baptist ministry, with another 300 classified as "student volunteers" expecting to serve in some phase of our church work. In addition to these, there are several hundred preparing themselves for other professions such as public school teaching, law, medicine, business, and other vocations in which are sorely needed Christian laymen.

We take great pride in all the institutions mentioned above as well as in the recently established South-Eastern Seminary at Wake Forest, and the other seminaries and training schools of our Southern Baptist Convention. We very heartily commend the efficient work of Dr. J. C. Canipe and his co-laborers in the training of ministers at Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute.

In order to be more effective and to reach higher goals in Christian education, let us do several things:

(1) Let us begin at the starting point—make our homes Christian, thus furnising a good background for the work of our Christian colleges and universities.

(2) Let us be a church-going and a church-supporting people, co-operating with all our church organizations.

(3) Even though we stand firm in our belief in separation of church and state, there is nothing in our stand to prohibit our demanding moral support from our public schools. Our church people and our public school people are largely one and the same. Let us insist that our public schools and other institutions not rob the Lord of the only week night He has left, Wednesday night, for prayer and praise services. Let us insist that our public schools in the type of entertainments and social gatherings which they sponsor, not embarrass our Christian young people, nor force them to compromise.

(4) Let our interest in Christian education be a financial interest as well—one that reaches our money, and let us send more of our promising Christian young people to our Christian colleges.

(5) Let us realize that Christian education is the only true education.

Respectfully submitted,
C. F. Jervis

The final message was by Dr. J. C. Canipe, President of Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute who also stressed the importance of CHRISTIAN EDUCATION and especially the training of preachers. We are blessed by having Fruitland so near and more and more of our young men should take advantage of this wonderful opportunity.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION SUNDAY, MARCH 30, 1952

The third quarterly meeting of the year was called to order by Moderator M. L. Walker in Second Baptist Church of Tryon, at 2:30 P. M. March 30, 1952. Chorister D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS" and "WE'RE MARCHING TO ZION". Mrs. J. A. Sinclair was at the piano.

Scripture and prayer was given by Rev. F. M. Orr, of Pacolet.

On roll call 24 churches were represented by messengers and 24 pastors were present. New pastors presented and welcomes included: Rev. M. L. Lewis, Dana, John J. Huntley, Pleasant Hill, and Troy Lunsford, Mt. Gilead and Bear Wallow. Rev. C. C. Tucker of the Green River Association was recognized and invited to a seat in the body.

Announcements were made by the heads of the various departments: Mrs. Sinclair for the W. M. U.; Roy Huggins for the Sunday Schools; Mrs. Huggins for the Training Union department; Mr. Brookshire Sinclair for the Training of Sunday School officers and teachers at Fruitland this year in the summer session there.

Treasurer M. K. Sinclair made the treasurer's report and reported $29.35 in the associational treasury. An offering was taken for associational missions.

In business session it was voted to meet in the next quarterly meeting with Mills River Baptist Church, Sunday, June 29 at 2:30 P. M.

The Committee on Reception of New Churches recommended that Fork Creek church be received into the fellowship of the Association. After a few remarks by the moderator in which he stated that he had attended services there and found them orthodox and practicing the things taught by Baptists the church was by unanimous vote received into the association making a total of 60 churches. The pastor, Rev. Lynch and one member being present were brought forward and given the right hand of fellowship.

Special music was rendered by a quartet from East Flat Rock Baptist church after which Mr. C. F. Jervis of First Church Hendersonville made a strong plea for more and better Daily Vacation Bible schools and expressed the desire that every church might undertake to have one this summer.

The following report on the Baptist Hospital was read by Rev. N. A. Melton, of Fruitland after which Dr. M. A. Huggins, Executive Secretary Baptist State Convention, brought a wonderful message challenging all present to fuller cooperation in all fields of organized work. Dr. Huggins spoke of the great increase in the number of Bible Schools in the past few years, the removal of Wake Forest College to Winston Salem, the establishment of the New South-Eastern Seminary at Wake Forest, the Baptist Hospital, the nine year advance program of our convention.

THE BAPTIST HOSPITAL

Our Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem was incorporated thirty years ago. From the beginning there has been growth and progress. Today the Baptist Hospital and the Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest College are co-operating to attain two main objectives. These objectives are teaching and healing, and they are two of the principal precepts of our Lord's ministry.

In the field of teaching there are the following schools: The Medical School, The School of Nursing, The School of X-Ray Technology, A School for Nurse Anesthetists, and the School of Labooratory Technology. The fine equipment and facilities both of the School of Medicine and of the Hospital are thus utilized in giving young doctors, nurses and technicians the finest professional training. We believe that opportunities for learning in our Baptist institutions should be equal to the best in the country.

In the ministry of healing a large staff of doctors, many of them specialists in their respective fields, are at all times available. Well-trained nurses and technicians together with a large number of student nurses minister to the needs of the patients. The Hospital has a full Department of Religion with a director, two chaplains, and a student secretary. Their duties consist of pastoral care of the patients, the promotion of a religious program for nurses and medical students.

The funds from Mother's Day offerings are used to help pay the hospital expenses of a large number of patients who can pay only a part of their hospitalization or in some cases nothing at all. Our Baptist Sunday schools and churches have the finest sort of opportunity to share in this Christian ministry of healing by making a worthy offering for our Baptist Hospital on Mother's Day. Let the pastor or the superintendent of every Sunday school write to the Hospital for information and for offering envelopes and plan to make a great contribution on the Second Sunday in May.

Respectfully submitted,
N. A. Melton, Chairman

The association was adjourned by prayer to meet with Mills River Baptist Church, June 29, at 2:30 P. M.

M. L. Walker, Moderator
Roy D. Campbell, Clerk

OUR BELOVED DEAD

BALFOUR
Rev. Don Norwood
Miss Precilla Goforth
Mrs. Sally McMahan

BAT CAVE
Mrs. Sue Haydock

BEAR WALLOW
Mr. F. G. Sinclair

BEULAH
Mrs. Harvey Cantrell
Mr. John Fletcher
Mrs. Henry Long
Mrs. Marcillie Sitton
Mr. Elijah Drake

CALVARY
Mrs. Joe L. Pace

CROSS ROADS
Miss Phalby Lindsey
Deacon General Heatherly

DOUBLE SPRINGS
Miss Janie Revis
Mr. Luther Revis

EAST FLAT ROCK
Mrs. Leona Wright
W. A. Osteen
Mrs. J. R. Brown

EBENEZER
Mr. H. E. Holbert
Mr. John Holbert

FLETCHER
Dr. L. P. Russell

FRUITLAND
Mr. J. N. B. Lanning

HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST
Mrs. J. B. Fuller
Mrs. W. C. Hathcock
Mr. W. F. Case
Mr. Victor S. Steinmeyer
Mr. Lawrence H. Howard
Mr. R. Hilliard Staton, Deacon
Mrs. H. Y. Duffie
Mrs. O. M. Brown
Dr. R. E. Taylor
Miss Lola Hood
Mr. Loe Hollingsworth
Mrs. Minnie Burrell
Mr. J. H. Yelton
Mr. James A. Martin, Sr.

HENDERSONVILLE, WEST
Mrs. G. A. Jones

HOOPERS CREEK
Miss Sue Emma Jean Suttles

HORSE SHOE
Mr. Grant Worley

MIDDLE FORK
Mrs. Elizabeth Huntly

MT. GILEAD
Mrs. Ethel Bishop
Mr. H. B. Carland
Mr. Preston Hudson

MOUNT MORIAH
Mr. Grayson Laughter
Mr. Ernest Jackson
Mr. Henry Jones

MOUNTAIN HOME
Mr. Richard Patterson

MOUNTAIN PAGE
Mr. U. S. Gordon
Mr. J. J. Pace

MUD CREEK
Mr. James A. Hill
Mrs. R. K. Stepp
Mr. Oliver Floyd
Mrs. Florence Albea

OAK GROVE
Mrs. Rufus Kuykendall
Mr. T. H. M. Tabor, Deacon
Mr. George Brown

PACOLET
Mrs. Charlie Foster

PLEASANT HILL
Mr. Elijah Drake

REFUGE
Mr. J. A. Lytle, Deacon
Mrs. Minnie Covington
Mrs. Anna Heatherly
Mr. Lance Davis,
Miss Harriott Jackson
Mr. J. F. Justus

SALUDA
Mr. W. R. Davis

SHAWS CREEK
Mrs. Harvey Drake
Mrs. C. P. Erwin

VALLEY HILL
Mrs. Melessa Staton
Mrs. Jennie Kilpatrick

ZION HILL
B. W. Williams, Deacon
Charlie Shipman

HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith			
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshu Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshu Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text. Gen. 35:34
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Saluda	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Fruitland	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Beulah	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Conner	J. T. Freeman	Hoopers Creek	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Riverside	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Fruitland	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Mt. Gilead	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	E. H'ville	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	T. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthorne	Salem	K. W. Cawthorne
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mt. Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	E. Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargent	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	E. Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Mrs. J. L. Redden	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Chas. Vause	H'ville 1st	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Fletcher and	W. W. Worley
			E. Flat Rock	Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek	O. M. Seigler
			and Refuge	B. G. Henry
1945	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Horse Shoe	J. N. Shuford
			and Balfour	L. A. Erwin
1946	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Oak Grove	Wayne Peek
1947	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Mud Creek	Fred Poplin
1948	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	H'ville 1st	Ralph Banning
1949	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Valley Hill	C. E. Scarborough
1950	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Dana	D. H. Daniels
1951	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Refuge	W. C. Huntley
1952	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	East Flat Rock	N. A. Melton

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A. CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location Rural V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS LOSSES			Total Resident Members	Total Non-resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Special Information				
					Baptisms	Letters and Other Additions	Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.				Revival Meetings Held	Number Tithers	State Paper in Budget	Are Members Asked to Pledge to Church Budget	No. Known Roman Catholics to Join Church in Year
Balfour	V	1908	All	W. C. Huntly, Balfour	16	21	19	335		335	2			No	
Barker Heights	C	1944	All	Clarence E. Haynes, H'ville	1	13	4	144		144	1		No	No	
Barnwell	R	1864	1-3	O. J. Smith, Hendersonville	2			15	5	20	1		No	No	
Bat Cave	V	1892	2-4	S. P. Stapp, Chimney Rock		1	12	65	46	112	1				
Bear Wallow	R	1868	All	Troy W. Lunsford, Arden		6	9	54	24	78	1	22	No	No	
Berea	R	1921	1-2	J. E. Blythe, R. 3, H'ville	31	19	4	142		142	1		No	No	
Beulah	R	1820	1-3	J. E. Blythe, R. 3, H'ville	9	2	9	258		258	1		No	No	
Broad River	R	1866													
Calvary	C	1937	All	W. F. Sinclair, H'ville	2	11	7	137	181	318		30	No		
Cedar Springs	R	1887	1-3	Jessie Osteen, H'ville						110					
Crab Creek	R	1834	All	Carl Taylor, Box 105, H'ville	2	6	8	100	100	200	2				
Cross Roads	R	1912	1-2-3-4	J. E. Blythe, R. 3, H'ville		4	13	128		128	1				
Dana	R	1936	All	M. L. Lewis, R. 1, H'ville		7	4	89	37	126	1	25	No	No	
Double Springs	R	1871	1-3	G. M. Beddingfield, Tuxedo	1	2	2	59	50	109	1		No	No	
East Flat Rock	T	1911	All	N. B. Phillips, H'ville	9	15	12	316	41	357	1	25	No	No	
Ebenezer	R	1877	All	L. K. Holbert, Flat Rock	23	15	2	498		498	2				
Etowah	R	1926	2-4-5	W. F. Sinclair, Hendersonville	11	3	6	163	52	215	1	4	No	No	
Fletcher	V	1938	All	Vilas Menton, Fletcher	33	22	5	246	62	308	3		No	No	
Fork Creek	R	1891	1-3	George Lynch, Mills Spring	3	1		37	33	70	1		No	No	
French Broad	R	1789	All	B. G. Henry, Hendersonville	1	5		46	12	58		3	Yes	Yes	
Friendship	R	1875													

Fruitland	R	1872	All	N. A. Melton, R. 2, H'ville	4	6	1	196		196	1			No	
Green River	R	1846	All	Virgil Jones, Balfour	7	2		133		133	1	11	No		
H'ville, First	C	1844	All	Mack M. Goss, 311 4th Ave. W., H'ville	74	96	100	1321	452	1773	2	338	No	Yes	2
H'ville, West	C	1936	All		8	21	14	254		254	4		No	No	
Holly Springs	R	1860													
Hoopers Creek	R	1776	All	Odell Barnwell, Fletcher	3	9	3	249		249	2			No	
Horse Shoe	V	1888	2-4	Cecil Worsham, Fletcher	9	5	6	204		204	2	18	No	No	
Jones Gap	R	1902	1-3	A. E. Edney, Flat Rock			30	59	32	91					
Laurel Springs	R	1906													
Liberty	R	1884	All	Eugene Saltz, R. 3, H'ville	12	18		75		75	2				
Locust Grove	R	1935	All	R. A. Smith, Balfour	7			100		100	2		Yes	No	
Macedonia	R														
Middle Fork	R	1886	1-3	Ensign Chattams, Rutherfordton			1	47		47	1				
Mills River	C	1835	2-4	Zeno Green, Saluda	7	1	3	75	55	130	1	13	No	No	
Mt. Gilead	R	1883	All	Troy Lunsford, Arden	3	1	8	227		227	1				
Mt. Moriah	R	1896	1-3	Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe		3	5	170	86	256	1	10	No	No	
Mt. Olivet	R	1882													
Mt. Zion	R	1900													
Mtn. Home	R	1892	1-3-5	J. W. Jackson, R. 1, Horse Shoe	10	1	2	288		288	2				
Mtn. Page	R	1789	1-3	General Beddingfield, Tuxedo		1	4	252		252			No	No	
Mtn. Valley	R	1933	2-4	Floyd Bridgeman, Travelers Rest, S.C.	5	1	8	83		83	1	8			
Mtn. View	R	1949	1-3	Cecil A. Worsham, Fletcher	14	4	4	54		54	2			No	
Mud Creek	R	1804	All	W. S. Billingsley, R. 3, H'ville	9	19	24	312	144	456	2	89	No	No	1
Naples	R	1942	2-4-5	N. B. Phillips, Hendersonville		2	7	54	46	100	1		No	No	
Oak Forest	R	1950	All	J. C. Cartee, Fletcher	12	8	2	66	3	69	1	6	No	No	
Oak Grove	R	1875	1-3		2	2	8	55		55	2	2	No	No	
Pacolet	V	1916	2-4	F. M. Orr, Lynn	6	4	9	70	130	200	1		No	No	
Pleasant Grove	R	1859	2-4	Blaine Ledford, Rosman	4	1	7	45	118	163	2				
Pleasant Hill	R	1880	All	John J. Huntly, Fletcher	2	4	8	50	66	116	1	10	No	No	
Refuge	R	1837	All	George A. Roberts, Dana	21	3	19	365	57	422		95	No	No	
Saluda	T	1882	All	F. M. Huggins, Saluda	4	3	13	130	35	165	1	20	No	No	
Shaws Creek	V	1881	All	T. G. Proctor, Hendersonville	6	5	3	131	101	232	1	24	No	No	
Tryon, First	T	1892	All	Henry O. Hearn, Tryon	13	13	15	305		305	1	64	Yes		
Tryon, Second	V	1924	1-3					48	40	88			No	No	
Tuxedo	T	1910	All	Harold McKinnish, Tuxedo			6	280	102	382	1		No	No	
Upward	V	1943	All	Leo Bell, Tuxedo	14	15	8	114		114	1	6		No	
Valley Hill	V	1908	All	Allard Garren, Hendersonville	24	33	9	270	138	408	1	20			
Warrior Mtn.	R	1933													
Zion Hill	R	1916	All	J. H. Stanberry, Zirconia	7	18	1	118	60	178	2	25	No	No	
Totals					435	451	444	9032	2308	11341	62	843			3

TABLE B—THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL SUPERINTENDENT: Roy Huggins, Hendersonville SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT														V. B. S.
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes and Departments	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	January Bible Study	Number Training Schools	Vacation Bible School Enrollment
Balfour	E. D. Dunlap, Balfour			27	45	40	69	50	100		4	335	Yes		152
Barker Heights	Robert Glover, Hendersonville			21		26	28	24	25			124	Yes		101
Barnwell	Mrs. O. J. Smith, Hendersonville	2	2	4	7	5	8		12	5		45	No		
Bat Cave	Wm. Garren, Bat Cave			14	7	8	10	12	37			88			40
Bear Wallow	David Meeks, Gerton			4	9			8	24			45	No		30
Berea	Eldridge King, R. 3, Hendersonville		5	6		15		15	25			66			
Beulah	Laxton Cantrell, R. 3, Hendersonville			10	8	15	20	15	40			108	No		
Broad River															
Calvary	M. M. Hoots, 314 Stepp St., Hendersonville		10	19	21	14	17	25	32		3	141	No		67
Cedar Springs	Jennings Beddingfield, R. 1, Zirconia											70			
Crab Creek	Lawrence Barnwell, Hendersonville			20				20	20			69	No		
Cross Roads	J. C. Burrell, Zirconia				16	14		14	25			68	No		
Dana	J. C. Brown, 6th Ave., Hendersonville			12	5	12	11	10	38		3	101	Yes		98
Double Springs	Troy Thomas, Zirconia								22			30			
East Flat Rock	Rafe Lockaby, Hendersonville			60	51	32	54	120	104			421	Yes		101
Ebenezer	E. L. Levi, Jr., Hendersonville											300		1	100
Etowah	Garland Jones, Horse Shoe		9	26	21	18	39	16	75			204	No		124
Fletcher	H. A. Garren, Fletcher			40	39	48	47	45	58		3	281			180
Fork Creek	Mack Rhodes, R. 1, Saluda			10	7	13	15	8	20		8	81	No		75
French Broad	R. M. Pinton, R. 5, Hendersonville			10		6	4		15		3	38	No		
Friendship															

Fruitland	Howard Pryor, R. 2, Hendersonville	5	4	16	13	26	14	7	80	10		175	Yes		91
Green River	Glenn Pace, R. 1, Flat Rock	3		14	9	15	26	16	52			135	No		63
H'ville, First	C. F. Jervis, 317 Ehringhaus, H'ville	46	104	83	110	133	110	155	463	61	9	1274	Yes	2	310
H'ville, West	John Rollins, Jones St., Hendersonville			26	22	23	9	22	65		3	170	No		75
Holly Springs															
Hoopers Creek	Fred Youngblood, Fletcher			36		44	42	49	69			240	No		
Horse Shoe	Lewis Davenport, Horse Shoe		4	10	15	30	21	48	10		138		Yes		96
Jones Gap	Charley Mace, R. 4, Hendersonville				12	6		9	25			55			
Laurel Springs															
Liberty	Tommy Cannon														
Locust Grove	Carl Clingenpeel, R. 2, Hendersonville			15		15		20	20			70			
Macedonia															
Middle Fork	Edward Huntley, Bat Cave			10		8	8	8	10						
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe			12		15	20		35			82			65
Mt. Gilead	J. P. McCrary, R. 1, Horse Shoe			12	10	12	20	10	40		5	109			60
Mt. Moriah	Clannie Laughter, R. 1, Hendersonville		5	4	23	31	22	17	66			168			120
Mt. Olivet															
Mt. Zion															
Mtn. Home	Charles Huntly, Edneyville			17	12	16	17	13	18		1	94			
Mtn. Page	R. Willard Bell, Saluda		10	20	24	28	20	80	24			206	No		62
Mtn. Valley	Harley Capps, Zirconia			10		12	17	13	13		3	68			
Mtn. View	Glenn Laughter, R. 1, Hendersonville			26		10	11		24			71	Yes	1	
Mud Creek	Arthur Freeman, Hendersonville	11	18	21	30	47	22	43	74	18	11	284	Yes		122
Naples	Elmo S. Orr, Mountain Home		11	10	13	27	12	36	55		1	155	Yes		58
Oak Forest	Odell Lewis, Fletcher			18		10	12	10	23			73	No		90
Oak Grove	Vincent Cable, R. 1, Flat Rock											35	No		
Pacolet	Bryson Gibson, Lynn			20	22	42	12	12	55			175	No		
Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah			12		10	10	15	10			57			
Pleasant Hill	Miss Mary Freeman, R. 3, Hendersonville			7	12	14	8	20	31				92		25
Refuge	Carroll Lamb, Box 706, Hendersonville		6	20	22	59	21	32	113		3	276	No		127
Saluda	Nolan Pace, Saluda			22	21	14	10	11	53			131	No		92
Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, R. 4, Hendersonville	6	7	12	11	14	18	14	69	4	20	175	Yes		52
Tryon, First	N. L. Wilson, Tryon	5	31	21	32	26	27	22	110	10	3	297	Yes		88
Tryon, Second	Thedoro Burrell, Tryon			12	12	16	20	15	40		3	118			
Tuxedo	Bobby Lewis, Tuxedo			22	16	30	30	55	85	5	5	248	No		80
Upward	George Brian, R. 1, Flat Rock	15			25			22	27		6	96	Yes	1	
Valley Hill	M. J. Banning, R. 3, Hendersonville	8	5	25	25	38	44	70	42	10	3	270	Yes		133
Warrior Mtn.															
Zion Hill	Roy Burrell, East Flat Rock											93	No		
Totals		101	231	816	727	1037	925	1448	2369	123	238	8020		5	2949

TABLE C TRAINING UNION

ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR
Mrs. Junius Huggins
Hendersonville

TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES

CHURCHES		No. Nursery Units	No. Beginner Units	No. Primary Units	No. Junior Units	No. Intermediate Units	No. Young People Units	Adult Units	Total Number Units	Nursery Enrolled	Beginners Enrolled	Primaries Enrolled	Juniors Enrolled	Intermediates Enrolled	Young People Enrolled	Adults Enrolled	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
Balfour	Edna Corn, Balfour		1		1	1	1	1	5		8		12	20	15	20	5	80	60
Barker Heights	L. B. Coats, Hendersonville				1	1	1	1	4				14	7	7	22		50	
Bat Cave	John Burroughs, Bat Cave				1			1	2				8			14		22	16
Bear Wallow	Modeen Bradley, Gerton						1	1	2						6	10		16	11
Beulah	Salley Cantrell, R. 3, Hendersonville				1	1		1	3				15	15		10		40	
Calvary	James D. Tweed, Hendersonville		1		1	1	1	1			5		10	3	14	12	2	51	40
Dana	Katherine Hazeltine, Dana			1	1	1	1	1	5			1	2	11	6	18	3	41	28
East Flat Rock	Dan Pace, East Flat Rock				1	1	1	1	4				9	15	17	12	3	56	
Etowah	Miss Lorene Weese, R. 1, Horse Shoe		1		1	1	1	1	5		18		12	20	12	15	4	81	47
Fletcher	Mrs. T. M. Whitaker, Fletcher		1	1	1	1	1	1	6		5	8	20	9	10	20	12	82	50
Fruitland	W. M. Maxwell, R. 2, Hendersonville		1	1	1	1	1	2	7		8	16	10	6	8	30		78	
Green River	Alvin Staton, Zirconia		1		1	1		1	4		10		6	14		20	3	53	30
H'ville, First	Gary Harthcock	3	1	2	4	4	2	4	20	22	20	35	76	69	32	92	5	351	185
H'ville, West	Mr. Taylor, Hendersonville				1	1		1	3				11	11		11	3	35	28
Horse Shoe	L. A. Norton, R. 4, Hendersonville		1		1	1	1	1	5		6		15	16	8	9		38	
Mills River	Jerry Brittain, Horse Shoe		1		1		1	1	4		6		10		12	12		40	40
Mt. Gilead	Mrs. L. L. Moore, R. 1, Horse Shoe		1			1	1	1	4		5			16	21	18		60	35
Mt. Moriah	Foy Hill, Edneyville		1		1		1	1	4		12		18		21	10	7	68	35
Mtn. Home	Loyd Laughter, Edneyville		1		1	1		1	4		14		10	25		25	5	79	50
Mtn. Valley																			
Mtn. View	Fred Henderson, Dana										10		10	16		24		60	
Mud Creek	Miss Louise Satterfield, R. 3, H'ville	1			1	1	1	1	5	8			26	19	10	31		94	75
Naples	W. G. Davis, Naples			1	1	1	1	1	5			4	6	7	8	8	4	43	21
Oak Forest	Katherine Ruth, Fletcher		1		1	1		1	4		10		13	10		26		59	43
Pacolet	Mabel Randoll, Lynn		1	1	1	1		1	5		7	6	11	9		28	11	72	
Pleasant Grove	Molly Morgan, Hendersonville		1		1	1		1	4		4		7	6		16	6	39	20
Pleasant Hill	H. C. Ivester, R. 3, Hendersonville				1	1	1	1	4				4	7	12	16		33	25
Refuge	Oliver Mashburn, R. 1, Hendersonville		1		1	1	1	2	6		7		19	16	13	25	4	84	77
Saluda	Clyde Whitlock, Hendersonville			1	1	1		1	4			8	8	19		18	3	56	
Shaws Creek	Jervy Drake, R. 4, Hendersonville		1		1		1	1	4		8		12		17	18		55	50
Tryon, First	Eugene M. Jones, Tryon			1	1	1	1	2	6			6	14	5	9	20	3	54	40
Tryon, Second				1	1	1	1	1	5			6	8	12	4	12		42	40
Tuxedo	Mrs. Harvey Lindsey, Tuxedo			1	1	1	1	1	5			10	10	11	18	12	10	71	
Upward																			
Valley Hill	Mrs. Charlotte Justus, R. 4, H'ville		1		2	1	1	1	6		8		38	28	17	23	4	118	71
Totals		4	22	11	34	30	24	38	154	30	171	100	444	427	317	657	97	2201	1117

TABLE D WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL PRESIDENT Mrs. M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES	W.M.S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	R. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	R. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Enrolled in Mission Study	Total Tithers All Organizations
Balfour	Mrs. George Seigler, Balfour	1	1		1		3	23	22		16		61	45	30
Barker Heights	Mrs. Betty Goforth, 404 Sub-Station, H'ville	1						10							
Calvary	Mrs. Jess Brooks, R. 5, Hendersonville	1		1				22		8			30	11	30
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Hendersonville	1						10					10	10	10
East Flat Rock	Mrs. D. G. Wilkie, Hendersonville	1	1	2	2	1	7	16	6	18	14	16	70	65	20
Etowah	Mrs. C. W. Sumner, Etowah	1						25							4
Fletcher	Mrs. Ruth Quinn, Fletcher	1						21					20		19
French Broad	Mrs. B. G. Henry, Hendersonville	1						16					16		
Fruitland															
Green River	Mrs. Clyde Morgan, Zirconia	1						15					15	15	7
H'ville, First	Mrs. M. L. Walker, Box 541, H'ville	1	1	1		2	5	213	14	20		32	279	309	116
Jones Gap	Mrs. Louise Levi, R. 4, Hendersonville	1						8							
Mt. Moriah	Mrs. Theo. Smith, R. 1, Hendersonville	1		2	1	1	5	20		17	5	10	52	20	13
Mud Creek	Mrs. Donnie Justus, R. 3, Hendersonville	1		1	1	1	5	20		17	15	26	76	14	24
Naples	Mrs. R. B. Smith, Naples	1						15					15	10	
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Walter Holtzclaw, R. 4, H'ville							10					10		2
Refuge	Mrs. Raymond Pace, R. 1, H'ville	1	1	2	2	1	7	32	15	36	31	22	136		95
Saluda	Mrs. W. G. Egerton, Saluda	1		1		1	3	14		5		15	34	65	9
Shaws Creek	Mrs. G. H. Orr, White Pine Dr., H'ville	1	1	1	1	1	5	17	3	11	15	15	61	36	30
Tryon, First	Mrs. Fred Powell, Tryon	1					2	53						16	21
Tuxedo	Mrs. Egina Capps, Tuxedo	1	1	1	1	1	5	15	12	6	12	21	66	7	
Upward	Mrs. Andy Hill, R. 1, Flat Rock	1						12							6
Valley Hill	Mrs. Charles Painter, R. 3, H'ville	1						30					30	20	
Totals		21	6	12	9	9	47	427	72	138	108	157	986	643	436

TABLE E—BROTHERHOOD WORK—BUILDING—GOALS

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL PRESIDENT Mrs. M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock PRESIDENTS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	Enrolment of Brotherhood	Meetings Held During Year	Number Class Rooms	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Goal Co-operative Program or Unified Budget New Year	Goal Association Missions Coming Year
Balfour				10	10000.00	25000.00			156.00
Barker Heights				4		12000.00			
Barnwell						1200.00			
Bat Cave						12000.00			
Bear Wallow				4		6000.00		50.00	5%
Berea						3500.00			
Beulah				3		6000.00			
Broad River									
Calvary				12	7000.00	40000.00			
Cedar Springs				3		5000.00			
Crab Creek				3		8000.00			
Cross Roads						3500.00			
Dana				8	18000.00	35000.00		10%	3%
Double Springs				8		10000.00			
East Flat Rock				26		125000.00			
Ebenezer									
Etowah									
Fletcher				9	5000.00	25000.00			60.00
Fork Creek				5		2000.00			
French Broad						20000.00			
Friendship									

Fruitland										
Green River				4		10000.00				
H'ville, First	J. Harvey Laughter, 842 Kanuga Rd., H'ville	100	12	52	15000	550000	22000	20000.	800.
H'ville, West				8		12000.00				
Holly Springs										
Hoopers Creek				12		17000.00				
Horse Shoe				4		20000.00				
Jones Gap				3		3000.00				
Laurel Springs										
Liberty						2000.00				
Locust Grove				2		3000.00				
Macedonia										
Middle Fork				1		3000.00				
Mills River				2		2000.00				
Mt. Gilead				8		26000.00	3500.00			
Mt. Moriah				6		20000.00	568.00	100.00	50.00	
Mt. Olivet										
Mt. Zion										
Mtn. Home				4		6000.00	100.00			
Mtn. Page				4		6000.00	100.00			
Mtn. Valley				3		4500.00				
Mtn. View				4		10000.00				
Mud Creek				13		20000.00				
Naples				10		7000.00				
Oak Forest						2200.00	240.00			
Oak Grove				4		5000.00				
Pacolet				10		4000.00		25.00	35.00	
Pleasant Grove				2		3000.00				
Pleasant Hill				2		5000.00				
Refuge				13		50000.00	8100.00			
Saluda				4	5000.00	16000.00				
Shaws Creek	W. W. Wells, R. 4, Hendersonville	20	5	13		25000.00		500.00	120.00	
Tryon, First	R. C. Burnette, Tryon	30	12	20	10000.00	100000.		1290.00	222.00	
Tryon, Second				7		30000.00		1000.00	168.00	
Tuxedo				12		25000.00				
Upward				4		10000.00				
Valley Hill		40	2	12	10000.00	25000.00		961.00	200.00	
Warrior Mtn.										
Zion Hill						10000.00				
Totals		190	31	343	72100.00	1370700.00				

TABLE F—GIFTS GIVEN THROUGH THE CHURCH

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES	Local Gifts (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans' Home	Designated Hospitals	Relief and Annuity, Relief, Etc.	Total Mission Gifts	Grand Total Gifts for All Causes
Balfour	Dan Lyda, Hendersonville	13096.00	3120.00		196.00	310.35	74.00	377.55	100.00	267.20	100.00		1425.10	16216.74
Barker Heights	Mrs. R. L. Glover, Sptg. Road, H'ville		2739.00	10.00						120.00	52.69		182.69	2922.01
Barnwell	Clarence Barnwell, R. 1, H'ville	237.00	120.00		7.00	24.00	24.44				49.00		104.44	461.44
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave	1720.55	952.52	187.09		20.70	12.14		308.71				528.64	3274.71
Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrill, Gerton	951.42	1150.58	116.64	60.94				101.46	128.84	31.00	56.50	495.38	2597.38
Berea	Hayes Tankersley, R. 3, Hendersonville	444.84	480.37							133.10	45.71	82.00	260.81	1186.02
Beulah	Fred B. Wilkie, R. 3, Hendersonville	1125.93	787.77	157.53						193.72	27.13	217.34	595.72	2509.42
Broad River														
Calvary	Leonard Garren, Box 1186, H'ville	4039.81	2233.00			39.31	76.62	82.82		106.25	43.60	41.13	289.73	6563.35
Cedar Springs	Jessie Osteen, Hendersonville		675.00							100.00				
Crab Creek	James Bell, R. 3, Hendersonville	300.00	400.00				61.00			125.00	16.00		202.00	602.00
Cross Roads	Mildred Jones, Zirconia	233.79	381.00		6.00					30.72	10.04	55.50	102.26	757.05
Dana	H. J. Pace, R. 1, Hendersonville	1851.24	1562.00	463.00	70.00	30.85	20.00	48.05		135.96	66.00	21.88	756.56	4170.76
Double Springs		432.00	226.00											658.49
East Flat Rock	Hugh Morrison, Hendersonville	8848.11	2100.00	103.71	210.00	155.00	162.33	376.00		1448.45	464.45	182.50	3102.27	14050.38
Ebenezer		6353.09	4728.76							215.62	50.13		1460.58	8079.42
Etowah	R. N. Sentelle, Etowah	556.60	1130.00	51.79	65.00	124.79	10.84	74.78		410.00	100.00	1902.97	2740.17	4426.77
Fletcher	Mrs. T. H. Riddle, Fletcher	5482.03	3535.00	15.93	70.00	32.22	17.39	5.86		122.06	59.00	180.55	505.01	9522.04
Fork Creek	Mrs. Ben McCravy, R. 1, Saluda	114.28	251.91				25.00	1.50		17.48	45.33		89.21	455.40
French Broad	Mrs. J. D. Hooper, R. 1, Horse Shoe	1245.54	1200.00	87.45		22.00				25.00	10.75	48.00	196.46	2638.00
Friendship														

Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, R. 2, Hendersonville	2585.33	1552.56	260.20	80.40	129.00	100.00	288.50	25.00	1011.27	257.00	194.12	2345.49	6483.38
Green River	Quentin Capps, Zirconia	451.64	987.40		10.00		6.00	5.00	57.86	51.57	51.11	42.00	223.57	1662.61
H'ville, First	Kenneth E. Skaggs, 921 N. Main St., H'ville	47433.00	6000.00	12719.00	600.00			2045.00	50.00	1203.00	1360.00	830.00	18807.00	72240.00
H'ville, West	John Rollins, Jones St., Hendersonville	5582.29	3120.00					323.00		118.48	145.00		586.48	5638.68
Holly Springs														
Hoopers Creek	Horace Barnwell, Fletcher	3408.63	1384.26							223.07	190.32		413.39	5206.28
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Finley Pace, R. 4, Hendersonville	4491.81	1637.00	35.64			14.65					33.96	84.25	1721.25
Jones Gap	Mrs. M. S. McCarson, R. 4, H'ville	588.90	626.69							20.00	15.00	104.39	139.39	1354.98
Laurel Springs														
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville	134.73	515.95								10.00		10.00	660.78
Locust Grove	Pauline Clingenpeel, R. 2, H'ville	200.00	500.00					25.00		25.00		50.00	100.00	800.00
Macedonia														
Middle Fork	Mrs. Luther Hill, Gerton		214.47											135.00
Mills River	Chas. Sitton, Horse Shoe	665.23	759.50	151.75	85.43	19.65	4.64	12.98	17.29	303.66	81.74		677.14	2101.89
Mt. Gilead	Mrs. O. O. Marlowe, Arden	1012.40						30.00		29.54		11.20	106.05	3034.32
Mt. Moriah	Alvin Dalton, R. 1, Hendersonville	5316.44	1274.82	39.74	60.00		15.00	46.62		150.44	58.20	102.12	472.12	7062.38
Mt. Olivet														
Mt. Zion														
Mtn. Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville	815.39	704.42								12.00		12.00	1531.81
Mtn. Page	R. W. Bell, R. 1, Saluda	1106.72	504.32							96.61	13.56		110.17	1721.21
Mtn. Valley	Grant Maybin, Zirconia	712.00	400.00	30.00						250.00			280.00	1392.00
Mtn. View	Mrs. Ben Jones, Hendersonville	1938.47	600.00	7.23					22.35		11.14	40.72		2579.19
Mud Creek	Glenn Kent, R. 3, Hendersonville	13269.24	3046.78	629.00	280.54	48.00	490.16	61.64	30.00	457.17	100.00		2134.83	18450.85
Naples		1765.24	1200.00	151.03	60.00		24.44	89.95		199.46	17.60		542.48	3507.72
Oak Forest	G. O. Vaughn, Fletcher	2458.66	1186.74		10.00						35.11		45.11	3690.51
Oak Grove		125.00	667.16							77.29	25.00		102.29	2110.36
Pacolet	Elmer Morgan, Lynn	2001.57	1560.00		25.00					113.54	61.11	212.12	466.77	3973.28
Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah	150.00	515.02	20.00						92.72	25.00		137.72	802.74
Pleasant Hill	H. C. Ivester, R. 3, Hendersonville	500.00	800.00							20.00	41.00		61.00	1381.00
Refuge	W. W. Ballard, Dana	3247.72	2452.41	164.00	36.86	90.39	82.30	66.50	402.11	152.16	42.90	565.77	1602.13	7172.26
Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda	3754.41	2000.00	387.00	130.00	79.28	167.39	169.53		451.86	105.19	126.38	1616.83	7371.24
Shaws Creek	J. L. Nanney, 5th Ave. W., H'ville	4502.62	3920.21	219.32	106.25	185.90	29.02	82.53	10.00	83.88	65.69		753.57	9176.40
Tryon, First	R. B. Scruggs, Tryon	5274.25	3325.00	1543.86	222.00	25.00	15.50	50.56	118.50	120.08	54.65	166.46	2316.55	10915.80
Tryon, Second	Thomas Metcalf, Tryon	327.81	1210.00				60.00			20.00	76.69		156.69	1694.40
Tuxedo	H. J. Lindsey, Tuxedo	3002.52	2385.00	604.00	196.00				100.00	63.26		134.11	1097.37	6984.88
Upward	Robert Burroughs, R. 1, Flat Rock	903.10	306.00	20.32			750.00	707.00					44.89	1253.99
Valley Hill	Clinton Smith, White Pine Dr., H'ville	4565.23	3491.89	760.53	150.00	43.25	56.28	35.00		311.00	50.00	115.00	760.53	8817.65
Warrior Mtn.														
Zion Hill	A. E. Taylor, Zirconia	1695.73	1200.00							100.00	100.00		200.00	3095.73
Totals		**171253.70**	**78371.56**	**18849.26**	**2143.42**	**1379.69**	**2299.14**	**5005.31**	**1343.28**	**9324.34**	**3171.26**	**5516.64**	**13806.20**	**300216.55**

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CONSTITUTION

(Mell's Parliamentary Practice Followed)

ARTICLE 1—Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Carolina Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers and pastors of Missionary Baptist churches in Henderson and Polk Counties and other Missionary Baptist churches who wish to unite with them.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members in excess of one hundred. Only the names of the messengers attending the meeting shall be printed in the minutes.

ARTICLE 2—Objects

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for the increasing of mental and spiritual power of the churches, and for developing and directing their energies, their resources and gifts in advancing the Master's Kingdom throughout the entire world.

ARTICLE 3—Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Historian, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational M.T.U. Director, all of whom shall be elected by a majority vote at each annual meeting. These officers shall assume their duties at the close of the associational meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body and se that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall, by fraternal visitation, counsel and advise with churches regarding their work through the year.

Section 3. The Vice Moderator shall preside at the request of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches in the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment. His annual compensation shall be $50.

Section 5. The treasurer shall have charge of all the funds which may be raised by the Association, of which he shall give an account at the annual meeting.

ARTICLE 4

Section 1. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as from time to time be deemed advisable.

ARTICLE 5

Section 1. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ, and the ordinances of His house as accepted by Missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, by a majority vote.

Section 2. Any church in good standing in this Association may, on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

ARTICLE 6

Section 1. The Association at any meeting may withdraw fellowship from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

ARTICLE 7

Section 1. This Association regards each Baptist church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body for furthering the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity, the preaching of Christian education.

ARTICLE 8

Section 2. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion or resolution of the body, except to amend the constitution which shall require a two-thirds vote of the members.

ARTICLE 9

Section 3. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the beginning of each day and corrected, if necessary. Before adjournment the entire minutes shall be read and approved.

ARTICLE 10

Section 1. The Association shall before its final adjournment, fix a place for the next annual meeting and select one of the ministers of the body to preach the annual sermon.

ARTICLE 11

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of 12 members, six ministers, three laymen and three women, one third of whom shall be elected each year, together with associational officers as members ex officio.

A quorum shall consist of all members of the Executive Committee present after due notice has been given by card or letter.

2. Program Committee Duties:

A. Work with the committee of the pastors conference in correlating the programs of the two groups.

B. Assume responsibility for programs for meetings of the Association, in which objectives of the State and Southern Baptist Denominational calendar shall be given proper emphasis.

C. Cooperate with the Field Worker or Associational Missionary, the Sunday School, Training Union, and Woman's Missionary Union departments of the Association so as to co-ordinate the Associational work.

D. Arrange for special Associational meetings when desired.

E. Prepare and publish programs for the quarterly and annual meetings of the Association.

F. Prepare the Association's calendar of meetings and general activities for the year or shorter periods.

3. Mission Committee Duties:

A. Direct and work with the Association's Missionary in cooperation with the State and Home Mission Boards.

B. Survey the field for more effective action.

C. Establish missions where deemed advisable.

D. Conduct revivals when deemed advisable with pastorless or non-self-supporting churches, or communities without a Baptist church.

E. Organize new churches when and where the Executive Committee deems advisable.
F. Conduct Daily Vacation Bible Schools.
G. Conduct Bible Classes.
H. Conduct association-wide Sunday School revivals.
I. Aid pastorless churches, etc.

4. Finance Committee Duties:

Prepare the Associational budget for proposed work to be done by the Executive Committee through all committees and secure necessary funds to accomplish the proposed programs.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The Association shall convene at 9:30 A. M. on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year.
2. The Association shall open and close with prayer each day. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all meetings of the body.
3. The rules of order may be changed at any session by a vote of majority of members present.
4. That reports be limited to 500 words.
5. All questions of order shall be decided by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

PROGRAM

77TH ANNUAL SESSION
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
August 4, 1953

MUD CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH

MORNING SESSION

9:45 Music
Scripture and Prayer—Rev. Virgil Jones
10:00 Organization—Roll Call of Churches, Recognition of Pastors and visitors, Adoption of Program and Election of Officers.
10:30 State Mission Report—F. M. Huggins
Home Mission Report—W. F. Sinclair
Foreign Mission Report—Ralph Banning
10:45 MISSIONARY ADDRESS—Dr. M. A. Huggins, Executive Secretary, Baptist State Convention.
Report of Committee on Committees and Treasurer's Report.
11:35 Appointment of committees.
11:40 Men's Brotherhood—Keith Arledge
11:45 Young Men's Brotherhood—Frank Neville
11:50 Annual Sermon—Mack Goss, Alternate George Roberts
12:30 Lunch

AFTERNOON SESSION

1:30 Music
1:35 Scripture and Prayer—Wm. C. Huntley
1:40 Women's Work—Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
2:00 Christian Literature—M. L. Lewis
Address: L. L. Carpenter, Editor Biblical Recorder
2:20 Hospitals—Vilas D. Minton
Address: W. K. McGee, Dept. of Religion, Baptist Hospital
2:40 Home for aging—W. B. Sinclair
Address: James M. Hayes, Winston-Salem.
3:00 Temperance and Public Morals—Zeno Greene
3:20 Report from all Committees and Business

3:30 Historian's Report and Report on Ministers Retirement—N. A. Melton
3:45 Obituaries—Cecil Worsham
3:55 Adjourn

NIGHT SESSION

8:00 Music
Scripture and Prayer—Allard Garren
8:15 Training Union—Mrs. J. M. Huggins
8:45 Special Music—Cylde Jackson (Longing For Jesus)
8:50 Sunday Schools—Roy Huggins
9:30 Adjourn

Christian Education and Orphanage were discussed at Quarterly meetings during the year. Program Committee suggest that Representatives of these agencies be recognized as time permits.

LIST OF MESSENGERS

BALFOUR: Mrs. Harvey Erwin, Raleigh Maxwell, Mrs. W. A. Henderson, F. M. Carson, Mrs. E. S. Justus.

BARKER HEIGHTS: Joe Goforth, Mrs. Worth Connor, Miss Ruby Moss, Elbert Jones.

BARNWELL: Mrs. Claude Lyda, Mary Ellen Lyda, Clarence Barnwell.

BAT CAVE: Carrie Cannon, Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Mrs. Wm. Garven.

BEAR WALLOW: Rev. John H. Dickson, W. R. Wall, K. G. Ownsby, Mrs. R. G. Bradley, Miss Mary Sue Bradley.

BEREA: Dewey Davis, James Blackwell, Hayes Tankersley.

BEULAH: Saxton Cantrell, Mrs. Jean Huggins, Gervie Bell, Mrs. Sallie Cantrell, Fred Wilkie.

BROAD RIVER: Boyd Wright, P. C. Searcy, Gladys Ownby, Mrs. Anne Wright, Mrs. Ida Ownby.

CALVARY: Mrs. W. M. Sparks, Mrs. Seba Hudson, Mrs. Sinclair, Claude Davis.

CRAB CREEK: Mrs. Gertrude Hamilton, R. A. Hurt, Mrs. Annie Mae Hurt, Lawrence Barnwell, Mrs. Reba Barnwell.

CROSS ROADS: Wilburn M. Jones, Joy C. Burrell, Irvin Jones, Newman Morgan, Neil Jones.

DANA: Mrs. Jim Brown, Mrs. E.E L. Marshall, Mrs. R. T. Pace, W. K. Hyder.

EAST FLAT ROCK: D. G. Wilkie, Dan Pace, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Rafe Lockaby, Mrs. Mora Nanney.

EBENEZER: Rev. L. K. Holbert, Mrs. L. K. Holbert, Hesley Gibbs.

ETOWAH: Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Mrs. R. H. McCall, R. N. Sentelle, Ansel Jones, Henry Heatherly.

FLETCHER: Mrs. Tom Whitaker, Mrs. Bill Pearson, Mrs. Tom Hawes, T. H. Riddle, Bill Pressley.

FORK CREEK:

FRUITLAND: J. B. Jackson, Mr. Sizemore, Mrs. Junius Huggins, Mrs. H. F. Drake, Mrs. Howard Pryor, Mrs. Raymond Brigman, John Freeman.

FRENCH BROAD: Mrs. R. M. Pinson, Col. C. J. Huff, Mrs. C. J. Huff, Mrs. B. G. Henry, Mrs. H. E. Rogers.

GREEN RIVER:

HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST: Mack M. Goss, Miss Hannah Brummett, Miss Lillian Powell, F. D. Hills, John Foulds Rymer, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Walker, F. S. Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jervis, Keith Ar-

ledge, Frank Neville, A. V. Reese, W. B. Sinclair, Mrs. Kate Porter, Clyde Jackson.

HENDERSONVILLE, WEST: Mr. Frady, Mrs. Frady, Mrs. George Drake, Mrs. Anne Lowe.

HORSE SHOE: Mrs. Oscar Pettit, Mrs. Fred Cairnes, Mrs. Howard Smith, Mrs. Albert Capps, Mrs. Lewis Davenport.

HOOPERS CREEK: Rev. J. E. Whitaker, J. K. Williams, D. T. Wilkie, Barnie Melton, Mrs. Alice Garren.

JONES GAP: Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McCarson.

LOCUST GROVE: Mrs. Clyde Fetner, Mrs. Carl Clingenpeel, Mrs. Racine Corn.

MILLS RIVER: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sitton, Miss Doris Moore, Mrs. Margaret Ingle, Sarah Ann Bryson, Miss Pat Sitton.

MIDDLE FORK:

MT. GILEAD: Rev. Jerry Crawford, Miss Reva Ballard, Mrs. Paul Bryson, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Vono Bishop.

MT. MORIAH: Pearson Dalton, Clanny Laughter, Troy Hill, Mrs. W. F. Hill, Mrs. Grace Neilsen.

MT. OLIVET: Rev. Howard Cabe.

MOUNTAIN HOME: W. A. Martin, Nathan Stepp, Mrs. Nathan Stepp.

MOUNTAIN PAGE: Thomas McClure, Mrs. Nina Hill, W. L. Davis, T. J. Pace, Levi C. Pace, Mrs. Levi C. Pace.

MOUNTAIN VALLEY: Kate Maybin, Robert Camp, Margie Camp.

MOUNTAIN VIEW: Mrs. Ben Jones, Mrs. George Erwin, Mrs. George Orr.

MUD CREEK: Mrs. Della Orr, Mrs. Lula Kent, Mrs. Thomas Lyda, R. S. Steadman, Claude Callaham.

NAPLES: Mrs. Jessie Toland, Mrs. Spurgeon Williams, Miss Margaret Goins.

OAK FOREST: Rev. J. C. Cartee, Peggy Cartee, Woodrow Wilkie.

OAK GROVE: Rev. Arnold Beck, Rev. Vincent Cable, Rev. Frank Jackson.

PLEASANT GROVE: Mr. and Mrs. James Dalton, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Gray, Mrs. Robert Wilson, Mrs. Lathe Williams.

PACOLET: Mrs. Lewis Blackwell, Mrs. Mamie Thompson, Mrs. Lula Henson, Elmer Morgan, Mrs. Carrie Covil.

PLEASANT HILL: Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ivester, Porter Sosebee, Rev. John J. Huntley.

REFUGEE: Rev. George Roberts, W. J. Ballard, Grady Walker, Mrs. Charlie Tabor, Mrs. Carroll Pettett.

SALUDA: R. B. Staten, W. G. Egerton, Mrs. Bessie Pace, Mrs. J. C. Thompson, W. G. Egerton.

SHAW'S CREEK: Mrs. Bryan Merrill, Sr., Mrs. Frances Drake, Mrs. W. D. Glazner, Mrs. Finley Pace.

TRYON FIRST: Mrs. H. G. Bridgeman, Sr., Miss Iris Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Hester, Mrs. Julia Brock, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Hearn.

TRYON SECOND: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cantrell, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Morton, Walter Fortune.

TUXEDO: Mrs. R. L. Garner, Mrs. L. L. Cartee, Mrs. Willie Hunnicutt, Jack Harris, Willard Lewis, Green Wise, L. L. Cartee.

VALLEY HILL: Mrs. Evans Hamilton, Mrs. Eulas Mintz, Mrs. James Barnett, D. H. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Charlie Painter, Mrs. Eugene Spellman, Mrs. Fred Reep, Mrs. J. C. Oates, Mrs. Guy Sitton, Mrs. Pat Fisher.

ZION HILL: Rev. John Middleton, Mrs. John Middleton, George Freeman, Ray Boyd, Jim Hammet.

ZIRCONIA: Mrs. Elizabeth Swann, Mrs. Nora Anders, Mrs. J. H. Stanberry, Julian Hill, J. W. Bradley, Rev. J. H. Stanberry.

ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS

Pastors Conference—The Ministers Conference of the association meets each Monday at the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville. The meeting begins at 10 A. M. and all pastors are urged to attend.

Quarterly Meetings—Each fifth Sunday the Association meets at some designated church at 2:30 P. M. and adjourns at 4 P. M.

Sunday School Meetings will be announced by the Superintendent.

Training Union Meetings will be announced by the Director.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

The Fruitland Baptist Assembly is located six miles from Hendersonville and is in session from June 1 through August 31. Rev. B. G. Henry is director.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE

Located at Fruitland Assembly is the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, a preachers' school conducted each year, in three six-weeks terms, October through March, under the direction of Dr. J. C. Canipe, President and also State Secretary of Evangelism.

ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

Moderator	N. A. Melton
Vice-Moderator	M. L. Walker
Clerk	Allard Garren
Treasurer	M. K. Sinclair
Historian	W. F. Sinclair
Sunday School Superintendent	Roy C. Bennett, Sr.
Training Union Director	Mrs. J. N. Huggins
W. M. U. Superintendent	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
Pianist	Mrs. John Sinclair
Chorister	D. G. Wilkie

MINISTERS CONFERENCE

President	Rev. H. O. Hearn, Tryon, N. C.
Vice-President	Rev. Harold McKinnish, Tuxedo
Secretary	Rev. Allard Garren, Hendersonville

ORDAINED MINISTERS WHO ARE NOT PASTORS

Allison, L. V.	Tryon
Barnwell, Horace	Fletcher
Barnwell, Odell	Fletcher
Beddingfield, General	Tuxedo
Blythe, C. E.	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Blythe, J. E.	Hendersonville
Brevard, D. K.	Tryon
Bunday, Stewart	Greenville, S. C.
Burge, Jimmy	Hendersonville
Burrell, C. P.	Tryon
Cabe, Harold	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Cable, Vincent	Flat Rock
Canipe, Dr. J. C.	417 3rd Ave., Hendersonville
Capps, Harlie	Zirconia
Chapman, Harrison	Lynn, N. C.
Corn, D. R.	Zirconia
Corn, Edward	Tuxedo
Corn, Gordon	Hendersonville
Corn, Quay	Rt. 2, Hendersonville

Crawford, Jerry M.	Arden
Dickson, John	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Edney, Arnold	Flat Rock
Field, William A.	Asheville
Gibbs, Perry	Hendersonville
Gordon, George	Atlanta, Ga.
Heatherly, Alfred	Zirconia
Hester, B. B.	Tryon
Hollingsworth, C. B.	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Huntley, John J.	Fletcher
Huntley, T. R.	Balfour
Jackson, Ralph	Fletcher
Jones, Arthur	Box 332, Hendersonville
Jones, James	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Kelley, Edward	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Lewis, Jobie	Fletcher
Mace, H. H.	Hendersonville
Mainwaring, C. W.	
Merrill, Tom H.	Fletcher
Middleton, K. T.	Fletcher
Miller, Bruce	
Moore, M. M.	Hendersonville
Nester, E. W.	Lacomb, Ore.
Pace, Edwin	Zirconia
Paschall, Floyd	Mountain Home
Peace, Luther	Saluda
Peek, Wayne	Asheville
Pettit, Oscar	Rt. 5, Hendersonville
Powell, Westley	Greenville, S. C.
Osteen, Gilleo	Hendersonville
Osteen, Jesse E.	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Owensby, J. W.	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Quinn, R. P.	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Reese, A. V.	Hendersonville
Rhodes, Darel	Rt. 5, Hendersonville
Riddlehover, Jimmie	Balfour
Roberts, W. A.	Hendersonville
Robinson, Allison	Fletcher
Robinson, Edward	Fletcher
Rymer, John Foulds	Rt. 2, Hendersonville
Smith, Robert	Balfour
Taylor, Carl	Hendersonville
Tillman, Jack	Los Angeles, Calif.
Tinsley, William	Hendersonville
Thompson, Thomas E.	Hendersonville
Tweed, Luther	Hendersonville
Wilkie, Woodrow	Fletcher
Wilson, Lacy	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Wilson, Willard	Dana
Worley, W. W.	Hendersonville

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Willard Wilson
James Jones
George Gordon
Howard Cabe
Willie Corn
Charles Frady
William Tinsley
Luther Capell
L. V. Allison
K. T. Middleton
Ted Reed

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Clyde Fetner	Balfour
Buddy Mullinax	Balfour
Floyd Paschall	Balfour
Howard Cabe	Balfour
Edward Kelley	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
John Foulds Rymer	Rt. 2, Hendersonville
John Dickson	Rt. 3, Hendersonville

Church	Pastor	Address
BALFOUR	W. C. Huntley	Balfour
BARKER HEIGHTS	Clarence Haynes	414 Stepp St., Hendersonville
BARNWELL	O. J. Smith	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
BAT CAVE	S. P. Stapp	Chimney Rock, N. C.
BEARWALLOW	John H. Dickson	Hendersonville
BEREA	Arnold Beck	Hendersonville
BEULAH		
BROAD RIVER	Wade Huntley	Hendersonville
CALVARY	W. F. Sinclair	626 Justice St., Hendersonville
CRAB CREEK	Richard Pace	Box 125, Flat Rock, N. C.
CROSS ROADS	J. E. Osteen	Zirconia
DANA	W. S. Bradley	Dana
EAST FLAT ROCK	N. B. Phillips	Hendersonville
EBENEZER	L. K. Holbert	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
ETOWAH	W. F. Sinclair	Hendersonville
FLETCHER	Vilas Minton	Fletcher
FORK CREEK	Floyd Bridgeman	Travelers Rest, S. C.
FRUITLAND	N. A. Melton	Rt. 2, Hendersonville
FRENCH BROAD	B. G. Henry	Hendersonville
GREEN RIVER	James L. Mullinax	Balfour
HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST	Mack M. Goss,	Box 536, Hendersonville
HENDERSONVILLE, WEST	Roy Campbell,	Box 925, Hendersonville
HORSE SHOE	Cecil Worsham	Hendersonville
HOOPERS CREEK	J. E. Whitaker	41 E. Biltmore, Biltmore, N. C.
JONES GAP	Albert Laughter	110 S. C. Ave., Hendersonville
LOCUST GROVE	Clyde Fetner	Hendersonville
MILLS RIVER	John Rhymer	Route 2, Hendersonville
MIDDLE FORK	Rev. Chattams	Rutherfordton, N. C.
MT. GILEAD		
MT. MORIAH	Ralph Banning	Horse Shoe, N. C.
MT. OLIVET	Howard Cape	Balfour
MOUNTAIN HOME	J. W. Jackson	Rt. 1, Horse Shoe, N. C.
MOUNTAIN PAGE	General Beddingfield	Tuxedo, N. C.
MOUNTAIN VALLEY	C. B. Hollingsworth	Zirconia
MOUNTAIN VIEW	Cecil Worsham	Rt. 2, Hendersonville
MUD CREEK	W. S. Billingsley	Rutledge Dr., Hendersonville
NAPLES	Zeno Green	Horse Shoe, N. C.
OAK FOREST	J. C. Cartee	Fletcher
OAK GROVE	Arnold Beck	Flat Rock
PLEASANT GROVE	C. B. Hollingsworth	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
PACOLET	Finley Orr	Hendersonville
PLEASANT HILL	John J. Huntley	Fletcher
REFUGE	George A. Roberts	Dana
SALUDA	F. M. Huggins	Saluda
SHAWS CREEK	T. G. Proctor	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
TRYON FIRST	Henry O. Hearn	Tryon
TRYON SECOND	Virgel D. Jones	Balfour
TUXEDO	Harold McKinnish	Tuxedo

VALLEY HILL—Allard Garren.....Stepp St., Hendersonville
ZION HILL—John Middleton.....Fletcher
ZIRCONIA—J. Harve Stanberry.....Zirconia

Church	Treasurer	Address
BALFOUR	Dan R. Lyda	1701 Clear Creek Rd., Hendersonville
BARKER HEIGHTS	Mrs. George Redmond	114 Blue Ridge St., Hendersonville
BARNWELL	Clarence Barnwell	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
BAT CAVE	Mrs. D. T. Freeman	Bat Cave, N. C.
BEAR WALLOW	Miss Ruth Merrell	Gerton, N. C.
BEREA	Finley Patterson	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
BEULAH	Fred B. Wilkie	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
BROAD RIVER		
CALVARY	James D. Tweed	1527 Ridgewood Ave., Hendersonville
CRAB CREEK	Lawrence Barnwell	1211 Cherokee St., Hendersonville
CROSS ROADS	Newman Morgan	Rt. 1, Zirconia
DANA	H. J. Pace	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
EAST FLAT ROCK	Hugh Morrison	Hendersonville
EBENEZER	Mrs. Marvin Holbert	Rt. 5, Hendersonville
ETOWAH	R. N. Sentelle	Etowah
FLETCHER	Mrs. T. H. Riddle	Fletcher
FORK CREEK	Mrs. B. W. McCravy	Saluda
FRUITLAND	Mrs. Clara Pace	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
FRENCH BROAD	Mrs. J. D. Hooper	Rt. 1, Horse Shoe
GREEN RIVER		
HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST	Allen A. Freeman	P. O. Box 334, Hendersonville
HENDERSONVILLE, WEST	Mrs. John Rollins	715 Jones St., Hendersonville
HORSE SHOE	Mrs. Lewis Davenport	Rt. 1, Horse Shoe
HOOPERS CREEK	Arnold Holt	Fletcher
JONES GAP	Mrs. M. S. McCarson	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
LOCUST GROVE	Coy A. McMinn	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
MILLS RIVER	Clifford Sitton	Horse Shoe
MIDDLE FORK	Mrs. S. L. Hill, Sr.	Gerton, N. C.
MT. GILEAD	Mrs. O. O. Marlow	Arden, N. C.
MT. MORIAH	Alvin Dalton	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
MT. OLIVET	Carl Osteen	Zirconia
MOUNTAIN HOME	W. A. Martin	Edneyville
MOUNTAIN PAGE	R. W. Bell	Rt. 1, Saluda
MOUNTAIN VALLEY	Grant Maybin	Zirconia
MOUNTAIN VIEW	Mrs. Ben Jones	Hendersonville
MUD CREEK	Mrs. Lula Kent	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
NAPLES	Mrs. R. B. Smith	Naples
OAK FOREST	G. O. Vaughn	Rt. 1, Fletcher
OAK GROVE	Francis Mintz	Rt. 1, Flat Rock
PLEASANT GRVE	Richard Hamilton	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
PACOLET	Elmer Morgan	Lynn, N. C.
PLEASANT HILL	H. C. Ivester	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
REFUGE	W. W. Ballard	Dana
SALUDA	W. G. Egerton	Saluda
SHAWS CREEK	J. L. Nanney	5th Ave. W., Hendersonville
TRYON, FIRST	Miss Iris Jackson	Box 546, Tryon
TRYON, SECOND	Walter Fortune	Tryon
TUXEDO	H. J. Lindsey	Tuxedo
VALLEY HILL	E. C. Stepp	Lakeside Drive, Hendersonville
ZION HILL	A. E. Taylor	Zirconia
ZIRCONIA	Mrs. Nora Anders	Zirconia

PROCEEDINGS

1. The Seventy-seventh annual session of the Carolina Baptist Association was called to order by Moderator M. L. Walker in the Mud Creek Church of Hendersonville, August 4, 1953. Brother D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "ONWARD CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS" and "TELL ME THE STORY OF JESUS".

2. Rev. Virgil Jones, pastor of Second Baptist Church of Tryon read the 91st Psalm and led in prayer.

3. The clerk called the roll of churches and 47 were represented by messengers. The number was later revised upward to 48 and 51 letters from the churches were in the hands of the clerk.

4. The following officers were elected:

Moderator	Rev. N. A. Melton
Vice Moderator	M. L. Walker
Clerk	Rev. Allard Garren
Treasurer	Milas K. Sinclair
Historian	Rev. W. F. Sinclair
S. S. Supt.	Roy C. Bennett, Sr.
T. U. Director	Mrs. Junius Huggins
Chorister	D. G. Wilkie
Pianist	Mrs. J. A. Sinclair
Director of Men's Brotherhood	Keith Arledge
Director of Young Men's Brotherhood	Frank Neville

5. The following pastors were recognized: George Roberts, Leo Bell, F. M. Huggins, N. B. Phillips, M. L. Lewis, W. S. Billingsley, W. F. Sinclair, O. J. Smith, Troy Lunsford, W. C. Huntley, N. A. Melton, Ralph Banning, A. B. Ledford, Harold McKinnish, Cecil Worsham, General Beddingfield, Finley Orr, Zeno Greene, Mack M. Goss, Allard Garren, Henry O. Hearn, B. G. Henry, J. C. Cartee, A. V. Reese, L. K. Holbert, James Mullinax, S. P. Stapp, A. L. Laughter, Jesse Osteen and Roy Campbell.

6. Rev. B. G. Henry was recognized and made special announcement about Fruitland for the next several weeks and urged all who would to attend these meetings.

7. The following visitors were recognized by the chair: A. F. Blackburn, J. C. Pipes, Rogers Crooks, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Bradley, M. A. Huggins, Mr. and Mrs. Reed, George Griffin, Dr. and Mrs. McGee from Baptist Hospital.

8. The State Missions report was presented by F. M. Huggins who read the following report which was adopted:

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

August 4, 1953

The general purpose of our State Mission Board is to encourage and supplement the work of our local churches and to render assistance to weak churches which are not able to support themselves.

The work of our State Mission Board is divided into departments or activities as follows:

1. Missionary pastoral support. This is a very vital part of our state mission work. The N. C. Baptist Annual for 1952, among many other items reports for the convention year the following significant facts:

Missionary Pastors	89
Churches aided	109
Revivals held	83
Conversions	1,679
Baptisms	1,318
Pastors' Salary	$154,695.42
Cooperative Program	$ 27,475.87
Building Repairs	$315,972.42

2.	Church Extension	$ 17,775.00
	College Centers	$ 17,335.60
	Total Extension	$ 35,110.60

3. Department of Evangelism, of which Dr. J. C. Canipe is the Secretary. The purpose of this department is the winning of souls to Christ and to membership in our churches. During the year a number of simultaneous campaigns have been held. The Pastors of this association recommend that such a campaign be held in our churches beginning the first of March. Preparation is now being made for a nation wide evangelistic campaign in 1955.

4. There is also the department of Radio and Visual Education. L. J. Morriss is the Director. The series of broadcasts, "Light for Living" was carried by some 40 odd stations. This department also cooperates with the Radio Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention. Visual Aid slides are being made available on our Advance Program for Missions.

5. Note should be made of our Baptist work at Sanatorium and Samarcand. Rev. W. Ray Gosnell is serving at Sanatorium and Rev. Zeb A. Caudle at Samarcand, a correctional institution for girls. Many of these are won to Christ and to the better life.

6. The Allied Church League is under the direction of Rev. R. M. Hauss. The league is leading the fight against alcoholic beverages through legislation, law enforcement, education and rehabilitation of alcoholics.

7. The Baptist Brotherhood under the leadership of Mr. Horace Easam is growing. 62 of the 73 associations have brotherhoods. The Brotherhod seeks to do for men what the W. M. U. does for the women and to help provide leaders for the Royal Ambassadors.

8. The N. C. Baptist Foundation, headed by Robert D. Helleman and Horace Easom, is the agency through which Baptists and other friends may make gifts of money, stocks, bonds, real estate, or make bequests to institutions and agencies, with the assurance that such bequests will be administered according to the wishes of the donors.

9. The State Mission Board also cooperates with the General Baptist State Convention for the colored people in making annual gifts to our negro brethren. This year the amount is $1,800.

10. The State Mission Board also sponsors schools for Ministers and Deacons. The Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute at Fruitland under the direction of Dr. J. C. Canipe is doing a most excellent work, having an enrollment of over 100 Baptist ministers. Also schools for Deacons are held at Fruitland and Caswell with good results to the churches.

11. Then there is the work among the silent people. This is a work of mercy directed by the Rev. Jerry F. Potter.

12. The Assemblies at Fruitland and Caswell are well attended during the summer. Our people in the Carolinas have a great opportunity at Fruitland.

13. The Rural Church Department with Henry E. Walden, Jr., as the Secretary is doing a vital and much needed work.

14. and 15. The Sunday School Department under L. L. Morgan is doing a magnificent work. The Training Union Department, under James P. Morgan is also doing a great work. These two departments will be reported upon seperately.

Almost one-half the total church membership of North Carolina are Baptists. Let us rise up and accept the challenge to take North Carolina for Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
F. M. Huggins

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

August 4, 1953

9. The Home Mission Report was read by Rev. W. F. Sinclair and was adopted. Home Missions in 1952:

In 1952 the HOME MISSION BOARD had 1,274 missionaries, 362 of whom were employed for only ten weeks as student summer workers. They represented a gain in personnel of 104.

Soul-winning is the chief aim of HOME MISSIONS. The achievement in this field is encouraging. The report shows 30,565 conversions in the ministry of HOME MISSIONARIES. In addition to conversions reported by missionaries there were 11,284 professions of faith under the leadership of 425 chaplains in the armed forces. Also there were 6,626 conversions reported in crusades led by the personnel of the HOME MISSION BOARD'S evangelistic staff. An inestimable number of conversions resulted from the Mission radio programs.

The Department of Evangelism was asked to assume responsibility for Transfer Church Membership Week during September. There were 481,879 who joined Southern Baptist churches during 1952. The special week's emphasis was successful and played its part in the over-all program of enlistment. All agencies of the Convention cooperated in the movement and the evangelism department has been asked to repeat the emphasis this year.

Royal Ambassadors in co-operation with the HOME MISSION BARD started a tract distribution, preparing tract racks and supplying them with mission literature and other available materials.

With full co-operation on the part of other Convention agencies the HOME MISSION BOARD enlarged its BSU work among negroes to serve all negro colleges and seminaries through the service of Dr. S. E. Grindstead as Southwide BSU secretary.

The Church Building Loan Fund of the HOME MISSION BOARD needs enlargement. The Convention's approval was given in 1952 to a plan to borrow a half million dollars from banks at a rate of interest which would justify the Board in lending the increased funds to churches which needed the money for building. The Board presented its needs to the Executive Committee and was given encouragement in its program to increase the loan fund in order to help more churches. The major portion of money received in the Advance Program was transferred to the Church Building Loan Fund. Annuities are being written and other available money from time to time is being placed in the loan fund in the hope that the amount can be raised to ten million dollars within the next ten years.

Definite plans were adopted by the Board during 1952 for the enlargement of Negro work in the selection of an evangelist to serve on the staff of the Department of Evangelism; the employment of a worker in the field of home counseling and juvenile delinquency; a church ministry to members of the armed forces; and the employment of missionaries to the Russians in California and in the H-Bomb center in South Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,
W. F. Sinclair

10. The Foreign Missions report was read by Ralph Banning which was adopted.

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

August 4, 1953

John 3:16 tells us the extent of God's love. Before leaving the world Jesus said to his disciples, "Ye are my witnesses."

The Foreign Mission Board assists in evangelistic, educational, medical and publication work in three broad regions of the world: (1) the Orient, (2) Africe, Europe and the near East, and (3) Latin America.

Southern Baptists have, at the beginning of 1953, a total of 879 missionaries who are serving in 34 countries of the world. They are associated with 3,000,225 members. These churches operate 3,660 mission points which have an enrollment of 18,000.

The objective in all these countries is to develop New Testament churches which will become evangelizing agencies of their own people. Therefore, the churches promote the various types of organizations for training, teaching and promotion that our churches in the Southern Baptist Convention of America have. They have 2,700 Sunday schools with 193,000 people enrolled; 1,200 Training Unions with 31,000 members and 1,300 auxiliaries with 23,800 enrolled.

Five hospitals, 10 dispensaries and five clinics ministering to 43,000 patients in areas where medical facilities are availeble for only small margins of the total population.

Distributions of Cooperative program: receipts for Foreign Missions $3,888,035.88. Total distributions—all purposes—$9,076,047.82.

I move the adoption of this report.

Respectfully submitted,
Ralph Banning

11. Missionary address was delivered by Dr. M. A. Huggins, Executive Secretary of our Baptist State Convention for 22 years.

12. The congregation stood and sang "The Kingdom is Coming" and Dr. Huggins spoke on "Advance", saying Baptists are advancing along all lines, that the amount given in money by all Baptists per member last year was $6.06 for all causes. He stated how we can get our people to give more: First "Every member with an envelope". Second 'Bringe envelope to Sunday School or worship service". Third "Every church having a budget".

13. Report of Committee on Committees by F. M. Huggins. The following report was adopted:

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Superintendent	W. B. Sinclair
Assoc. Supt. in charge of Training	C. F. Jervis
Assoc. Supt. in charge of Evangelism	Ralph Banning
Assoc. Supt. in charge of Enlargement	Roy Huggins
Assoc. Supt. in charge of V. B. S.	Mrs. Howard Sitton
Secretary-Treasurer	Rachel Kuykendall
Pianist	Mrs. Fred Pressley
Chorister	D. G. Wilkie

STANDING COMMITTEES

State Missions	J. C. Cartee
Home Missions	T. G. Proctor
Foreign Missions	S. P. Stapp
Christian Education	C. F. Jervis
Orphanage	W. C. Huntley
Hospital	Clyde Fetner
Home for Aging	V. D. Minton
Christian Literature	W. F. Sinclair
Sunday Schools	M. L. Lewis
Training Union	Mrs. Junius Huggins
W. M. U.	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
Temperance - Public Morals	A. V. Reese

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Allard Garren, Chairman; M. K. Sinclair, R. N. Sentell, F. D. Hills, M. J. Banning

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

Moderator—Rev. N. A. Melton, Chairman; Clerk—Rev. Allard Garren, Roy D. Campbell, Miss Hannah Brummet, Mrs. Spurgeon Williams

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

THREE YEAR TERM: Virgil Jones, Harold McKinnish, H. L. F. Drake, Mrs. O. J. Smith
TWO YEAR TERM: H. O. Hearn, W. S. Billingsley, T. G. Proctor, Miss Myrtle Bennett
ONE YEAR TERM: N. A. Melton, F. M. Huggins, Mrs. M. L. Walker, J. A. Sinclair.

MISSIONS COMMITTEE

Mack M. Goss, George Roberts, Mrs. D. G. Wilkie, M. L. Walker, B. G. Henry

REPORT OF TREASURER CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1953

Balance on hand August 1, 1952	$ 128.07	
Contributions to maintain Field Worker	2,343.41	
Contributions to Field Worker for supply	1,760.00	
Receipts at Quarterly Meetings	123.46	
Receipts for Minute Fund	356.21	
	$4,711.15	$4,711.15
Disbursements:		
Field Worker—Salary and Expense	$3,544.77	
For printing Minutes	345.35	
Clerk	50.00	
Field Worker—Expense to Conventions	175.00	
	$4,115.12	$4,115.12
Balance on hand		$ 596.03

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING TO SUPPORT OF FIELD WORKER AND MINUTE FUND

	Field Worker	Minute Fund
Balfour	$ 156.00	$ 25.00
Barnwell	7.00	3.00
Bat Cave	30.00	5.00
Bear Wallow	24.10	5.00
Berea		5.75
Beulah		4.00
Broad River		5.00
Calvary		5.00
Crab Creek	10.00	
Cross Roads		6.00
Dana	77.80	10.00
Double Springs		5.00
East Flat Rock	185.00	15.00
Etowah	60.00	12.00
Fletcher	10.00	10.00
Fork Creek	5.00	4.96
French Broad		10.00
Fruitland	75.00	15.00
Green River	17.50	6.00

Hendersonville, First	600.00	25.00
Hendersonville, West		5.00
Horse Shoe		5.00
Jones Gap	11.00	3.00
Liberty		3.00
Middle Fork		2.00
Mills River	49.89	10.00
Mt. Gilead	35.00	5.00
Mt. Moriah	80.00	10.00
Mountain Home		3.00
Mountain Valley		5.00
Mountain View		5.00
Mud Creek	275.00	20.00
Naples	60.00	7.50
Pacolet		10.00
Pleasant Grove		5.00
Pleasant Hill		5.00
Refuge	107.00	10.00
Saluda		10.00
Shaws Creek	148.12	10.00
Tryon, First	220.00	15.00
Tryon, Second		6.00
Tuxedo		10.00
Valley Hill	100.00	10.00
Zion Hill		5.00
For year ending July 31, 1952	$2,343.41	$356.21

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

15. The Moderator appointed the following committees:
Reception of New Churches: Mack M. Goss, George Roberts, W. S. Billingsley.

Time, Place, Preacher: H. O. Hearn, R. N. Sentell, S. P. Stapp. Also this committee is to report the place of the 5th Sunday meeting.

Resolutions Committee: Ralph Banning, W. C. Huntley, W. S. Egerton.

16. Brother Keith Arledge gave the following report on the Brotherhoods of the Association which was adopted:

REPORT ON MEN'S BROTHERHOOD

A group of consecrated Christian Men in the Church striving to carry out the will of Christ and seeking to get other men to do the same thing Constitute a Brotherhood.

The purpose of the Brotherhod is to undergird the whole program of the Church and Denomination, its program is Evangelism, Stewardship, Church Loyalty and Bible Doctrine. Upon these foundation stones can be built an organization that will both serve and endure, for the purposes that Christian men have dedicated their lives.

As Chairman of the Brotherhood Committee of the Carolina Association for the past year it has been our happy privilege to visit in churches where men, so dedicated, have organized a Brotherhood and are functioning as Christian men whose lives are God directed. We have, in a limited way tried to promote the organization of other Brotherhoods in member churches and from present indications new units are in the process of being formed.

Today's world calls for Christian armies, vast Christian armies with unlimited numbers, volunteers, these volunteers having noble

purposes and having been inspired and guided by the Creator of the Universe can then in simple dedication march forth to both challenge and conquer the enemy that presently ravages the lives of most of our brothers. So duty calls, Men of God above the roar of marching Christian feet our Great Commander cries out "On, on to glorious victory".

Respectfully submitted,
Keith A. Arledge

17. The following report was read by Frank Neville, which was adopted:

REPORT OF JUNIOR BROTHERHOOD

It would give us much pleasure to report that during the past year the Junior Brotherhood of this association has made much progress but we feel that this is not the case. Perhaps the greatest handicap in our work lies in the fact that so many of our young men must enter the Armed Forces of our Country, or are going away to college. We sincerely pray that the former reason may soon end and for the latter we wish them God speed.

However, we feel that many of our churches do not realize the importance and usefulness of this organization to our young men.

Our programs are patterned after the senior Brotherhood and help to inspire greater loyalty to the entire church program with special emphasis on missions.

Our work at present for the Junior Brotherhood includes a meeting once a quarter at the First Church, Hendersonville, where all our churches are invited to attend and decide if such a program would help the young men of **your** church. If we can assist you in organizing such a group in your church please call on us and we will be happy to help.

Respectfully submitted,
Frank Neville

18. Miss Lillian Howell was recognized. She made announcement concerning Church Music Month through September and invited the Churches to participate in a Music Study Course at the First Baptist Church, Hendersonville, September 25 through October 2nd.

19. Rev. A. V. Reese was recognized. He announced about the book, "The Baptist Faith and Roman Catholicism" which was available through him.

20. Brother W. S. Billingsley, pastor of the Mud Creek Baptist Church welcomed everyone and invited them to stay for lunch which was to be served at the back of the church under the trees.

21. The annual Sermon was delivered by Rev. Mack M. Goss, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Hendersonville. He used as his scripture Matt. 19:6. He spoke about the forces that will draw us together in the Church, home or association. He stressed the importance of knowing **"whom"** rather than **"what"** we believe. He said if we were interested in giving people **Jesus,** we need not worry so much about the doctrine. It is **whom** and not **what** that makes the difference.

22. Brother Crooks closed the morning session in prayer.

AFTERNOON SESSION

23. The Association assembled at 1:30. Two hymns were sung "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name" and "Jesus Saves", led by D. G. Wilkie. Rev. W. C. Huntley, pastor of Balfour Baptist Church read the Scripture Acts I and led in prayer.

24. The Moderator recognized Mrs. Huntley, the mother of four boys present who were preachers.

25. Visitors recognized were: R. M. House, J. M. Hayes, John Middleton, Rev. and Mrs. Ray Marshall.

26. The following report of the Woman's Missionary Union was read by Mrs. M. K. Sinclair which was adopted. Rev. George Roberts, pastor of Refuge was recognized and gave an interesting report about the Woman's Missionary organization.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

The year with its opportunities for increased missionary zeal, has come and gone. It has left us with a sense of regret that we have not accomplished greater things in Kingdom work. We do feel, however that a better grade of work is being done in most of our organizations.

Outstanding in gains is the growth in membership. This of course is still far below what it should be but the gains are remarkable. The doors of four churches were opened for Woman's Missionary Work. We were happy to welcome these. This gives us a total of 25 Missionary Societies, 7 Young Women's Auxiliaries, 12 Girl's Auxiliaries, 11 Royal Ambassador Chapters and 12 Sunbeam Bands, or a total of 68 organizations with a membership of 1,275. There are 913 giving regularly through the Co-Operative Program and 584 of these are tithers. Special gifts show a definite increase of $1,037.51. Our total gifts for this year are $5,063.37.

During this year a total of 91 Mission Study classes were held. There has been an increased interest manifested in Mission reading. If people are to be informed and are to become more missionary minded, or more concerned about missions in general, it is necessary to do more reading and that is definitely being done.

One Mission Study Institute was held. A very interesting G.A. Rally was held with Mrs. T. G. Proctor bringing the inspirational message of the evening.

Our Y.W.A. leader called our Y.W.A.'s together for a Counsel meeting with Miss Stella Austin, our missionary from Nigeria, bringing a message concerning the work done on that field.

Our R.A.'s have been meeting regularly for their recognition in ranking. This is most helpful to our boys.

Interest is being shown in Community Missions. There are 615 members who meet monthly and take part in this phase of our work.

Our annual meeting was held as First Baptist Church, East Flat Rock. This was a real Spiritual meeting at which time Mrs. Fred Bowman was honored for her many years of faithful service.

For all the labors and honest efforts of our women and young people, we are truly thankful. We can make progress when we work and pray together. We do hope and pray that the challenge we face will encourage us to undertake more in 1954 for the cause of Missions. We know that we are in His will when we are concerned about others and when we analyze the word OTHERS we find ourselves thinking of the various phases of MISSIONS, the cause that we believe is near to the heart of God, because out of His heart of compassion we have the foundation for our Missionary endeavors.

We have never lived in a day when Missions are more needed. There are people who are hungry for food, who need the Bread of Life. There are people who need clothing, but they need the Gospel even more than something to wear. There are people who are homeless who need to be led to see and know the Lord Jesus who tells us in His word that He has gone to prepare a place for those who love Him, and they will never hear that message of love unless we are faithful to the cause of Missions.

We as Southern Baptists are facing many open doors. Our Father calls workers and it is our opportunity and responsibility to see that every one who is called may not be hindered in preparing himself, or herself to meet the call.

Facing all the challenges, as we must, we press forward to higher

achievements always remembering that we are "Laborers Together With God".

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair

27. M. L. Lewis, pastor of Dana Baptist Church read the following report on Christian Literature, which was adopted:

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

Old and Young alike read; especially the Young. People in most cases read whatever is at hand; hence the importance of placing good, or Christian literature before our young people. There are two very important reasons for reading good literature. First: it builds good character. People come to be like the things they absorb in their minds and hearts. Second: reading good literature destroys the desire for bad literature. Furnish your family with good Christian literature.

We, of course would recommend first of all the Bible, then such periodicals as the Biblical Recorder, Charity and Children, Home Missions and other Baptist papers, especially Home Life, a Christian Family Magazine, published by the Sunday School Board. I would also recommend Hurlburt's Story of the Bible as the best Bible story for both young and old I have ever read. There are also many other good Christian books and periodicals that should be kept before every reader.

We as Christians should make every effort possible to counteract the bad literature found at most of our news stands, drug stores and bus stations, hotel lobbies and even at some of our grocery stores. The writers of much of this type of literature seem to have lost all sense of decency. They publish such stuff as the United States Mail will not carry. But many Christian parents will allow their children to carry and read such trash. What can we expect our sons and daughters to become if they are allowed to read stories of murder, drunkenness, robbery and rape? Parents let's furnish our children with the best reading matter, radio and television programs. Remember that the same button that turns on your radio or television will also turn off the same. Thoughts determine deeds, deeds determine character, character determines destiny. Let's be careful what we read and what we allow our children to read.

Respectfully submitted,
M. L. Lewis

28. Remarks about the kinds of literature to read were made by Mr. C. W. Bowman, Associate Editor of Baptist paper "The Biblical Recorder". He stressed the value of good reading and the use of Baptist papers.

29. Dr. W. K. McGee, Dept. of Religion of the Baptist Hospital gave a very good report of the progress of the Hospital and of the fine nurses and doctors there, and expressed thanks for the fine Mother's Day offerings.

REPORT ON NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOME FOR THE AGING (RESTHAVEN)

30. Dr. J. N. Hayes, Superintendent of the home gave a wonderful report on the progress of the home, the lovely people there and the future growth necessary to reach all the people who wanted to come there. In closing he said here are some of the things we have learned: 1. Such homes are needed. 2. Our Baptist people want the home. 3. Our Baptist will support the home. 4. The ministry of the Baptists brings a great blessing to those who come there. 5. North Carolina Baptists will be able to support all the work if they will only tithe their income.

31. Brother D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing the hymn "Standing On The Promises of God".

32. Institutions were recognized and reports were made by the

following: Dr. W. C. Reed made a report about the orphanage, saying last year they ministered to 728 children, helped to place 214 in homes.

33. Brother Roger Crooks represented the Girls College at Meredith in Raleigh and gave a word of thanks to people for supporting the college.

34. The following report was read by Rev. Zeno Green, pastor of Naples Baptist Church, which was adopted:

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

The only way a person can be temperant with alcoholic drinks, which lead to low public morals, is total abstinence.

To read statistics about the damaging and damning effects of alcoholic drinks, liquor, wine and beer, causes at most times only a momentary interest or a yawn; so have omitted them.

We have put forth some efforts to end the sale of wine and beer in our County. Are we satisfied that we did our best? Did our forefathers obtain for us our religious and physical freedom in these efforts?

The sale and use of alcoholic drink is a great cause of the bad and low morale in our midst. But just remove the drinks, low morals will remain. The need is for those that bear the name of Christ-ians to "depart from evil", speak the truth about the evils of drink without fear or favor. Show by our actions, voice and **vote** we are for the right and against the wrong as taught in the Bible, regardless of who it involves.

If Christ, "The light of the world", dwells in us and shines out of us bright enough, alcoholic drinks will appear in their true state, not only showing the condemnation they bring but the way out. Alcohol in the individual destroys for here and hereafter; Christ in the individual saves for here and hereafter.

It is "Every Christians Job" to be about this, using every opportunity to voice against this evil. Praying that we will soon get to vote against the sale of alcoholic drinks in our midst; living as Christians so as to compel those around us to move to higher Public Morals by an inward experience and outward conformity.

Respectfully submitted,
Zeno L. Greene

35. Brother R. M. Houss was recognized. He emphasized the importance of placing in the government men who would vote dry. Brother Houss, Executive Secretary of Allied League for Beverage Alcohol, stands against any kind of Beverage alcohol.

36. Report from all committees and business.

Brother W. B. Sinclair read the following report on the Home for Aging, which was adopted:

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOME FOR AGING

The youngest member of our Baptist family of institutions, the North Carolina Baptist Homes, Inc., has had the best year since it began operating, March 16, 1951.

Resthaven, with space for twenty residents, has been filled to capacity. The number of inquiries for rooms has increased into the hundreds.

The Home received its best financial support. The share received from the Nine Year Program (1952) was $12,062.80; our first Special Day offering, February 15, exceeded $52,000; and from individuals, churches and auxiliary organizations we have received $12,380.33, as of August 1st.

The response to the first Special Day offering for the Home was most encouraging. More than half of our 3055 Baptist churches responded. About seventy-five per cent of the amount came from the

smaller churches. Twenty-four churches in Carolina Association contributed.

Considering the short time our Home has been operating (2 years), and the fact that this was the first opportunity to appeal to our churches for a special offering, all of us should be encouraged by the response. Our next Special Day offering, February 21, 1954, should amount to $100,000.

On June 18, this year, property was purchased for a Branch Home at Albemarle. This property, consisting of a vacated hospital building and a nurses' home building and nearly three acres of land, was purchased for $25,000. It will cost an equal amount to renovate the property. Even so, it is well worth twice the amount invested. Thus, we can care for 60 residents—20 at Resthaven, Winston-Salem; and 40 at the Albemarle Home.

At the time of purchase it was hoped that the branch home would be ready for operation by October 1 of this year.

The general health of the residents has been exceptionally good, considering the range of their ages, 66 to 93. There has been only one death this year. The spirit and the general attitude of the residents have been most satisfactory.

There are many evidences of increasing interest in our Homes. Pastors conducting worship services have brought delegations from their churches to share the inspiration of worship with our residents. Auxiliary and Sunday School groups have frequently visited us to conduct devotional services. Gifts of supplies and cash are often received from these various organizations.

Plans for the future enlargement are encouraging. With a general Special Day offering in February, 1954 and other special gifts from individuals and corporations, we should be ready to begin construction of our administration building which would give us room for fifty additional residents and make our total capacity 110 residents.

Since North Carolina Baptist now number more than 700,000 members, with thousands of our constituency now over 65 years of age, we should keep in mind the great number of our elderly brethren who need a home to provide security, comfort, congeniality and a Christian ministry. Our North Carolina Baptists are able to meet the challenge to make adequate provision for the aging, and as "Laborers together with God" we can meet it.

"Cast me not off in the time of old age; forsake me not when my strength faileth"—Psalms 71:9.

Superintendent Hayes requests that a representative for the Baptist Homes be elected at each Association.

37. The following letter of Resolution concerning our Associational Missions Program was read by Allard Garren, acting Clerk, which was prepared by the Missions Committee: N. B. Phillips, Chairman, Mrs. T. G. Proctor, Mrs. Virgil Jones, George Roberts, M. M. Goss, which was approved:

RESOLUTIONS CONCERNING OUR ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS PROGRAM

WHEREAS Brother Roy Campbell has been Associational Missionary of the Carolina Association for the past three and one half years,

And WHEREAS he has conducted or assisted in more than 2300 services which include preaching services, training courses, ordination of deacons and minister, etc.

And WHEREAS he has spent many hours conferring and counseling with church leaders of the Association concerning budgets, programs and a variety of problems,

And WHEREAS he has served the Association in assisting about one hundred people to go to the Baptist Hospital for treatment.

And WHEREAS Brother Campbell has submitted his resignation as our Missionary, to take effect at the discretion of this body,

And WHEREAS he has taken off from his work only a few days during these many months, and has had only two weeks of vacation,

Therefore, be it RESOLVED:

1. That we, the Carolina Baptist Association assembled at the Mud Creek Baptist Church, August 4, 1953, accept his resignation, thanking him for his faithful efforts and services;
2. That we assure Brother Campbell of our prayers and good wishes;
3. That his salary be pail until September 30;
4. That since he has had little vacation and now has serious illness in his family he be released from his responsibilities at his own pleasure;
5. That the new Mission Committee of the Association be asked to study the matter carefully, and after prayerful consideration bring a recommendation back to the Association relative to an Associational Mission Program and the employment of a missionary.
6. That we, the members of the Association, pledge ourselves to fervent prayer: (1) for Brother Campbell's family; (2) for the Mission Committee as they lead us in planning for the future.

Respectfully submitted,
Mission Committee
Carolina Baptist Association,
N. B. Phillips, Mrs. T. G. Proctor,
Mrs. Virgil Jones, George R.
Roberts, M. M. Goss

38. Brother Roy Campbell expressed appreciation for the fine cooperation given by the pastors and people of the Association, and asked that we continue to pray for his daughter, Mrs. Frank Silver, and for himself.

39. Reception of New Church "Zirconia Missionary Baptist Church" of Zirconia was read by Rev. Mack M. Goss, Chairman of the Committee and stated his committe had read the Church and would recommend that the Carolina Association receive them into the Association. Motion made by M. M. Goss, seconded by H. O. Hearn. The Moderator, M. L. Walker asked the pastor, Brother J. H. Stanberry to come to the front of the auditorium to be recognized, along with five messengers. The Committee was composed of M. M. Goss, George Roberts, W. S. Billingsley. The Church was received into the Carolina Association by vote.

40. Time, Place and Preacher for next year.
Time: August 3, 1954
Place: Annual meeting—Etowah Baptist Church
Preacher: Allard Garren with W. F. Sinclair as Alternate.

41. The following report was made by Rev. N. A. Melton, which was adopted:

REPORT OF HISTORIAN

In our report one year ago we endeavored to show something of the progress in the Carolina Association over a period of forty years by comparing figures from the minutes of 1911 and 1951. This time we are considering a ten year period and we are using figures from the minutes of 1942 and 1952. These show that advancement has been made along most lines.

Items	1942	1952
Number churches making report	42	53
Number churches not reporting	12	7
Total number of churches	54	60
Value of church property	$251,275	$1,298,600

Value of pastors' homes (3)	$ 13,000	(8)	$ 72,100
Churches will full time	17		30
Number of pastors	31		42
Total pastors salaries	$ 20,346		$ 78,372
Average salary of pastor	$ 656		$ 1,866
Number members reported	8,109		11,341
Sunday School Enrollment	5,123		9,020
Vacation Bible School Enrollment	726		2,949
WMU Organizations Enrollment	692		986
Training Union Enrollment	961		2,201
Brotherhood Enrollment	0		190
Baptisms Reported	221		435

These figures show that there has been considerable advancement along all lines in which comparison is made. However, this very important question arises: "Is advancement in these matters keeping pace with material prosperity, and are our people growing in grace as they increase in worldly wealth?" This question should give us great concern and lead to very earnest heart-searching.

Perhaps the one most significant thing which has taken place in the territory of the Carolina Association within the last ten years is the opening of new work at Fruitland. The Baptist Assembly during the summer has been a success from the first, and the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute for ministers continues to grow in interest and usefulness. About fifteen pastors who have received training at Fruitland are now serving churches in this association. Many others are pastors throughout the state and some in other states. Those who sacrificed to build Fruitland years ago must be gratified in these renewed and continued services of this beloved institution.

Respectfully submitted,
N. A. Melton, Historian

42. The following report was read by Rev. N. A. Melton, which was adopted:

MINISTERS' RETIREMENT

The Baptist denomination through the cooperation of the Southern Baptist Convention and the different state conventions provides a way for Baptist ministers and other Christian workers to have some means of support after they are no longer able to carry on active service due to illness or old age. We commend this plan to the earnest consideration of any pastor who may not already be a member and to any church whose pastor may not be a member. It is a very fine cooperative plan for pastor, church and denomination. For information and application blanks write Secretary M. A. Huggins, Raleigh, N. C.

Respectfully submitted,
N. A. Melton

43. The Resolutions Committee composed of the following: Ralph Banning, W. C. Huntley and W. G. Egerton make this report, which was adopted:

RESOLUTIONS REPORT

WHEREAS the Resolutions Committee wishes to thank Mud Creek Church for their kindness in entertaining the Association of 1953.

1. Parking our cars, 2. Wonderful refreshments, 3. Flowers and air conditioned auditorium.

4. Your Resolutions Committee makes recommendation for con-

sideration in the matter of the Executive Committee that it should consist of each pastor and one member from each church. We recommend that this report be adopted. (This matter was not adopted).

Respectfully submitted,
Ralph Banning, W. C. Huntley,
W. G. Egerton

44. Rev. Cecil Worsham, pastor of Mountain View, read the names of the "Beloved Dead" from all churches and the congregation stood during the time he read the names.

OUR BELOVED DEAD

BALFOUR: Mrs. G. W. Moody, Mr. Will Odom, Mrs. Jane Odom, Mr. Crisp.
BEAR WALLOW: Rev. J. O. Wall, Mrs. Hattie Connor, Mr. W. E. Oates.
BEREA: Mrs. Deliah Capps.
BEULAH: Weldon Blythe, Mrs. Elizabeth Bell.
CRAB CREEK: Mr. Hamilton McDowell.
CROSS ROADS: Mr. M. L. Jones (Deacon), Mr. W. L. Jones, Mrs. Martha Morgan.
DANA: Mrs. Violet Justice.
EAST FLAT ROCK: G. G. Kuykendall, Z. Z. Blythe, Mrs. Evelvn Bayne Ward, J. M. Deal, Freeman Chapman.
EBENEZER: Rev. Ed Vaughn, Mr. Grasson Stepp, Mrs. Carrie McMurray, Mr. Marron Fleming, Mrs. O. E. Blythe, Master Stevey Rhodes, Mrs. Lula Heaton.
ETOWAH: Mrs. Nannie S. Blythe.
FLETCHER: Mrs. R. W. Wilson.
FORK CREEK: James B. Dill.
FRENCH BROAD: Mr. J. R. Settle, Miss Leona Lane.
GREEN RIVER: Mr. Kenneth Levi.
HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST: Mrs. D. H. Young, Mrs. Cora Thornton, Mr. J. P. Clouse, Miss Mattie Sue French, Mrs. J. M. Bibee, Mr. W. Smiley Collins, Mrs. Daisy Cate Fowler, Mrs. Dora T. Sossamon, Mr. Bruce A. Cox, Mrs. C. R. Headrick, Mrs. J. T. Davenport.
HOOPERS CREEK: Mr. Alex Baker, Mr. Ben Middleton.
LOCUST GROVE: Mrs. Adger Green, Mr. Charles Corn.
MILLS RIVER: Mrs. Sallie A. Holden, Miss Reba L. Field.
MT. GILEAD: Mrs. Dosie Lanning.
MT. MORIAH: Mr. A. J. Neilsen, Sr.
MT. OLIVET: Mrs. Nonia Osteen, Mrs. Tom Ballard, Mr. Tom Ballard, Mrs. R. K. Osteen.
MOUNTAIN HOME: Mr. Monroe Melwood, Mrs. P. M. Cagle, Mr. Jason Justice.
MOUNTAIN PAGE: Mr. Donald Devis (Deacon), Mrs. Jane Gordon.
MUD CREEK: Miss Lillian Nelson, Mrs. Fred Floyd, Mr. Rufus Anders, Mr. Edwin Garren, Mrs. Mary Jane Painter, Mrs. Anna Wright.
NAPLES: Mrs. Martha Beddingfield.
PLEASANT GROVE: Mr. Walter Orr, Mrs. Walter Orr.
PACOLET: W. W. Ballard (Deacon), Otis Cochran, Krider Ross, Johnny Taylor.
REFUGE: Mrs. Mintie Marshall, Mrs. Mollie Huggins, Mrs. Ella Capps, Mr. Otis Hoots, Mr. T. P. Garrett, Mr. Harold Ballard, Mrs. Ida Jackson, Mrs. S. J. Collins.
SALUDA: Mr. Hugh Ward, Mrs. W. C. Robertson.
SHAWS CREEK: Miss Della Garren, Mrs. Mary Main.
TRYON, FIRST: Mrs. J. B. Hester.
TRYON, SECOND: Mrs. Mary Pettit.
TUXEDO: Mr. William Johnson.

VALLEY HILL: Mrs. M. B. Jackson.
ZION HILL: Mr. George Freeman, Sr. (Deacon).

45. The afternoon session was closed with prayer by Rev. Cecil Worsham.

EVENING SESSION

8:00 Hymn "I Will Sing The Wondrous Story" led by D. G. Wilkie. Scripture and Prayer by Allard Garren, John 15, Psalm 27.

46. The Training Union report was read by Mrs. J. M. Huggins, Director of the Training Union, and was approved:

TRAINING UNION REPORT

We are happy to report that the Training Union department of the Association is advancing. Two new unions have been organized and several units have been added to those already organized.

We had representatives in all departments at the regional convention at Waynesville. Emmerson Searcy from Balfour Church won first place in the Better Speakers tournament and represented us in the State Tournament at Fruitland.

The following were State winners in the Junior Memory Work Tournament at Fruitland: Linda Arledge, Sue Moffit and Martha Ann Lamb from the First Church, Hendersonville. Jan and Kay Huggins from Fruitland Church.

The highlight of the work for the year was **M** night held at First Church, Hendersonville in December. This was a very spiritual meeting. Rev. Mack Goss brought a very inspiring message to more than four hundred people.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Junius Huggins

ASSOCIATIONAL TRAINING UNION OFFICERS

Pastor Adviser ..... Mack M. Goss, Hendersonville
Director ..... Mrs. Junius Huggins, Hendersonville
Associate Director ..... James Brown, Hendersonville
Sec'y Treas. ..... Miss Cora Bell Gillespie
Chorister ..... Junius Huggins
Pianist ..... Mrs. Dewey Orr

Department Leaders

Adult ..... Marshall Waterson
Young People ..... Frank Nevelle
Intermediates ..... Mrs. Lavada Lyda
Juniors ..... Mrs. Fred Swift
Primary ..... Miss Inez McKillop
Beginner ..... Mrs. Virgil Jones, Balfour
Nursery ..... Mrs. James Brown

Group Directors

Albert Hill, Mrs. Russell Hazeltine, D. G. Wilkie, L. L. Moore, Eugene Jones, Miss Edna Corn.

47. Mrs. Huggins presented the Film "The Bible on the Table".

48. Special music by Clyde Jackson, "Longing for Jesus".

49. The following were recognized and given an opportunity for a word: Prof. and Mrs. Vernon Woods from Mars Hill College, who had served 22 years on the faculty.

50. The following report was read by Roy Huggins, which was adopted. Mr. Huggins has served as Associational Sunday School Superintendent for 15 years, but is giving it up as soon as someone can replace him:

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Sunday School is being recognized more and more as the chief agency of the church in Bible teaching, enlistment and evangelism. This year more than ever because of the convention-wide program of "A Million More in '54".

Mr. L. L. Morgan, State Sunday School Secretary reports a substantial gain in Sunday Schools, Vacation Bible Schools and Training awards over the state. We now have in North Carolina 3055 Sunday Schools with total enrollment of 600,000 plus. In Carolina Association we have 600 Sunday Schools with 8100 plus enrollment.

The following is a brief summary of the past year's work.
Training Awards: 448.

Realizing the opportunities are great in the capacity of Sunday School we present the following resolutions in the form of a challenge to Sunday Associational work next year:

1. That the Association encourage the churches to enter whole heartedly into the effort to win a million more in '54.
2. That the churches of our Association observe Preparation Week September 20-27 with the pastor teaching the book, "The Pull of the People", by J. N. Barnett.
3. That regular Associational Sunday School meetings be held to encourage and help teachers and officers from the churches in better Bible knowledge and soul winning among the multitudes.
4. That the Association accept a goal of 20% increase in Sunday School enrollment, 50 Vacation Bible Schools, 600 Training Awards, as our proportionate share of the program for a million more in '54.

1 Cor. 15:57 assures us that we are not left to do our work, to perform our tasks, nor to fulfill our mission in our own strength. We must press on because God is giving us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
Roy A. Huggins

51. Rev. C. W. Basemore, Associate Editor of the Biblical Recorder spoke on the subject "A Million More in '54". He used as his text 1 Cor. 3:9, "Laborers Together With God".

52. Motion was made that Roy Huggins continue as Sunday School Superintendent for the Association until the committee can name his successor. Mr. Huggins consents.

53. The 77th Session of the Carolina Association closed at 9:45 with prayer by Brother N. A. Melton, the incoming Moderator.

54. F. M. Huggins expressed appreciation on behalf of the Association to Brother M. L. Walker for 10 years fine service he had rendered as Moderator of the Association.

QUARTERLY MEETING OF
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
VALLEY HILL BAPTIST CHURCH, NOV. 30, 1952

The Carolina Baptist Association met in Quarterly session with Valley Hill Baptist Church, Sunday, Nov. 30, 1952. Brother D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "Onward Christian Soldiers". Rev. Allard Garren read from Matt. 18:1-11 and led in prayer. The report on Christian Education was given by Mr. Dean Ward of Tuxedo and adopted.

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

No sensible people and only a few of the not so sensible, will assert that the Christian way of life is not the better way, nor will they assert that, all other factors being equal, the educated person is not more competent than the uneducated one.

These two facts being agreed upon, does it not necessarily follow that combiinng Christianity and education gives promise of developing personalities that will be more useful to God and country than either Christianity alone or secular education alone is likely to achieve?

Assuming that children have been brought up in Christian homes, that they have been regularly taken to Sunday School and church and that they have participated in the various church activities during their childhood and early youth, even so it is our responsibility as parents to encourage those who intend to pursue their education beyond the high school level to do so at one of our fine Baptist colleges.

This duty of ours is particularly clear when someone over whom we may have some influence has decided to devote his life to Christian work. Youth should be discouraged from making too hasty a leap into the pulpit without first having learned to tread with dignity and decorum the paths of sober scholarship and serious learning that will afford him that breadth of vision and that depth of informed understanding possessed by great and good shepherds all over our land.

Our Baptist pastors are meeting needs which would not otherwise be met. They perform marriages, officiate at funerals and fill pulpits that would otherwise be empty. There are more and better Christians in this Association than there would be if we did not have these faithful, zealous servants of Christ among us. Yet it must be admitted that from some of our pulpits, occupied by well meaning but untrained and ill-informed pastors we hear much that is trivial, much that is merely sensational, some that is misleading and occasionally some that stirs up dissension and strife instead of promoting the Christian virtues of unity and harmony.

How important indeed, therefore, is Christian education for the ministry! Although there is need for more laymen who have been educated in Christian colleges, there is an even more acute need for an enlightened, cultured and educated ministry.

Suppose I were to ask you this question: "Which would you prefer for your child? Skilled and unerring guidance in reading, arithmetic, history and geography, or skilled and unerring guidance in matters pertaining to his or her **spiritual** welfare?" So accustomed are we to giving lip service to Christianity that I am certain the answer would be, "Why I would prefer that my child's spiritual welfare receive first consideration."

Sincere though such an answer might be, I fear it would be an answer based more on the prompting of a thoughtless emotionalism than upon a sober consideration of the facts. The facts are that nearly all the teachers in our public schools are college graduates, and some of them have master's degrees. **That is the way we want it.** We would be entirely unwilling for our children to attend a school whose teachers were not only unprepared to teach, but who a short time ago decided to abandon their work in the fields, in the factory, in an automobile repair shop, or behind a counter and take up school teaching instead. Yet we **are** willing to entrust the spiritual training of our children to ministers who have had no more training for their ministerial labors than the people just mentioned have for classroom labors.

Fortunately there is an ample number of Baptist educational institutions in North Carolina to give the academic and theological

training that is so badly needed by our prospective ministers if they will but avail themselves of these facilities. Wake Forest and Meredith, equipped and authorized to confer degrees, are our senior colleges, while Gardner-Webb, Mars Hill, Campbell, Chowan and Wingate are our junior colleges, each offering two years of college work. In round numbers, the total enrollment in these colleges is 5000 students of whom 400 are training for the Baptist ministry and 300 for other types of Christian work.

In addition to these conventional collegiate institutions, this state is fortunate in having a theological seminary in its midst: the Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary at Wake Forest, North Carolina. This seminary, located approximately in the center of the state, should be the goal of every would-be preacher in North Carolina who possesses the necessary fortitude and patience for completing the academic requirements for entering it.

Then, of course we have right here in our own county the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute which will be reported upon in detail today by the Rev. N. A. Melton who is himself a conspicuous example of the happy product of a dedicated Christian life and ministry on the one hand combined with and enhanced by a scholarly preparation for it on the other. This great man of God, who has left the imprint of his kindly personality on thousands of lives, both young and old, during his thirty-five long years as pastor of the Fruitland Baptist Church, is no accident of nature. He is what he is, and his service to his Master has been what it has been, largely because he took time before entering upon his Baptist Ministry to prepare himself for it in one of our Baptist colleges in North Carolina.

Christian education deserves our earnest support.

Respectfully submitted,
Dean A. Ward

After the reading of the report on Christian Education, Dr. Phil Elliott of Gardner-Webb College brought a message that stirred the hearts of all. It was truly a wonderful hour for the people of Carolina.

Rev. N. A. Melton stressed the importance Fruitland is playing in our church life and urged all our people to support the program there.

Special Music was by the Ladies Sextet of East Flat Rock. There were 22 ministers present and 29 churches represented.

Announcements concerning "M" night were made by Mrs. Huggins and Mrs. Sinclair announced the Week of Prayer and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

Rev. Mack Goss called for captains of Religious Census takers to meet after the adjournment of this session for special instruction for the county wide census in January.

Next meeting to be held with Etowah Baptist Church.

Meeting adjourned with prayer.

QUARTERLY MEETING

ETOWAH BAPTIST CHURCH

March 29, 1953

The Carolina Baptist Association met in Quarterly Session with Etowah Baptist Church, Sunday, March 29, 1953. D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "Tell Me The Old Old Story". Scripture by Rev. Virgil Jones. Prayer by Rev. W. C. Huntley.

32 Churches answered the roll call with 25 pastors present.

The W.M.U., Sunday Schools and Vacation Bible Schools were all discussed by the heads of these departments.

Special Music by Balfour quartet.

Rev. Allard Garren spoke on Winning People to our Sunday

Schools and Rev. N. A. Melton brought a wonderful message on "Winning The Lost to Christ". He said: 1. People are lost, 2. Let's win them to Christ and 3. Go where they are.

The Meeting was adjourned after singing "Blest Be The Tie".

Next Quarterly meeting to be held with Calvary Baptist Church.

QUARTERLY MEETING

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

May 30, 1953

The Carolina Baptist Association met in Quarterly session with the Calvary Baptist Church, May 30, 1953. D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms" and "Blessed Assurance".

Scripture and Prayer by Rev. W. F. Sinclair, Pastor of Calvary.

The clerk called the roll and 26 churches were represented and 19 pastors present. Announcements for the W.M.U. were made by Miss Hannah Brummit, for the Sunday School by Mr. Roy Huggins who also offered his resignation as Sunday School Superintendent effective at the close of this year. Treasurer's report was given by Mr. M. K. Sinclair who reported a balance of $359.23 on hand with all bills paid to date. An offering was taken for associational missions.

The Moderator appointed the following committee on committees: Rev. R. M. Huggins, Chrm., Rev. N. B. Phillips and Rev. Zeno Greene. This committee to report at annual session at Mud Creek in August.

Rev. N. B. Phillips made motion that the host church for all future associational meetings be asked to furnish only drinks and that the messengers bring sandwiches for the noon day meal. After some discussion concerning the large amount of work required by the ladies of the host church and also the increasing number who come each year to the annual meeting the motion was put by the Moderator and passed.

Solo by Miss Lillian Howell.

Our Orphanage was opened in the year 1885 and has operated and cared for orphans continuously since that date. Now, the thing to be kept in mind is to realize that our boys and girls of today will be our men and women of tomorrow and these children are our responsibility to support and develop into the kind of citizens they should be. This can only be accomplished by our continued loyalty and assistance throu our maintenance of our orphanages in the way we should support them. Many of our children from our orphanages have developed into oustanding Christian citizens in various walks of life, which in itself is a great tribute to the accomplishments of our orphanages.

During the past year we ministered to a total of 728 children in our total program. This includes the children at Mills Home and Kennedy Home, in boarding homes and cared for by Mothers Aid. A total of 50 children were baptized into fellowship of our churches last year, and since January sixteen more. Still others are now awaiting baptism. Also a total of 38 children have been admitted this year. Income for this year so far, is a few hundred dollars ahead of last.

Total amount contributed to orphanage by Carolina Baptist Association last year $9,324.34.

Respectfully submitted,
Arthur Freeman

The report was adopted.

Dr. W. C. Reed of Thomasville and Supt. of Mills Home brought an inspiring message on "Is Your Child Safe"?

A Trio, Margaret and Marie Hazeltine and Jean Campbell sang "The Lord Is My Shepherd" and the meeting adjourned to meet with Mud Creek Baptist Church in annual session on August 4, 1953.

M. L. WALKER, Moderator

ROY D. CAMPBELL, Clerk

HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Dougle Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith			
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshu Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshu Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text. Gen. 35:34
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. JoJhnson
1866	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Fruitland	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Beulah	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Hoopers Creek	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Connor	J. T. Freeman	Riverside	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Fruitland	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Mt. Gilead	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	E. H'ville	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Pleasant Hill	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	T. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthorne	Salem	K. W. Cawthorne
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mt. Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	E. Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Mount Moriah	Sarl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargent	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	E. Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Mrs. J. L. Redden	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Roy Bennett	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Chas. Vause	H'ville 1st	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Fletcher and E. Flat Rock	W. W. Worley Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek and Refuge	O. M. Seigler B. G. Henry
1945	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Horse Shoe and Balfour	J. N. Shuford L. A. Erwin
1946	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Oak Grove	Wayne Peek
1947	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Mud Creek	Fred Poplin
1948	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	H'ville 1st	Ralph Banning
1949	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Valley Hill	C. E. Scarborough
1950	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Dana	D. H. Daniels
1951	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Refuge	W. C. Huntley
1952	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	East Flat Rock	N. A. Melton
1953	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Mud Creek	Mack M. Goss

STATISTICAL TABLES

TABLE A. CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location Rural V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	GAINS LOSSES			Total Resident Members	Total Non-resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Special Information				
					Baptisms	Letters and Other Additions	Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.				Revival Meetings Held	Number Tithers	State Paper in Budget	Are Members Asked to Pledge to Church Budget	Pastor's Annual Salary
Balfour	V	1908	All	W. C. Huntly, Balfour	13	8	11	320	150	470	2	90	No	No	3120.00
Barker Heights	T	1944	All	Clarence Haynes, 414 Stepp St.	15	10	6			165	1		No	No	3120.00
Barnwell	R	1864	1-3	O. J. Smith, Rt. 1, City	5			19	6	25			No	No	96.41
Bat Cave	V	1892	1-2-3-4	S. P. Stapp, Chimney Rock	2	2		65	46	115	1		No	Yes	953.31
Bear Wallow	R	1868	All	John D. Dixon, City	4	5	12	59	16	75	1	23	No	No	1133.03
Berea	R	1921	All	Arnold Beck, City	17	9	4	148	22	170	1		No	No	624.00
Beulah	R	1820	1-2-3-4		3		7	175	50	225	1		No	No	702.80
Broad River	R		All	Wade Huntley, City	4			60	50	130	1	3	No	No	558.81
Calvary	C		All	W. F. Sinclair, 626 Justice	6	3					1		No	No	2595.00
Crab Creek	R	1834	2-4	Richard Pace, Flat Rock, N. C.	5	2	16	104	80	184	1		No	No	444.67
Cross Roads	R		2-3-4	J. E. Osteen, Kanuga Rd.		1	3			118			No	No	343.61
Dana	R	1936	All	M. L. Lewis, Dana	4	1	15	76	27	103	2	17	No	No	2400.00
East Flat Rock	T	1911	2-4	N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock	12	20	14	298	68	366			No	No	2475.00
Ebenezer	R		All	L. K. Holbert, Ezenezer	42	12	15	537		537	3		No	No	5696.00
Etowah	R	1926	2-4-5	W. F. Sinclair, Justice St.	11	11	10	180	48	228	2		No	No	1200.00
Fletcher	V	1938	All	Vilas Minton, Fletcher, N. C.	7	19	16	246	62	308	2	10	No	No	3380.00
Fork Creek	R	1891	1-3	Floyd Bridgeman, Travelers Rest		1	1	38	31	69	1	8	No	No	364.09
Fruitland	R	1875	All	N. A. Melton, Fruitland	7	7		197		197	1		No	No	1573.00
French Broad	R	1792	All	B. G. Henry, Fruitland		3	3			58	1	7	Yes	Yes	1200.00
Green River	R		All	James L. Mullinax, Green River		1	11	90	35	125	1		No	No	

H'ville, First	C	1844	All	Mack M. Goss, City	33	72	85	1321	472	1793	2	388	No	Yes	5800.00
H'ville, West	C		All	Roy Campbell, City		7	23	231		231	1	12	No	No	2450.00
Horse Shoe	R	1888	1-2-3-4	Cecil Worsham	3	6	6			190		12	No	No	1575.00
Hoopers Creek	R		All	J. E. Whitaker, Biltmore, N. C.		2	2	249		249			No	No	1686.38
Jones Gap	R	1892	All	Albert Laughter, Valley Hill			8	62	14	76			No	No	395.65
Locust Grove	R	1898	All	Clyde Fetner, City	3	3	2			128	1		No	No	407.52
Mills River	R	1835	1-2-3-4		1		7	75	50	125	1	13	No	No	1027.84
Middle Fork	R		1-3	Chattams	1			37		37			No	No	215.00
Mt. Gilead	R	1883	All		13	6	8			247	2		No	No	1985.12
Mt. Moriah	R	1896	1-2-3-4	Ralph Banning, Horse Shoe	19	7	7	190	59	249	1	9	No	No	1600.00
Mt. Olivet	R		1-2-3-4	Howard Cabe, Balfour	15		4	150	50	200	2		No	No	
Mt. Home	R	1892	All	J. W. Jackson, Horse Shoe	7	1	6			295	1		No	No	1372.68
Mt. Page	R	1789	All	General Beddingfield, Tuxedo	17	7	5			271	2		No	No	1683.60
Mt. Valley	R	1933	2-4	C. B. Hollingsworth		3	8			78		7	No	No	400.00
Mt. View	R	1949	1-2-3-4	Cecil Worsham, City	9	2	5	62		62	1		No	No	900.00
Mud Creek	R		All	W. S. Billingsley, Mud Creek	34	35	23	315	203	518	1	110	No	No	3640.00
Naples	R	1942	All	Zeno Greene, Horse Shoe	10	9	6	75	45	120	1		No	No	1200.00
Oak Forest	R		All	J. C. Carter, Fletcher		2	2	57	4	61	2	6	No	No	1494.58
Oak Grove	R	1850	All	Arnold Beck, Flat Rock		8	7			200	1	6	No	No	320.00
Pleasant Grove	R		1-3	C. B. Hollingsworth, Rt. 4			10	45	108	153		7	No	No	450.21
Pacolet	V	1916	1-2-3-4	Finley Orr, City	4	1	12	62	130	192	2	10	No	No	1560.00
Pleasant Hill	R	1880	All	John J. Huntley, Fletcher	5	9		100	50	150	2	15	No	No	1815.00
Refuge	R	1837	All	George A. Roberts, Dana	21	10	19	339	95	434	1	100	No	No	2304.00
Saluda	T	1882	All	F. M. Huggins, Saluda	6	2	7	128	35	163	1	34	No	No	2050.00
Shaw's Creek	R	1881	All	T. G. Proctor, Rt. 4	27	23	4	173	101	274	1	50	No	No	4150.00
Tryon, First	T	1892	All	Henry O. Hearn, Tryon	10	7	10	283	38	321	2	64	Yes	Yes	3600.00
Tryon, Second	V	1924	All	Virgil O. Jones, Balfour		10	3	58	50	108	2		No	No	1820.00
Tuxedo	V	1910	All	Harold McKinnish, Tuxedo	21	8	9	300	102	402	3	35	No	No	3470.00
Valley Hill	V	1908	All	Allard Garren, Stepp Ave.	36	24	7	325	138	463	2	30	No	No	3900.00
Zion Hill	V		1-2-3-4	John Middleton, Fletcher		10	42	75	59	134	2		No	No	1200.00
Zirconia Missionary	V	1953	All	J. H. Stanberry, Zirconia	4	15		35		35		25	No	Yes	
Totals					456	404	481	7359	2494	11627	60	1097			86457.22

TABLE B. THE SUNDAY SCHOOL
SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL SUPERINTENDENT Roy Huggins 101 S. Main St. SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Department	Officers Not Counted Classes and Departments	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance V. B. S.	January Bible Study	Number Training Schools
Balfour	E. D. Dunlap, Balfour	36	38	19	39	51	49	14	136	5	4	391	294	205	182	No	1
Barker Heights	Robert L. Glover, Old Sp. Hwy.		15		30	30	25	35	45		2	182	91	84	77	No	
Barnwell	Mrs. O. J. Smith, Hall St.	3	1	4	2	8	5	1	9	5		38	16	34	29	No	
Bat Cave	L. E. Meyer, Gerton, N. C.			6	3	5	5	14	23		7	63					1
Bear Wallow	K. G. Owensby, Gerton, N. C.			4	5	4		9	24			46	31			Yes	1
Berea	Horace Beddingfield, Rt. 3				9	14	32		40			95	75				
Beulah	Coy McCarson, Rt. 3			8	6	6	15	8	75			118	80				
Broad River	Roy Cannon, Black Mtn.			10		1	14	2	35			62	50			No	
Calvary	M. M. Hoots, 314 Stepp St.		6	15	30	22	16	28	31			148	103	75	60	No	1
Cedar Springs																	
Crab Creek	R. A. Hunt, Rt. 3			10	8	6	12		20			56	44			No	
Cross Roads	Niel Jones, Zirconia, N. C.			11		13		17	17		9	67	58				
Dana	J. C. Brown, Rt. 1			12	9	9	7	6	41		2	86	47	44	34	No	1
Double Springs	Troy Thomas, Zirconia											34					
East Flat Rock	Rafe Lockaby, City	5	15	68	43	53	38	38	136	40		434	247	148	104	Yes	1
Ebenezer	Elden Levi, Jr., Rt. 2		14	32	30	25	35	80	130			346	265	115	95	No	
Etowah	Garland Jones, Rt. 1. Horse Shoe	3		34	24	21	36	14	104	9	2	247	130	123	106	No	1
Fletcher	Howard Garren, Fletcher, N. C.			48	46	62	58	56	68		4	342	163				
Fork Creek				8	8	12	15	15	14		8	80	63	66	58		
French Broad	R. M. Pinson, Rt. 5			15			6		20			41	21				
Friendship																	

Fruitland	Howard Pryor, Rt. 2	8	8	17	15	14	9	15	83			161	115	84	70	Yes	
Green River	Alvin Staton, Zirconia, N. C.		3	14	16	14	7	23	74		1	152	81	69	60		
H'ville, First	C. F. Jervis, 317 Ehringhaus, City	55	113	89	131	141	100	144	536	165	8	1482	706	336	269	Yes	2
H'ville, West	John C. Rollins, 715 Jones St.			20	22	25		23	62		2	154	102	65	60	No	
Holly Springs																	
Hoopers Creek	Frank Huntley, Fletcher			36		44	42	49	69			240	180	126	106		
Horse Shoe	Lewis Davenport, Rt. 1, Horse Shoe		3	15	4	20	9	15	14		1	85	75	68	62		
Jones Gap	T. D. McCarson, Rt. 4				11	4	2	8	20			45	15				
Laurel Springs																	
Liberty																	
Locust Grove	Carl Clingenpeel, Rt. 2			35			34	20	35			125	100			No	
Macedonia																	
Middle Fork	Edward Huntley, Bat Cave				9		4	7	17			37	20				
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe											80	40	59	55		
Mt. Gilead	J. P. McCrary, Horse Shoe			15	9	12	24	22	47				70	70	70	No	
Mt. Moriah	Clanny Laughter, Rt. 1	9	9	10	15	37	23	31	97		2	222	99	94	76	No	1
Mt. Olivet	C. C. Herman, Tuxedo																
Mt Zion																	
Mtn. Home	Charles Huntley, Edneyville			27	19	35	16	24	24		6	151	93				
Mtn. Page	O. B. Metcalf, Saluda			24	35	17	21	57	16			164	123				
Mtn. Valley	Harlie Capps, Zirconia, N. C.			10		13	18	14	12			68	40				
Mtn. View	Lonnie Henderson, Dana, N. C.			27		14	11		26			78	68	59	52		
Mud Creek	Aurthur Freeman, 823 Temon	13	24	22	38	47	54	81	95	22	12	408	196	147	132	Yes	
Naples	Elmo Orr, Mtn. Home			20	19	32	24	15	74			174	86	82	78		
Oak Forest	Odel Lewis, Fletcher										6	147		60	40	No	1
Oak Grove	Vincent Cable, Flat Rock, N. C.			10		20	12	20	40		1	98				Yes	
Pacolet	Buddy Covil, Lynn, N. C.		10	22	22	20	12	12	36			134	90			Yes	
Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah, N. C.			10		4	10	16	15			55	40				
Pleasant Hill	Miss Mary Freeman, Rt. 3			20	12		18	20	47		8	125	75				
Refuge	Grady Walker, Rt. 2		9	26	34	63	34	30	122		3	322	192	181	140		
Saluda	Nolan D. Pace, Saluda			18	17	15	10	51	15			136	86	80	64		
Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, Rt. 4	8	18	14	18	42	12	28	62	2	19	223	142	72	71	Yes	2
Tryon, First	R. B. Scruggs, Tryon, N. C.	12	30	24	30	26	21	23	113	10	4	293	167	139	117	Yes	2
Tryon, Second	Donald Hipp, Tryon, N. C.			7	8	28	18	22	24		8		75	46	44		
Tuxedo	Bobby Lewis, Tuxedo			22	16	31	30	55	85	5	5	249	118	98	68		
Zion Hill	Charlie Gordon, Zirconia, N. C.	7		12		12		21	30		9	91	82				
Valley Hill	M. J. Banning, Rt. 3	9	7	14	33	34	53	33	132	30	6	351	160	143	116	Yes	
Zirconia	J. W. Bradley, Tuxedo			12		12		15	19		3	61	48				
	Totals	168	323	896	825	1118	1006	1225	3009	293	142	8990	5262	2971	2495		15

TABLE C. TRAINING UNION

CHURCHES	TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR Mrs. Junius Huggins Chimney Rock Rd,	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
Balfour	Edna Corn, Balfour, N. C.			8	9	10	10	14	5	56	50
Barker Heights	L. B. Coates, City				19	10	10	22		61	30
Barnwell											
Bat Cave	Mrs. L. E. Meyer, Gerton, N. C.				9			14		23	
Bear Wallow	Mrs. R. G. Bradley, Gerton, N. C.						6	6		12	11
Berea											
Beulah											
Broad River											
Calvary	James D. Tweed, City		7	4	8	10	12	10	2	63	35
Cedar Springs											
Crab Creek											
Cross Roads											
Dana	Andrew Edgell, City		5			4	10	16	3	38	25
Double Springs											
East Flat Rock	John A. Sinclair, City				20	13		33	1	67	50
Ebenezer											
Etowah	Mrs. Edward Nicholson, Etowah		15	11	11	16	8	23	1	85	57
Fletcher	Mrs. Elmer Lawflin, Arden, N. C.		4	6	10	15		22	12	69	48
Fork Creek											
French Broad											
Friendship											

Fruitland	W. M. Maxwell, City	10	10		19		4	26	5	50		
Green River	Alvin Staton, Zirconia			10	11	12		12		45	30	
H'ville, First	Mrs. Donald Adcox, City	15	17	32	73	63	39	84	5	328	185	
H'ville, West	Mrs. Ray Lowe, City				12	18		14	3	47	35	
Holly Springs												
Hoopers Creek												
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Albert Capps, Horse Shoe			5	15	12	6	7	2	45	40	
Jones Gap												
Laurel Springs												
Liberty												
Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpell, City		25		11	15		30		81	80	
Macedonia												
Middle Fork												
Mills River	Corabelle Gillespie, Horse Shoe											
Mt. Gilead	Mrs. L. L. Moore, Horse Shoe		5			12	26	27		70		
Mt. Moriah	Foy Hill, Edneyville			5	16	12	9	10	5	57	35	
Mt. Olivet												
Mt. Zion												
Mtn. Home	Lloyd Laughter, Edneyville								3	50		
Mtn. Page												
Mtn. View	Bill Clayton		10		11	11		19		51	45	
Mud Creek	Edward Thomas, City		5	12	25	18	13	35	2	110	76	
Naples	W. M. Sitton, Horse Shoe		3		3		15		2	21		
Oak Forest	Mrs. Rob Wilkie, Fletcher		15	15	25	22		50		147	78	
Oak Grove												
Pacolet												
Pleasant Grove												
Pleasant Hill												
Refuge	Alvin Mashburn, City			4	17	19	16	26	4	86	58	
Saluda	Clyde Whitlock, City				8	10		25	1	45		
Shaws Creek	Finley Pace, City	5	8		22	6	19	32	18	110	71	
Tryon, First	Clyde Thorpe, Tryon, N. C.		5	6	14	10	6	22	3	66	42	
Tryon, Second	William Whitmire, Tryon, N. C.				8	13		15	5	36	30	
Tuxedo	Mrs. H. J. Lindsey, Tuxedo		8		16		10	12	5	61	40	
Upward												
Valley Hill	Mrs. Mack Justus, City		10		20	24	17	14	4	89	64	
Warrior Mtn.												
Totals		30	147	118	412	355	236	591	91	2069	1215	

TABLE D. WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF W. M. S. AND ADDRESSES ASSOCIATIONAL PRESIDENT Mrs. M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock	W. M. S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	R. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	R. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Enrolled in Mission Study	Total Tithers All Organizations
Balfour	Mrs. George Seigler, Balfour	1	1		1		3	23	20		10		53	43	20
Calvary	Mrs. Jess Brooks, Rugby Rd.	1			1		2	25			22		47		
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Rt. 1, Flat Rock	1					1	10					10	7	5
East Flat Rock	Mrs. D. G. Wilkie, Old Spartanburg Rd.	1	1	2	1	1	6	16	14	10	14	24	78	70	51
Etowah	Mrs. C. W. Sumner, Etowah	1		1		1	3	32		11		19	62		6
Fruitland	Mrs. John Rymer, Rt. 2	1			1		2	17			12		29	22	18
H'ville, First	Mrs. M. L. Walker, Asheville Hwy.	1	1	2	2	1	7	234	15	44	23	18	334	364	191
H'ville, West	Mrs. J. V. Queen, Rt. 3	1					1	12					12		12
Locust Grove	Mrs. Pauline Clingenpeel, Rt. 2	1		1			2	6		13			19		
Mt. Moriah	Mrs. Theo Smith, Rt. 1	1	1	1	1	1	5	22	7	10	6	7	52	100	13
Mud Creek	Mrs. Donis Justus, Rutledge Dr.	1		1	1	1	4	20		14	17	26	77	92	44
Naples	Mrs. R. B. Smith, Naples	1					1	23					23	24	
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lathe Williams, Rt. 4	1					1	10					10		2
Refuge	Miss Grace Ledbetter, Rt. 1	1	1	3	2	1	9	26	14	40	33	25	138	20	68
Saluda	Mrs. D. W. Pace, Saluda	1		1			2	14		8			22	36	10
Shaws Creek	Mrs. S. H. Orr, White Pine Dr.	1	1	1	1	1	5	18	14	22	16	17	87	30	24
Tryon, First	Mrs. Fred Powell, Tryon	1	1				2	55	9				64	35	19
Tuxedo	Mrs. H. J. Lindsey, Tuxedo	1	1	1	1	1	5	19	17	14	15	6	71	50	10
Valley Hill	Mrs. Fred Reep, Rt. 3	1		1	1		3	43		6	10		59	45	30
Totals		19	8	15	13	8	61	625	110	192	178	142	1247	938	523

STATISTICAL TABLES

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TABLE E. BROTHERHOOD WORK—BUILDING—GOALS—CHURCH LIBRARY—CHURCH MUSIC—VISUAL EDUCATION

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD PRESIDENT Keith Arledge 1307 Hyman Ave.	Brotherhood			Building		Goals			Church Music Choir Director			Visual Education	
		Enrolment of Brotherhood	Meetings Held During Year	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Goal Cooperative Program Coming Year	Goal Association Missions Coming Year	Does Your Church Have a Library?	Full-time	Part-time	Salary	Volunteer	Number Church Choirs	Film-Strip Projector	Motion Picture Projector
Balfour				10000.	25000.		1000.00	200.00	No		X		X	1		
Barker Heights					12000.								X			
Barnwell					1000.								X			
Bat Cave					12400.											
Bear Wallow					8000.	3.35	75.00						X			
Berea										X			X			
Beulah					3000.											
Broad River													X			
Calvary				7000.	42000.								X	1		Yes
Crab Creek	E. L. Marshall, Rt. 1				8000.								X	1		
Cross Roads					4000.								X	1		
Dana		10	12	10000.	35000.											
East Flat Rock					125000.				Yes					2		
Ebenezer					40000.								X	1		
Etowah					1500.				Yes							
Fork Creek	H. L. H. Drake, Rt. 1				2000.											
French Broad	Jonathan Jackson, P. O. Box 157				20000.								X			
Fruitland		12	12			959.50			Yes	X				1		
H'ville, First		93	12	15000.	550000.				Yes	X		3000.00		9	Yes	Yes
H'ville, West					13000.											

Hoopers Creek					17000.									1		
Jones Gap					6000.											
Locust Grove					3000.					X						
Middle Fork					3000.								X			
Mills River							100.00	50.00					X	1		
Mt. Gilead				6000.	26000.	2800.00										
Mt. Moriah					20000.		60.00	80.00					X			
Mtn. Home	Paul Hammett, Rt. 2				7300.											
Mtn. Page					10000.											
Mtn. Valley	Coy Greer, 603 8th Ave. W.				7000.								X			
Mud Creek				35000.	80000.	12892.31			Yes				X			
Oak Forest					15000.	1200.00							X			
Pacolet	Eugene Jones, P. O. Box 1257, Tryon				5000.								X			
Pleasant Grove					3000.								X			
Pleasant Hill				7500.	10000.									1		
Refuge		20	12		50000.	7200.00	260.00	156.00					X			
Saluda				5000.	11000.								X	1		
Shaws Creek	F. C. Reep, Rt. 3	25	12		25000.		800.00	120.00	Yes	X				2		
Tryon, First		30	11	10000.	100000.			240.00	Yes	X		420.00		1		
Tryon, Second					30000.		215.10						X			
Tuxedo				15000.	40000.		1062.00	169.00	Yes							
Valley Hill		30	9	10000.	25000.			200.00					X	2		
Zion Hill					18000.	1745.05							X			
Zirconia					4000.		50.00	50.00								
Totals		220	80	130500.	1417200.	26800.21	3622.10	888.80				3420.00		26		

Table F—CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

TREASURERS AND ADDRESSES ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock		All Receipts Through All Organizations for Year	Total Salaries (Do Not Include Pastor's Salary Here)	Maintenance, Insurance	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary (Money Paid)	Grand Total Local Expense
Balfour	Dan R. Lyda, Clear Creek Rd.	18074.10	444.00	670.61	1429.36	915.17	831.70	327.18		534.42	5152.44	3120.00	8272.44
Barker Heights	Mrs. George Redmond, 114 Blue Ridge St.	5518.41	240.00	128.55	75.47	267.93	50.00			430.96	1192.91	3212.77	4405.68
Barnwell	Clarence Barnwell, Rt. 1	337.90	26.00	30.00	25.00	40.00	58.00				179.00	96.41	275.41
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave		147.50		400.00	83.51	243.44	111.25		430.62	1416.32	958.31	2374.63
Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrell, Gerton	3206.04		1132.98		68.54	130.49	142.00		94.09	1568.00	1133.03	2701.03
Berea	Girley Patterson, Rt. 3	902.23		18.14	82.91	34.63				29.44	165.12		
Beulah	Fred Wilkie, Rt. 3	1616.49	913.69	256.35		87.65		65.15		30.00	1352.84	702.80	2055.64
Broad River				200.00		43.00		225.00		20.00			
Calvary	James Tweed, Ridgelawn Ave.		463.30	1300.00		110.00	101.00	324.46	360.00	512.22		2595.00	
Crab Creek	Lawrence Barnwell, Cherokee St.	1801.32	300.00	99.72	549.06	113.91	110.90	44.69			1218.28	444.67	1662.95
Cross Roads	Newman Morgan, Zirconia					40.00				122.58		343.61	
Dana	H. J. Pace, Rt. 1		240.00	402.18	471.97	118.05	237.05	255.20		211.81	1936.71	2548.78	4485.49
East Flat Rock	Hugh Morrison	3622.88	600.00	51.25	1767.91	783.13	299.33	150.00		2428.55	6080.17	2475.00	8555.17
Ebenezer	Mrs. Marvin Holbert, Rt. 5	3456.00	360.00	200.00	3000.00	550.00	666.46	[illegible]		232.00	5593.46	5696.00	11279.46
Etowah	R. N. Sentell, Etowah	5231.55	240.00	178.64		387.52	114.74	191.28		194.76	1306.94	1200.00	2506.94
Fletcher	Mrs. T. H. Riddle, Fletcher	6511.37	542.00	151.16		292.53	130.63	244.27		1550.75	2911.34	3380.00	6291.34
Fork Creek	Mrs. B. W. McCrary, Saluda	2526.44			1010.00	41.12	131.96				1183.28	364.00	1547.28
French Broad	Mrs. J. D. Hooper, Horse Shoe	4608.90		93.99	2461.45	55.19	41.00			217.38	2869.30	1200.00	4069.30
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Rt. 2			33.50	159.50	316.32	35.00	165.00	1555.00	323.00	2587.32	1573.00	4160.32
H'ville, First	Allen A. Freeman, P. O. 334	92240.27	11329.62	4375.24	172.00	3503.96		1311.24	23392.12	8044.89	50369.07	5860.00	57829.07
H'ville, West	Mrs. John Rollins, Jones St.	3306.44		26.06	821.28	216.32	90.04	204.84		561.53	1920.07	2450.00	4370.07

Hoopers Creek	Arnold Holt, Fletcher	5369.61	300.00	491.92		276.50	757.49			1646.10	3472.01	1686.38	5158.39
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Lewis Davenport	2101.60		144.53		122.11	101.34			367.98	1575.00	1942.98	
Jones Gap	Mrs. W. S. McCarson, Rt. 4	858.37				43.80				281.94	359.25	395.65	
Locust Grove	Coy McMinn, Rt. 1			55.00	694.70	166.03		45.00		553.62	1610.79	407.52	2018.36
Middle Fork	Mrs. S. L. Hill, Sr., Gerton		143.31	171.00		20.00		143.31			143.31	215.00	358.31
Mills River	Clifford Sitton, Horse Shoe				1339.11	149.44		120.51		68.00	1677.06	1077.84	2754.90
Mt. Gilead	Mrs. O. O. Marlow, Arden	4672.00	185.00	554.74		96.36		171.91	533.69	143.95	1685.65	1935.12	3670.77
Mt. Moriah	Alvin Dalton	4464.00	139.04	325.00	457.65	279.45	68.00	135.75		349.64	1754.53	1876.72	3631.25
Mt. Olivet	Carl Osteen, Zirconia				800.00			200.00					
Mtn. Home	M. A. Martin, Edneyville			136.40		116.42	52.56	69.63		492.57	867.68	1372.68	2240.36
Mtn. Page	R. W. Bell, Rt. 1, Saluda		105.00	322.77		224.31	568.14	473.16		233.70	1927.08	1683.60	3610.68
Mtn. Valley	Grant Maybin, Zirconia		104.00	79.60	1016.60	82.00					1277.20	400.00	1677.20
Mtn. View	Mrs. Ben Jones	3345.53			758.06	191.90		100.00		120.47	1071.43	906.00	1971.43
Mud Creek	Mrs. Lula Kent, Rt. 3	22437.90		2607.49		613.36	172.84	155.00	22746.40	1836.46	28131.50	3640.00	31771.50
Naples	Mrs. R. B. Smith, Naples	299.50	90.00		47.89	231.34	206.40	176.65		296.56	1048.84	975.00	2023.84
Oak Forest	G O. Vaughn, Fletcher		467.15		1210.21	55.00	100.00	491.15		193.42		1494.58	4011.51
Oak Grove	Francis Mintz, Flat Rock							50.00				320.00	370.00
Pacolet	Elmer Morgan, Lynn, N. C.	3090.67	1027.49	67.48		122.09		175.00			1392.06	1560.00	2952.06
Pleasant Grove	Richard Hamilton, Rt. 4			778.00		41.80	55.27				875.07	450.21	1325.28
Pleasant Hill	H C. Ivester, Rt. 3		120.00		473.27	156.72	75.00			198.72	2132.77	1815.00	3946.82
Refuge	W. W. Ballard, Dana	8911.65	480.00	395.16	875.00	422.09	1032.54	115.00	1282.50	415.58	5062.87	2304.00	7366.87
Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda	10412.80		522.18	145.40	301.30	415.25	270.00		497.28	2151.41	2050.00	4201.41
Shaws Creek	J. L. Nanney	12502.19	335.00	1795.23	2073.00	438.17	231.60	73.94			5146.94	4150.00	9296.94
Tryon, First	Miss Iris Jackson, Tryon		1749.50	949.85	900.71	874.63		343.00		461.31	4979.00	3600.00	8879.00
Tryon, Second	Walter Fortune, Tryon		300.00	80.00		80.00		109.00	1965.00	132.60	2666.60	1820.00	4486.60
Tuxedo	H. J. Lindsey, Tuxedo	9475.12	648.00	79.68	2928.50	313.04	150.00	317.79		397.08	4734.09	3470.00	8204.09
Valley Hill	Mrs. Clinton Smith	10272.62	520.00	519.72	1107.00	1545.23	52.00	210.31			3954.26	3900.00	7854.26
Zion Hill	A. E. Taylor, Zirconia			32.00	4500.00	63.88		250.13	2965.95		3311.96	1200.00	4511.96
Zirconia	Mrs. Nora Anders, Zirconia	1177.10		23.58		30.50			1123.02				
Totals		262851.00	22559.60	19479.70	31753.01	15125.94	7315.17	14228.80	55923.68	24655.98	172000.93	85941.66	255136.01

TABLE G. GIFTS FOR ALL MISSIONS, EDUCATION, ORPHANAGES, ETC.

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Relief and Annuity, Relief, etc.	Total Expenditure for Missions	Grand Total Expenditure for All Purposes
Balfour	Emerson Searcy, Balfour		156.00	53.00	106.50	94.47		350.00	100.00		859.97	9132.41
Barker Heights	Elbert Jones, Box 608, City							224.00	75.00		299.00	4704.68
Barnwell	Mrs. Jane Barnwell, City	5.00	7.00			5.00	12.00	20.00	10.00		59.00	334.41
Bat Cave		203.75		20.00			57.50	299.25	50.00		630.50	3005.13
Bear Wallow	Mrs. R. G. Bradley Gerton, N. C.	119.74	56.65		27.00		69.09	177.26	90.00		482.15	3183.18
Berea	Robert Fisher, Rt. 3, City				17.48			198.54	26.88		242.90	408.02
Beulah	Fred B. Wilkie, Rt. 3, City	139.41					13.00	184.22	39.57		376.20	2431.84
Broad River	Mrs. Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mtn.							20.00	20.00		40.00	
Calvary	Ethel MacMurray, 505 Williams St.							184.13	43.00			
Crab Creek	Mrs. Reba Barnwell, 1211 Cherokee St.							115.63	83.74	199.37	1862.32	
Cross Roads									82.00			
Dana	R. J. Pace, Rt. 2, City	438.59	71.11	28.95	42.75	50.55		192.86	24.00	96.00	944.81	5430.30
East Flat Rock	Broadus Phillips, East Flat Rock, N. C.	224.34	215.00	46.00	274.97	1042.91	435.00	1120.44	403.50		4262.16	
Double Springs	Mrs. Elbert Peace, Zirconia, N. C.											
Ebenezer	James E. Stepp, Rt. 1, City				645.00	115.36	50.00	300.00	160.00		1270.36	12549.82
Etowah	Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Rt. 1, City		72.00	92.64	86.66	208.10		438.00	189.00	504.47	1590.87	4097.81
Fletcher	Mrs. W. A. Dunlap, Rt. 5, City		15.00					126.75	78.28		220.03	6511.37
Fork Creek		17.87			131.96	15.95			11.26			
French Broad	Mrs. S. T. Davenport, Horse Shoe, N. C.	120.00	10.00		9.00			40.00	28.00	48.00	315.00	4384.30
Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, Rt. 2, City	229.71	75.00	97.70	190.00	281.50	36.00	1023.10	342.95	115.00	2400.96	6561.28
Green River												
H'ville, First	F. D. Hills, Box 536, City	15198.03	600.00		1725.00		1322.63	1366.17	1283.50	894.94	22396.22	80053.29

H'ville, West	W. A. Pressley					293.00		85.00	50.00		428.00		
Hoopers Creek	Glazener Bagwell, Fletcher, N. C.							240.61	240.61		481.22		
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Oscar Pettit, Rt. 5, City	10.00							10.00		20.00	1962.98	
Jones Gap	Mrs. Virgil T. Jones, Rt. 4, City				10.00			17.28				782.18	
Locust Grove	Wayne W. Brenard, Rt. 2, City										299.95	2318.56	
Middle Fork	W. D. Winters, Rt. 2, City								25.00			358.31	
Mills River	G. C. Field, Horse Shoe, N. C.	137.19	53.26	12.07	5.00	10.00	13.66	285.57	30.28	25.59	572.62	3327.52	
Mt. Gilead	B. J. Hill, Arden, N. C.		59.50					46.15	26.50		132.15	3302.92	
Mt. Moriah		60.00	80.00	23.96	60.38	161.86	25.00	260.15	60.00	68.00	799.35	4430.60	
Mt. Olivet	H. M. Tankersley, Zirconia, N. C.							20.00	4.00		24.00	2264.36	
Mtn. Home	Roland Jones, Edneyville, N. C.							67.89	25.17		113.06	3723.74	
Mtn. Page	R. W. Bell, Saluda, N. C.							278.93				1956.13	
Mtn. Valley	J. E. Corn, Zirconia, N. C.	8.50						9.93		10.75	27.21		
Mtn. View	Mrs. Elsie Orr, Glen Del, City	563.96	300.00	106.10	148.26	176.89	110.00	708.29	335.00	145.60	2594.03	34365.53	
Mud Creek	Ralph E. Osteen, Rutledge Dr.	280.20	60.00		20.26	28.10		201.00	50.00	21.00	660.66	2384.40	
Naples	Mrs. B. J. Corn, Mt. Home, N. C.												
Oak Forest								40.00	25.00		68.00	435.00	
Oak Grove	G. G. Case, Flat Rock, N. C.		25.00					88.35	85.00	174.63	272.98	3225.04	
Pacolet	Rosa Henson, Lynn, N. C.							113.00	26.25		139.25	1464.53	
Pleasant Grove	James H. Dalton, Etowah, N. C.							75.00					
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Ross Sosbee, Rt. 3, City												
Refuge	Mrs. M. M. Marshall, Rt. 1, City	224.00	133.00	32.40	99.41	169.95	57.84	197.05	76.53	206.40	1193.58	8560.45	
Saluda	Mrs. E. B. Hall, Saluda, N. C.	413.00	120.00	101.37	115.33	172.34	14.00	656.33	91.57	169.50	1743.74	5945.15	
Shaw's Creek	Troy A. Drake, Rt. 4, City	520.12	148.12	165.26	47.90	135.00	50.00	155.00	149.83	5.00	1376.64	10673.58	
Tryon, First	Mrs. J. W. Taylor, Tryon, N. C.	1556.05	240.00	10.45	16.91	27.15		69.16	97.11		2016.83	10895.83	
Tryon, Second	William Whitmire, Tryon, N. C.	215.10						20.00	94.00		329.10	4815.70	
Tuxedo	W. J. Lewis, Tuxedo, N. C.	1062.00			50.00	100.00	100.00	150.60	142.00	150.00	1700.50	9475.12	
Valley Hill	Avis Mintz, 106 Gibbs St., City	75.00	150.00	41.00	43.00	50.00	18.00	326.00	200.00		903.00	8757.26	
Zion Hill	George Freeman, Jr., Zirconia, N. C.							56.53	231.00		287.53	4799.49	
Zirconia Missionary	Mrs. J. H. Stanberry, Zirconia, N. C.												
Totals		21882.48	2646.65	830.90	3872.74	3138.04	2383.77	10553.07	5220.58	2834.25	54430.85	262517.22	

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DIRECTORY

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ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS

Pastors' Conference — The Ministers' Conference of the Carolina Association meets each Monday in the Chapel of the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville. The meeting begins at 10 a. m. All pastors are urged to attend.

Quarterly Meetings — Each fifth Sunday the Association meets at some designated church at 2:30 p. m.

Brotherhood Meetings will be announced by the Brotherhood Presidents. Sunday School Meetings will be announced by the Superintendent. Training Union Meetings will be announced by the Director. Woman's Missionary Union Meetings will be announced by the Superintendent.

DENOMINATIONAL INSTITUTIONS LOCATED WITHIN OUR ASSOCIATION

Fruitland Baptist Assembly

The Fruitland Baptist Assembly is located six miles from Hendersonville and is in session from June 1 through August 31. Rev. B. G. Henry is director.

Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute

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MOUNTAIN VIEW—Mrs. W. E. Heaton, Mrs. Ben Jones, Mrs. Louise Henderson.

MUD CREEK—Garnett Buckner, Mrs. Kathleen Thomas, Mrs. Flora Gray, Mrs. A. E. Croom, Mrs. Etta Johnson, Mrs. Garnett Buckner, Mrs. Glenn Kent, Mrs. Edward Thomas, Glenn Kent, Mrs. W. S. Billingsley, Mrs. Dewey Orr.

OAK FOREST—Cecil Rice, Hattie Rice, Lucille McIntuff, Rev. J. C. Cartee, Ellard Garren; Alternates: Rob Wilkie, Odell Lewis, Lloyd Livingston, C. B. Reed.

PACOLET—Mrs. Lewis Blackwell, Mrs. Bonnie Wilson, Mrs. Mamie Thompson, Rev. John Allen.

PLEASANT GROVE—James H. Dalton, Lois Wilson, Jim Drake, Gildia Blythe; Alternates: Mary Ellen Gray, Mrs. O. S. Gray.

PLEASANT HILL—Rev. Lawrence Rhodes, Porter Sosebee.

REFUGE—Rev. George A. Roberts, Mrs. Charlie Tabor, Mrs. Blanche Hyder, Mrs. Raymond Pace, Miss Marie Cace, Miss Doris Edney, Mrs. W. J. Ballard, Miss Pearl Ann King, Ernest Hyder.

SALUDA—R. B. Staton, E. L. Phillips, Mrs. E. L. Phillips, Mrs. Bessie Pace, J. C. Thompson.

SHAWS CREEK—Miss Jessie Shipman, Mr. and Mrs. Glazener, Mr. Bryan Merrill, Sr., T. P. Barnwell.

TRYON, FIRST—Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Hearn, Mrs. Martin Jones, Mrs. G. O. Goodwin, Mrs. J. W. Taylor, Mrs. Essie Ballew.

TRYON, SECOND—Rev. Vergil D. Jones, Guy Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Pettit.

TUXEDO—R. B. Huggins, L. L. Cartee, Mrs. Roy Jervis, Mrs. W. M. Belcher, Mrs. Arthur Stepp.

UPWARD — Robert Burroughs, Jim Suttles, Mrs. Margaret F. Jackson, Mrs. Thelma Taylor, Mrs. Fair Jackson; Alternates: Mrs. Feu Hoots, Mrs. Mamie Hill, Foy Jackson, Mrs. Victoria Ward, Mrs. Nellie Blythe.

VALLEY HILL—Mrs. Eulas Mintz, Mrs. Evans Hamilton, H. A. Staton, Mrs. Eugene Spellman, Mrs. F. C. Reep; Alternates: D. H. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Guy Sitton.

ZIRCONIA—Nora Anders, Lum Neal, J. W. Bradley, Roy Burrell; Alternate: Elizabeth Swann.

CONSTITUTION

(Mell's Parliamentary Practice Followed)

Article 1—Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Carolina Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers and pastors of Missionary Baptist churches in Henderson and Polk Counties and other Missionary Baptist churches who wish to unite with them.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members in excess of one hundred. Only the names of the messengers attending the meeting shall be printed in the minutes.

Aticle 2—Objects

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for the increasing of mental and spiritual power of the churches, and for developing and directing their energies, their resources and gifts in advancing the Master's Kingdom throughout the entire world.

Article 3—Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Historian, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational M. T. U. Director, all of whom shall be elected by a majority vote at each annual meeting. These officers shall assume their duties at the close of the associational meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall, by fraternal visitation, counsel and advise with churches regarding their work through the year.

Section 3. The Vice Moderator shall preside at the request of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches in the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment. His annual compensation shall be $50.

Section 5. The treasurer shall have charge of all the funds which may be raised by the Association, of which he shall give an account at the annual meeting.

Article 4

Section 1. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as from time to time be deemed advisable.

Article 5

Section 1. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ, and the ordinances of His house as accepted by Missionary

Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, by a majority vote.

Section 2. Any church in good standing in this Association may, on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

Article 6

Section 1. The Association at any meeting may withdraw fellowship from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

Article 7

Section 1. This Association regards each Baptist church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body for furthering the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity, the preaching of Christian education.

Article 8

Section 2. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion or resolution of the body, except to amend the constitution which shall require a two-thirds vote of the members.

Article 9

Section 3. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the beginning of each day and corrected, if necessary. Before adjournment the entire minutes shall be read and approved.

Article 10

Section 1. The Association shall before its final adjournment, fix a place for the next annual meeting and select one of the ministers of the body to preach the annual sermon.

Article 11

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of 12 members, six ministers, three laymen and three women, one third of whom shall be elected each year, together with associational officers as members ex officio.

A quorum shall consist of all members of the Executive Committee present after due notice has been given by card or letter.

2. Program Committee Duties:

A. Work with the committee of the pastors' conference in correlating the programs of the two groups.

B. Assume responsibility for programs for meetings of the Association in which objectives of the State and Southern Baptist Denominational calendar shall be given proper empsasis.

C. Cooperate with the Field Worker or Associational Missionary, the Sunday School, Training Union, and Woman's Missionary Union departments of the Association so as to co-ordinate the Associational work.

D. Arrange for special Associational meetings when desired.

E. Prepare the Association's calendar of meetings and general activities for the year or shorter periods.

3. Mission Committee Duties:

A. Direct and work with the Association's Missionary in co-operation with the State and Home Mission Boards.

B. Survey the field for more effective action.

C. Establish missions where deemed advisable.

D. Conduct revivals when deemed advisable with a pastorless or non-self-supporting churches, or communities without a Baptist church.

E. Organize new churches when and where the Executive Committee deems advisable.

F. Conduct Daily Vacation Bible Schools.

G. Conduct Bible Classes.

H. Conduct association-wide Sunday School revivals.

I. Aid pastorless churches, etc.

4. Finance Committee Duties:

Prepare the Associational budget for proposed work to be done by the Executive Committee through all committees and secure necessary funds to accomplish the proposed programs.

Rules of Order

1. The Association shall convene at 9:30 a. m. on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year.

2. The Association shall open and close with prayer each day. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all meetings of the body.

3. The rules of order may be changed at any session by a vote of majority of members present.

4. That reports be limited to 500 words.

5. All questions of order shall be decided by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SEVENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

August 3, 1954

Tuesday Morning Session

The Seventy-Eighth Annual session of the Carolina Baptist Association convened at the Etowah School building with Etowah the host church, Rev. N. A. Melton, Moderator, presiding. The meeting opened at 9:30 with the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers" led by Rev. Ralph Banning, D. G. Wilkie at the piano. Rev. Paul Lovingood led the opening prayer and read the Scripture from Ephesians 2 and the 27th verse of the first chapter of Colossians.

Following the Roll Call of the churches, 30 pastors were recognized with the following visitors: Rev. E. L. Spivey, C. W. Bazemore, Dr. J. C. Canipe, S. L. Lamb, Dr. J. C. Pipes, Claude Gaddy, Dr. Roger Crook, Zeb A. Caudle, and Herbert E. Revere.

Upon a motion made by Rev. Paul Lovingood the program was adopted as printed.

The following officers were elected, there being no other nominations except these:

Rev. N. A. Melton, Moderator; M. L. Walker, Vice Moderator; Mrs. Fred J. Swift, Clerk; M. K. Sinclair, Treasurer; Rev. W. F. Sinclair, Historian; Roy C. Bennett, Sunday School Superintendent; Mrs. J. M. Huggins, Training Union Director.

At the recommendation by Dr. J. C. Canipe, that a Chairman of Evangelism be secured for this association, Mr. Melton, the Moderator, asked the nominating committee not only to name such a Chairman, but also to nominate a Brotherhood President and Junior Brotherhood President to serve the association.

Beginning at 10:25 the following reports were given and accepted as they appear in the printed minutes:

State Missions, Rev. J. C. Cartee; Home Missions, Rev. T. G. Proctor; Foreign Missions, Rev. S. P. Stapp; Woman's Missionary Union, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair.

At the conclusion of the W. M. U. report Mrs. Sinclair made an announcement of the W. M. U. Conference to be held at Fruitland, September 16 and 17, and suggested that all W. M. U.'s

hold their elections of officers prior to these dates and carry their new officers to Fruitland for instruction in their duties at this conference.

Rev. Mack M. Goss brought the report of the Missions Committee together with recommendations from this committee which is composed of Rev. Mack M. Goss, Chairman, Rev. George A. Roberts, Mrs. D. G. Wilkie, Rev. B. G. Henry, and Mr. M. L. Walker.

Prior to introducing the speaker who was to give the Missionary Address of the morning, Dr. J. C. Pipes spoke briefly with reference to observance of a Stewardship Week in our association and offered his services the first week in November. Other associations of Western North Carolina will be having such weeks beginning September 25.

The audience stood to sing: "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms."

Dr. E. L. Spivey of our State Missions Department brought the Missionary Message. He stated that a person can be a World Missionary in Etowah as well as in Brazil if he loves as Christ did. We promote the plan of Jesus for the whole world through the Cooperative Program. Christian Stewardship begins in the new birth. We are not our own. We have been bought with a price. We still owe God as an individual and as a Church. God loves others as much as he loves us. We must give the love and the light of Jesus to others.

Rev. Mack M. Goss was extended the privilege of reading his report on Ministers' Retirement which was to have been given in the afternoon. Both reports read by him were accepted as they appear in the printed Minutes.

A motion was made by Brother Goss that we follow Brother Pipes' suggestion for a week of Stewardship Emphasis in November. This was seconded by Rev. Paul Lovingood. Rev. William Huntley nominated Rev. Paul Lovingood as Associational Stewardship Chairman. The nomination carried.

Mr. M. K. Sinclair, Associational Treasurer, gave the Treasurer's Report as it appears in the printed Minutes. This was approved.

Rev. Ralph Banning reported for the Committee on Committees, which was approved with the exception of the omission of the name of Rev. H. C. Hearn who asked to have his name withdrawn since he was retiring on October 1 from his pastorate in the association. The report is as follows:

Standing Committees

State Missions, Rev. John F. Rymer; Home Missions, Rev. O. J. Smith; Foreign Missions, Rev. W. S. Billingsley; Christian Education, Mrs. Avery Morgan; Orphanage, John Sinclair; Hospital, Rev. Carl Taylor; Home for Aging, W. B. Sinclair; Christian Literature, Paul Lovingood; Sunday Schools, Roy C. Bennett; Training Unions, Mrs. Junius Huggins; W. M. U., Mrs. M. K. Sinclair; Temperance and Public Morals, J. W. Jackson.

Associational Sunday School Officers

Superintendent ..... Roy C. Bennett
Associational Superintendent in charge of training ..... C. F. Jervis
Asso. Superintendent in charge of evangelism .... Rev. Ralph Banning
Associational Superintendent in charge of enlargement .... *Roy Huggins
Asso. Supt. in charge of Vacation Bible Schools .... Mrs. Howard Sitton
Secretary-Treasurer ..... *Miss Rachel Kuykendall
Pianist ..... Mrs. Fred Pressley
Chorister ..... D. G. Wilkie

(*Since the meeting of the association and prior to the printing of the Minutes these asked to be relieved of their positions and others are filling their places, the names of which appear in the printed directory in the Minutes.)

Finance Committee

Roy Huggins, M. K. Sinclair, R. N. Sentelle, F. D. Hills, and M. J. Banning.

Program Committee

Moderator, N. A. Melton, Rev. Roy Campbell, Miss Hannah Brummitt, and Mrs. Spurgeon Williams.

Missions Committee

Rev. Mack M. Goss, Rev. George A. Roberts, Mrs. D. G. Wilkie, M. L. Walker and Rev. B. G. Henry.

Executive Committee

1 Year Term ..... W. S. Billingsby, T. G. Proctor, Miss Myrtle Bennett
2 Year Term ..... Vergil Jones, Harold McKinnish, H. L. F. Drake, Mrs. O. J. Smith
3 Year Term ..... N. A. Melton, Roy Campbell, N. B. Phillips, Miss Hannah Brummitt

An announcement of the Associational-Wide School of Church Music to be held the week of September 12 to 16 was made by Miss Lillian Howell.

The Moderator read the following Committees:

Reception of New Churches

Rev. W. C. Huntley, Rev. N. B. Phillips, W. G. Egerton.

Time, Place, Preacher

Rev. W. S. Billingsley, R. B. Staton, W. B. Sinclair.

Resolutions

Donald Adcox, Rev. J. C. Cartee, Rev. M. L. Lewis.

Mr. M. L. Walker was recognized and he announced the night session.

The Annual Sermon was delivered by Rev. W. F. Sinclair. He read Ephesians 3:17-21 which was the same chapter from which he preached August 8, 1918, when he delivered the sermon of the Carolina Association that year. He spoke in some detail of the purpose of the Baptist Church, stressing as two points of his message Worship and Evangelism.

Following the benediction which was also the blessing a supmtuous meal was served on the second floor by members of the Etowah Church, and a period of most pleasant fellowship was had. The host pastor of the day was Rev. W. F. Sinclair.

Afternoon Session

The afternoon session was opened with the singing of a hymn and a reading from the Psalms by Rev. W. Silas Bradley, followed by prayer.

No report was read on the Orphanage but J. Marse Grant, Editor of **Charity and Children,** published at Mills Home, showed pictures and talked about the orphanage.

Rev. Clyde Fetner was not present to read a report on the Baptist Hospital, but his report is included in the printed Minutes. Dr. W. K. McGee of the Hospital Staff talked on the new addition to the hospital and of its benefits, and made mention of the Mother's Day offering which makes possible aid to many who could otherwise not secure necessary medical and hospital care.

The report on the Home for the Aging written by Rev. John H. Dickson was read by Rev. W. S. Billingsley. Zeb A. Caudle, Superintendent of the Albemarle Baptist Home, spoke in the behalf of the two homes for the aging and introduced one of those now living in the home, Mr. Pegram. The report of Mr. Dickson was approved as read and as it appears in the printed Minutes.

Mr. Claude Gaddy, Executive Secretary of the Council on Christian Education, was introduced and he in turn introduced

the following representatives of our Baptist Colleges:

Dr. J. A. McLeod, Mars Hill College; Dr. Roger Crooks, Meredith College.

The Sunday School report was read by Roy C. Bennett, Associational Sunday School Superintendent. He introduced Mrs. H. T. Sitton, Associational Vacation Bible School Superintendent, who spoke briefly on the number of Vacation Bible Schools held this summer. The Sunday School superintendent's report was approved as read and as it appears in the printed minutes.

Rev. W. F. Sinclair read his report on Christian Literature and C. W. Bazemore, Associate Edtor of **The Biblical Recorder** spoke to the report. On motion of Rev. H. O. Hearn and seconded by Rev. Paul Lovingood the report was accepted as it appears in the printed Minutes. Mr. Bazemore gave the Scripture I Corinthians 3:9. He stated that in our association we now have 10 churches with Recorder Clubs and between three and four hundred individual subscriptions. The **Recorder** now has a total of 57,000 subscriptions.

Rev. Ralph Banning presented the report on Temperance and Public Morals which was prepared by Rev. Zeno Greene. The report was adopted as it appears in the Minutes.

Speaking to the report was Rev. R. M. Hause, Executive Director, The Allied Church League, whose subject was "What to Do to Prepare for the Election in January." He suggested:

1. Get Committees on Temperance in each church.
2. Get good associational or County Committee.
3. Get these now.
4. Pray about it, then go to the polls. Forty-eight counties have already voted.

The Historical Report given by Rev. W. F. Sinclair was adopted as it appears in the Minutes.

Rev. W. S. Billingsley gave the following report on Time, Place, and Preacher: Time—First Tuesday after first Sunday in August (August 9); Place—First Baptist Church, Tryon; Preacher—Rev. Ralph Banning; alternate, Rev. Paul Lovingood.

Mount Moriah Church issued an invitation to have the next quarterly meeting of the Association at their church, and Rev. Paul Lovingood expressed the desire that at the first available opportunity the quarterly meeting would be held in the Valley Hill Church.

The afternoon session was closed with prayer.

Night Session

The Night session of the Carolina Association was presided over by the Vice Moderator, Mr. M. L. Walker. "Onward Christian Soldiers" was sung after which Rev. Ralph Holcomb, pastor of the Double Springs Church, read the Scripture from 1 Peter 2, and led in prayer.

The Training Union report was read by Mrs. J. M. Huggins and adopted as it appears in the Minutes. Speaking to the report was Rev. Ralph Holcomb who had as his subject, "What Training Union Has Meant to Me."

Carroll Clark gave the report of the Brotherhood, which report was accepted as printed in the Minutes. Gary Harthcock spoke to the report, emphasizing the part the men of the churches can have in the Simultaneous Crusade in April of 1955.

The Junior Brotherhood report was read by Mrs. Swift in the absence of Frank Neville, Junior Brotherhood President, and approved as read, and as it appears in the Minutes.

During the business session the following officers were accepted on motion of R. N. Sentelle and seconded by Donald Adcox:

Chairman of Evangelism, Rev. Ralph Banning; Brotherhood President, Carroll Clark; Junior Brother President, Frank Neville; Pianist, Mrs. John Sinclair; Chorister, D. G. Wilkie.

The report of the Resolutions Committee was given by Donald Adcox and accepted as read, expressing appreciation to the host church, Etowah, and to others.

The following letter from Friendship Church over the county-line was read by Mrs. Fred Swift, Clerk, which church was asking for acceptance into the association:

Carolina Baptist Association
Dear Sirs:

I am writing this in regard to Friendship Baptist Church. It has voted unanimously to apply for membership in the Association.

We have taken in fifty-one members, 23 by baptism, and the others by letter. We have ordained three deacons for the church. We have repaired the church, plastered, and sanded the floors. We are now making preparations to build classrooms.

Mrs. Joyce Atkins, Assistant Clerk

Upon motion made by Rev. N. B. Phillips and seconded by Rev. Paul Lovingood, the church was accepted into the Association, and a welcome was extended to the pastor and deacons present.

A beautiful duet by Clyde Jackson and D. G. Wilkie, "Wonderful Friend" was then rendered.

The message of the evening was brought by Dr. J. C. Canipe. He was inspiring and convincing as he urged us to win the lost to Christ. He urged the securing and using of the material on the 1955 Simultaneous Crusade to be held in Western North Carolina April 10-24, 1955. Dr. Canipe closed the meeting with prayer.

REPORTS

Report on State Missions

Christ was born in a manger because there was no room for him in the inn. There is still no room for him in many communities in our state. Christ comes to multitudes today through the efforts of State Missions. In communities where there are no churches, State Missions makes room for Christ whether it is in barns, chicken houses, tents, old saloon buildings, lodge halls, discarded basements, on vacant lots, in old buses, and in other such places.

State Missions makes room for Christ through many different activities, such as:

1. Sunday School Work.
2. Training Union Work.
3. Assemblies.
4. Teaching Activities (Visual Education, Radio, etc).
5. Evangelism (City and Association-wide Revivals).
6. New and needy churches.
7. Work among the Indians.
8. Schools for ministers.
9. Work among the silent People.
10. Interracial activities.
11. Allied Church League, Rural Churches.
12. Neglected Areas.
13. Student work among 15,000 Baptist Students.

Forty per cent of the total State Missions budget is devoted to teaching and training of the vast multitudes of our people in the churches. One third of the budget provides for the purchase of lots for new churches, and helps with the salaries of pastors. It also pays pastors' salaries in older churches where the people are not able to take care of the salaries themselves.

Respectfully submitted,
J. C. Cartee

Home Mission Report

Since its beginning in 1845, the Home Mission Board has helped constitute 10,809 churches. Its missionaries have reported one million professions of faith. The territory now served has a population

of 125 million, of which 61 million are unchurched. Baptist membership has increased 38%. This is three times the gain in population. It takes 21 Baptists to make one convert. Besides the missionary effort across our nation, we have work in Cuba, Panama and Alaska. Following the Sunday School enrollment effort this year, the Department of Evangelism hopes to launch in 1955 the greatest evangelistic crusade we have ever known.

Three Baptist missionary couples work with one million migrant laborers, 90% of whom are unchurched. More than 75% of the converts become members of some Baptist church.

City missions is carried on in 40 of our large cities.

Our Home Mission work has extended to western states where 700,000 Southern Baptists have migrated. 500,000 of these have not yet moved their membership. Of the 2 million non-resident members in our convention, it is hoped that in 1954, at least one fourth will move their letters.

There are over one million Jews and 8½ million foreigners in our convention territory. 95% are not Christian. Of the 11 million Negroes, 3½ million are Baptists.

Our 477 Baptist chaplains in the military service reported nearly 18,000 professions last year; our Home Missionaries, 30,000 conversions.

There are 400,000 Indians in the United States. 263,000 live in Southern Baptist territory. We have work in seven states, including, Florida with 700 Seminoles; Alabama with 10,000 of mixed race; Mississippi 2000 Choctaws; North Carolina with 3,700 Cherokees; Oklahoma with 110,000 Cherokees, Choctaws, Chickasaws, Greeks and Seminoles; New Mexico with 43,000 Navajos and Pueblos; and Arizona with 65,000 Navajos. A Baptist church, just established in Arizona, has no other church within a hundred miles in any direction.

Ninety five per cent of each Home Mission dollar goes directly to mission service. There is need of a thousand home missionaries, and 4 million dollars for buildings and equipment. We should have a 2½ million dollar annual budget.

Respectfully submitted,
T. G. Proctor

Foreign Missions Report

The Master said to his disciples and to us, "Lift up your eyes and behold the fields that are white already unto the harvest, and pray the Lord of the harvest that he send forth laborers into the harvest." These white harvest fields he would have us behold are not only our local communities, our larger fields of our state and nation, but of the whole world. He said again, "The Field is the world." And "Ye shall be witnesses unto me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth."

In this day of world tensions and of Christian opportunity, when our world has shrunk in area to a community, the call to be witnesses for our Lord and his kingdom comes to us with ever-increasing em-

phasis. Into our homes by means of radio and television broadcasts and by glaring headlines in our papers comes daily the vision of this white harvest field, and with it the urgent command of our Lord to pray for workers and to harvest the ripened grain.

In this vision and this call we have begun to realize the terrible possibility of utter destruction of our world unless we repent and accept the way of life taught by our Lord. Statesmen as well as preachers and missioners are saying it is for our world "Christ or chaos." It is "Repent or perish."

This world field which we are to behold and in which we are to labor is a challenge to all, and all can have a part in meeting this challenge by our gifts to the denominational program through the Co-operative Program.

May we look now upon a few of these fields. We see China with its teeming millions with all missionaries driven from the land and the doors fast closed. But as doors have closed to missionary labors in China they have opened in other oriental countries. As we look at Japan rising from her recent military defeat we see wide-open doors. Just last year Southern Baptists sent their hundredth missionary to Japan. The work there is strategic and challenging. Korea offers a field of ever-increasing opportunity and of infinite possibilities. There are now over 2,000 members in the 100 churches of the Korean Baptist Convention. Thailand, Indonesia and the Philippine Islands are all sending Macedonian calls, "Come over into these fields and help us." May God help us to behold these fields and do our utmost under God to meet the challenge.

Respectfully submitted,
S. P. Stapp

W. M. U. Report

Another year has passed and what has been accomplished is now history. Regardless of efforts that have been made, the concern that has been manifested, the interest that has taken; there is always a question — have we done our best and will He place His approval on our labors? There is so much to do, for all of us, and it is so easy for us to become satisfied, that when we do try to visualize the results we find ourselves wondering if we could not have undertaken more.

We have had a good year, but we are not at all satisfied with what has been accomplished. When there are so many of our people who are unenlisted, in the cause that they should value more highly, it places responsibility on us to let His will be ours, His concern ours, His methods ours, and be willing to go in His strength and leave the results with Him.

As we compare the annual report we find that we have an increase over 1952-1953. We are glad to report 3 new W. M. U.'s and 5 new young people's organizations. There were 122 new tithers reported, making a total of 683 tithers. There were 958 members who contributed regularly through the Co-operative Program. We gave

$6,139.45 to special offerings for Missions. This was an increase of $1,076.08 over last year. We taught 33 Stewardship books and 89 Mission books. Baptist people need to be reminded, over and over again, that if we are to be missionary-minded, to be informed, and know what is needed on our mission fields, it is very necessary that we teach books on missions, which we are trying to encourage our people to do. Along with this we need to read our periodicals. One of the important ones to mention is our *Biblical Recorder.* Our reports show that a total of 814 of these are being received and read. That is a very small number, in fact, too small for so many Baptist people to read.

We have 84 organizations, in Carolina Association, with a membership of 1,217. We are sorry to report 34 Baptist churches with no W. M. U. work. Our work has grown but too many women and young people remain unenlisted. May we keep the watchword for the year constantly in mind, Psalm 96:3 "Declare His glory among the nations, His wonders among all people." We should consider it a privilege to work with Him and to be used to make Him known to others. Ae we understand it, that is MISSIONS in reality. We feel that we honor our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ when we allow Him to make of us instruments through which He can carry on the work He came to do.

We are very grateful to all those who have assisted in any way. Without the cooperation of our various helpers we could have accomplished very little. We do, however, need to take courage and go into the new year more determined to be used in any place and in any way that will get honor to God, and be a help to our people. We covet your prayers and your co-operation, in any way you are able to help us, as we work with our young people. They are soon to be our leaders. If they are not informed, if they are not prepared for the leadership that is to fall on them, our work and the cause of Christ will suffer.

At present we have only four fully graded W. M. U.'s, when we should have one in every church in Carolina Association. The task is not too great to undertake but it will take the concern and interest of all of us working and praying together if the task is to be realized.

"I saw tomorrow passing by,
In little children's feet
And in their forms and faces,
Read her Prophecy complete.
I saw tomorrow look at me,
From little children's eyes,
And thought how carefully we would teach
If we were wise."

Our Father has been wonderful, in His patience and love toward us and we do thank Him for allowing us to live and for helping to see that there is something for us to do. We arelooking to Him to help all of us, as we work together, to have a better report for 1954-1955.

He is our enabler. May we allow Him to use us as He wills for the days that lie ahead!

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair

Missions Committee Report

While your committee may not have any thing definite to show for it they have worked faithfully during the last year. During the first part of the year effort was made to get into contact with likely prospects for our field worker. The recommendation that was brought to the November session of the Association is a matter of record. Since that time many meetings have been held, and prospects have been interviewed, but without success in securing a missionary.

At the January meeting of the Association a motion was passed authorizing the part time employment of a person to keep the Association Office open at least a half day five days per week. Mrs. Fred Swift was engaged to do this work. Her work has been most gratifying; she has held clinics for the WMS, VBS, and has inspired and assisted in the organization of W. M. U.'s, and has conducted 5 Vacation Bible Schools. The office is located in the Commercial Building, Hendersonville.

Some four or five months ago Brother J. C. Pipes brought to us the proposal that the Carolina and Transylvania Associations combine efforts and secure the strongest person possible to do the work of promotional and field work in the two associations. Your committee initiated the move for a joint meeting of the Mission Committees of the two associations to explore the possibilities of such an effort. It was found that the committee in the Transylvania were highly pleased. But their committee, even as yours, felt under obligation to report to the Annual meeting of the Association the matter. This will be done at their meeting tomorrow. Today your committee is therefore recommending that we enter into such a relationship if it works out to be mutally agreeable, and that the person selected be presented to you at the earliest possible date.

Respectfully submitted,
George Roberts
B. G. Henry
M. L. Walker
Mrs. D. C. Wilkie
M. M. Goss

Relief and Annuity Board Report

1954 will go down in history as one of the most important years. It is certain to be a year of great growth, but more, it is during the current year that provisions and ministries of the Relief and Annuity Board are being greatly liberalized.

The benefits of the revised plans include (1) Annual disability increased by 80%, providing a maximum annuity of $900 rather than

the present $500. (2) Retirement on commuted annuity if disability occurs after age 60 (3) Protection for member's wife after retirement (4) Early retirement after age 60, and (5) eligibility beginning at age 25 or date of first denominational position after age 25.

Pastors entering the retirement program after July 1 must come into the new Southern Baptist Plan, and on a 5%-5%-5% basis. In other words, the pastor pays 5% of his salary, the church 5% and the denomination 5%. With this scehdule of payments the minister and his family have much better protection than hitherto-fore.

Permit this committee to urge the representatives of the churches present to plan today to go into this retirement program at the earliest possible moment. Just write Dr. M. A. Huggins, Raleigh, for particulars.

One matter further should be brought to the attention of the Association. There are still many old ministers who did not get in on the retirement program who need help. Lead your churches to take an offering at least once a year for these old soldiers of the cross. The money may be sent to Dr. Huggins, designated as "Old Minister's Relief." North Carolina is not meeting its part of this burden. Determine today that you will take an offering before the year is out.

Respectfully submitted,
Mack M. Goss

Report of Treasurer

For Year Ending July 31, 1954

Balance on hand August 1, 1953	$ 596.03	
Receipts to maintain Field Worker	1,424.96	
Contributions to Field Worker for supply	160.00	
Receipts at Quarterly Meetings	148.64	
Receipts for Minute Fund	390.32	
Receipts for Evangelistic Crusade	591.23	
Receipts from Baptist Student Union	45.00	
Receipts from Roy Bennett	125.00	
Receipts from School of Music	33.07	
Unaccounted For	1,000	
	$3,515.25	$3,515.25
Disbursements:		
Field Worker — Salary and Expense	484.50	
For Printing Minutes	335.00	
Clerk	50.00	
Evangelistic Crusade	332.38	
Expense — Training Union	15.00	
Field Expense	762.85	
Rent	137.50	
Contribution — Alexander School	103.01	
Office Expense	95.00	

Supplies	56.60	
Telephone	71.44	
Daily Vacation Bible School	70.00	
	$2,513.25	$2,513.28
Balance on hand		$1,001.97

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

Churches Contributing to Support of Field Worker and Minute Fund

	Field Worker	Minute Fund
Balfour		$25.00
Barker Heights		5.00
Barnwell		3.00
Bat Cave		5.00
Bear Wallow	$ 56.65	5.00
Berea		7.50
Beulah		4.00
Crab Creek		5.00
Calvary		5.00
Cross Roads		6.51
Dana		10.00
East Flat Rock		15.00
Ebenezer		5.00
Etowah		16.00
Fletcher		7.50
French Broad		10.00
Fruitland	25.00	15.00
Hendersonville First	600.00	25.00
Hendersonville West		5.00
Hoopers Creek		10.00
Locust Grove		10.00
Middle Fork		2.00
Mills River	6.31	10.00
Mt. Gilead		10.00
Mt. Moriah		10.00
Mtn. Home		8.81
Mtn. Page		5.00
Mtn. Valley		5.00
Mud Creek	75.00	15.00
Naples	30.00	12.00
Oak Forest		5.00
Oak Grove		5.00
Pacolet		5.00
Pleasant Grove		5.00
Pleasant Hill		7.00

Refuge	102.00	10.00
Saluda	120.00	10.00
Shaws Creek	120.00	10.00
Tryon First	240.00	15.00
Tryon Second		6.00
Tuxedo		10.00
Valley Hill	50.00	10.00
Zion Hill		5.00
Zirconia		5.00
	$1,424.96	390.32

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

Baptist Hospital Report

The North Carolina Baptist Hospital was incorporated in 1922 and received its first patient on May 28, 1923.

Originally built as an 80-bed hospital it was enlarged to a capacity of 250 beds and 50 bassinets in 1942. A Nurses' Home, Out-Patient Building, new West Wing, Children's Wing, and laundry building have been added to the original plant. The medical school was built adjoining the hospital in 1941.

The hospital admitted 10,886 persons as bed patients and rendered a total of 92,476 days of patient care in 1953.

The New South Wing, when completed, will increase the capacity of the Hospital to 450 beds:

In order to render a distinctive service as a religious institution the hospital provides a staff of religious workers who are on call twenty-four hours a day.

The out-patient department is operated for the benefit of persons unable to pay the cost of the medical service they need. The ministers and missionaries are also cared for through the out-patient department.

Funds received each year in Mother's Day offerings are used exclusively to help pay the hospital expenses of those patients who can pay only a part of their hospital cost and for those who can pay nothing at all. The amount of the Mother's Day offering determines largely the amount of help the hospital can give.

Teaching and healing, we find, are the main objectives of our Baptist Hospital.

Respectfully submitted,
C. A. Fetner

Report on Homes for the Aged

We ask that your attention be given to a most vital part of our Baptist program; "the founding and support of our Baptist homes for the aged."

It is not hard — if we will but look around about us — for us to see many fast greying heads and many fast faltering footsteps of those

of our beloved in the Lord now grown old. Many of these, men and women alike, not only need our help, but desire and deserve it.

We Baptists of North Carolina, having seen the need, have begun in an effort to fulfill that need by establishing two homes for the aged, Christian homes for those who, otherwise, would have no homes or anyone to care for them.

The aims of these homes are high and are as follows: First, to provide these loyal followers of Christ with a "Haven of Rest" in their declining years. Secondly, to bring to these elderly folks security in the eventide of life. Third, to create for their enjoyment an atmosphere of congeniality. And, lastly, our greatest aim is that we might provide them with a Christian ministry that their faith in the True and Living Christ might flame anew and that the last days of this life might be only a foretaste of life with Him hereafter.

The two homes now in operation are: *Resthaven,* located at Winston-Salem, North Carolina, and the *Albemarle Home,* located at Albemarle, North Carolina.

Resthaven has a capacity of twenty residents and Albemarle, thirty-five, all private rooms except a few for married couples.

Any person sixty-five years of age, or over, of good character, and with favorable recommendation by the pastor of the church of which this person is a member is eligible to enter these homes; providing there is room available.

The homes assume full responsibility for any sickness or disability of all the "life resident members," but are unable to extend that service to those paying on the monthly basis.

Our Baptist Homes are supported by the following means:

1. The Homes' share of the Nine Year Program of our State Convention.
2. Special day offerings, taken on the third Sunday of February.
3. That which residents pay for their care.
4. Memorial gifts.
5. Personal and Corporation gifts.
6. Sometimes people make some kind of provision for the Homes in their Wills.

This may sound like a great and sufficient source of finance for our Homes, but it is our duty to inform you that this in no wise suffices and that the need is still very great.

Plans for future expansion of this program are in the making—a 35-acre tract of land having already been purchased near the city limits of Winston-Salem. As soon as funds become available, it is planned that there will be constructed on this property an administration building, which will provide office facilities, dining room and kitchen space, chapel, recreational facilities, and rooms for probably 50 residents.

Those now connected with our present Homes ask the following question which we would impress upon you also: "What finer way is there to express our love for Christ than to remember the lonely and

aged in providing a Christian Haven of Rest for them in twilight days?" To this we would add this question: "Can you conscientiously sit back and neglect to support such a worthy cause?" May God help us to accomplish His will and to do the work at hand!

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. John H. Dickson

Sunday Schools Report

Having hurriedly visited all the Sunday Schools in our Association this past year, I am not able to appraise the work in an accurate manner. The few reports received during the year indicate some activity and in looking over reports in the letters that came in during the morning I find some encouraging information and some not so good.

The increase is not what was expected, to say the least. Too many Sunday Schools lost ground instead of making progress and quite a few just held their own. Reports from those Churches who failed to report last year will give us a little increase and the totals may be better than we think.

The Daily Vacation Bible Schools as directed by Mrs. Sitton and Mrs. Swift can be considered the high lights of the work in our Sunday Schools. Mrs. Sitton will give that report in detail when I have finished this report.

I have tried to let every Church in the Association know that we are interested in their work and that we are anxious to help with all problems. I have suggested and recommend the organization of Cradle Roll and Extension Departments in all our Churches who do not have these departments. I have suggested monthly workers council meetings of officers and teachers in all our Sunday Schools. I recommend that most heartily as one of the best methods to plan our work and see that it is carried out.

Larger quarters and more of them are needed in most all our Sunday Schools. A few churches are making plans along this line and some have added class rooms this year.

In some places a division of large classes would help to increase the enrollment and attendance. New departments where there are enough pupils and facilities is to be desired. Study courses and a training program can surely help in all schools. Constant visitation after a survey is made of the prospects is one splendid method of growth. I do not believe in nor shall I promote high pressure methods to reach our goals but I do think there should be more study made of the possibilities of various methods and that we should try them out as our Sunday School Board suggests.

I have one regret and that is that some of our Sunday Schools are not using Baptist Literature. While other material may be good I think we can stick closer to Baptist doctrines by using our literature.

In closing I want to thank all those who helped me during this past year and particularly do I want to thank you for giving us a Secretary who has lightened the load for all of us Associational Officers. Mrs.

Swift has been worth far more to the Association than we have paid her and I for one am indeed grateful for her services these few months.

I thank you for having the confidence in me to elect me for another year and will try to make a better showing a year from now than I am able to make at this time.

Respectfully submitted,
Roy C. Bennett

Report on Religious Literature

Christian literature does not need defending: it needs more distribution and wider reading. Never before has there been such a flood of so-called religious literature as at present. Printing presses are running around the clock, and sad to say, much of the material is downright harmful to those who read it.

The printed page is powerful, and its influence universal. People tend to become like the things they read and absorb in their minds and hearts. The flood of bad literature has spread over our land, with almost every news stand, durg store, bus station, and even grocery stores selling objectionable comic books, bad magazines, books and periodicals that the U. S. Mails refuse to carry. This bad literature often finds its way into our Baptist homes, with its pages filled with the seeds of evil. Wider circulation of good Christian literature would help so much to destroy the thirst for the bad. We Baptists have a great opportunity to provide the very best literature for our homes.

Baptists have compelling reasons for securing and reading sound Christian literature from their own presses. The aid of it all is to promote Bible study, build Christian character, inform, indoctrinate, and unify our people.

In North Carolina, the BIBLICAL RECORDER has been in circulation for 121 years, carrying the message of Baptist Progress into our Baptist homes. Wise pastors, and consecrated Baptist leaders have sought over the years to promote its circulation. People always do more when they know more. People are not interested in, nor will they support what they do not know about. The present circulation of the RECORDER is approximately 57,000 copies each week. The RECORDER HAS THREE SUBSCRIPTION PLANS: Individual subscription at $2.50; $2.00 in clubs with at least three subscriptions for the church having less than 100 members. 5 subscriptions with a church having more than 100 members, and the Every-Family-Plan at the low rate of $1.50 a year. This plan requires that every family of the church be on the list to receive the paper each week.

In addition to the RECORDER, CHARITY & CHILDREN published by the Orphanage Press at Thomasville, and Southern Baptist Home Missions, published by the Home Mission Board at Atlanta, are publications that ought to have the widest possible circulation among Baptists. We would not confine our reading to those alone but there are other periodicals with a national circulation that ought to be read by all of our people, many of them published by Baptist Pub-

lishers. It occurs to the writer of this report that it is essential for our people to read some of the great Baptist papers which carry sermons of the greatest preachers of all time, both dead and living, who have moved great multitudes with their ministry, and while we do not take time to name some of these periodicals, it is an easy matter to inform ourselves as to what they are and how they may be obtained by any person who wants to be informed about the great fundamental doctrines that have made Baptists the greatest exponents of the Truth of any group in the world.

Respectfully submitted,
W. F. Sinclair

Historian's Report

In writing an historical sketch for publication in our Minutes, it seems to us that a recent historical event might be of interest to our readers. A few months ago, a historical marker was erected at the corner of Sixth Avenue, and Fleming Street in Hendersonville, which is intended to remind the passer-by that a few blocks south, stands an old stone building known as Judson College.

This building was started before the civil war, and to Nelson Bowen, a great pioneer Baptist preacher, perhaps ought to go most of the credit for that institution. Nelson Bowen was one of the men responsible for the establishment of Carson-Newman College in Tennessee. Because of the extreme poverty of the people in this section of the South, Brother Bowen went into the northern states and solicited funds for the school. In the possession of the Bowen family on the Haywood road is a handful of papers which throw some light on this great undertaking. Among them, a letter of introduction by Richard Fuller, a number of receipts for money received both for the school and for tuition.

It should be impossible to name all whose lives were enriched by this College, but we take the name of one whose memory is dear to everyone who ever knew him. I refer to the saintly A. I. Justice, who attended Judson College, and who perhaps more than any other man was responsible for the establishment of Fruitland Institute. With no financial resources at his command, but with undaunted faith, he rode up and down every road and by-path to build that great Institution whose influence has gone around the world. Shy, retiring, humble, but with unshaken faith in God and Baptist people he labored and gave of himself until the school became a reality. Lying dormant awhile the school lives again, and the spirit of A. I. Justice surely hovers over the campus as God's preachers gather there to deepen their own spiritual lives . . . turning again home to preach with better equipment.

And thus the cycle runs on and on until the Lord comes. Yes, Nelson Bowen made many sacrifices that Judson College might live, at one time mortgaging his home to save the college. Out on the Haywood road, once stood a small building on the Bowen Farm, that

sheltered a printing press on which was printed the Western North Carolina Baptist as well as the Minutes of the Western North Carolina Convention. The type was set up and the press operated by the Bowen children. Eternity alone will reveal the mighty influence of Judson College.

Nelson Bowen's body sleeps; A. I. Justice's body sleeps, but the influence of their lives goes on blessing multitudes who never knew either of these great men. And so, Baptist History continues to be written . . . in sweat, in tears, and in blood.

Respectfully submitted,
W. F. Sinclair

Training Union Report

"Study to show thyself approved unto God a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." II Tim. 2:15.

We recognize this as the motto of our Training Union. I wonder how many of us have really put this motto into practice during the past year? I fear too many of us have fallen far below par. However, we are happy to report that we are making some progress, in our Training Union Work. Two Training Unions have been organized during the year. This makes a total of thirty-five churches with Training Unions. This is not such a bright picture, when we realize there are still twenty five churches without Training Unions. We regret to report that some of our churches with the largest membership do not have Training Unions.

Most of our Training Unions have had one or more study courses.

We had participants in all the tournaments at the regional Training Union Convention at Spruce Pine.

The choirs from the Mount Moriah Church and the First Church, Hendersonville, were state winners in the hymnal festival.

The following boys and girls were state winners in the Junior Memory Drill: Bobby Sizemore and Kay Huggins, Fruitland Church; Sarah Hill, Nancy Hill, Joan Gilliam, Anne Turner, Patsy Turner, Katie Turner, and Terry Rhodes from the Mount Moriah Church; Eloise Rollins from the West Hendersonville Church; Sue Moffitt, Edwina Tart, Marion Carswell and Morris Carswell from the First Church, Hendersonville; Larry Morton and Joan Davis, Second Church, Tryon.

"Train up a child in the way he should go and when he is old he will not depart from it." Proverbs 22:6

What better place is there to start the training of a child than in the Training Union?

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Junius Huggins

Brotherhood Reports

The purpose of a Brotherhood in a Baptist Church is to support and promote the work of the church and program of the church. In addition it is the purpose of the Church Brotherhood to promote the de-

nominational program in the church; supporting and upholding the pastor as he leads in the denominational program.

The purpose of the Associational Brotherhood is not different. Its purpose covers more territory. The Brotherhood of the Association seeks to support and promote the work and program of every church in the association and to further the denominational work in each and every church. Supporting and upholding every pastor of the association as they lead in the denominational program.

Keith Arledge served as president of the Associational brotherhood until January, 1954. Following his resignation the following officers were elected: President, Carroll Clark; Vice Presidents, George Roberts, Jack Johnson, Jim Harkey; Secretary-Chorister, Junius Huggins.

Activities since January include the following:

Host association to the first annual convention of region 9 brotherhood. Dr. Ed. Byrd, First Church, Florence, S. C., preached the convention sermon.

The association and the church brotherhoods took an active part in the simultaneous crusade. In this crusade an opportunity for our churches to work together toward a common goal was evident. The crusade was a challenge to each of us and the brotherhood met the challenge by leading every effort to the success of the crusade. Laymen, members of the brotherhoods promoted association wide prayer service, financial and promotional activities of the crusade and conducted a daily broadcast for two weeks in behalf of the crusade.

The quarterly meeting of the brotherhood was held at the First Church East Flat Rock. At this time the brotherhood of the East Flat Rock Church was organized and officers installed. Horace Easom was principal speaker. F. O. Champion, state president and Gary Harthcock, state vice president, attended this meeting.

The association brotherhood was represented at the Southern Baptist Convention, St. Louis, and the meeting of brotherhood secretaries, St. Louis. A number of men from the association attended the Caswell and Fruitland assemblies and participated in the programs. A number have already attended the southwide assembly at Ridgecrest and more will attend the August 4th session and take part in the program. Other members of the brotherhoods of this association have led conferences for other associations throughout the state and conducted study course for other churches.

A number of new brotherhoods are in the process of being organized. The vision of the tremendous possibilities of men enlisted for Christ is becoming more and more apparent. We feel there are good things ahead for our Association and our association brotherhood.

The association brotherhood wishes to go on record as endorsing, heartily, the work of the Association mission committee. The association brotherhood is aware of the time and energy expended by this committee and their earnest desire to be led by the Lord. The association brotherhood especially commends the mission committee's desire to secure a fully capable and trained leader for our association work.

One fully able to plan, organize and set into motion plans that will lead all our churches to a deeper feeling of unity, and oneness of purpose as we all seek to serve the Master.

The association brotherhood stands ready to serve any church, at any time possible. We ask for your prayers that the association brotherhood might discharge well its responsibilities.

Respectfully submitted,
Carroll E. Clark

Report of Junior Brotherhood

As we come to the end of our church year, and take inventory of the work done in our Master's Name, we feel greatly encouraged yet unsatisfied with what has been accomplished.

Out of the six Junior Brotherhoods in the State we are happy that one is in our Association. Following the same plan we adopted in 1953 we still have the quarterly meetings at the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville, conducted by our President Don Painter. Present at these meetings we have had groups representing seven churches of our Association. We believe that the young men attending these meetings will return to their own church inspired to greater loyalty and to undergird its entire program.

Respectfully submitted,
Frank Neville

Temperance and Public Morals

Too often we only associate Temperance in relation to alcoholic drink. In the message to the Church at Corinth in the book of I Corinthians 9: 25 we read, "and every man that striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things."

We are told plainly here; those that seek to master self and situations are "temperate in ALL things." We turn to Jesus our Master, who was master over every situation and brought to earth God's fulfillment of Redemption. Redemption resulting in Public morals above reproach.

Consider from the Word about Jesus and Temperance in "all things," can mention but very little here; Jesus was Temperate, self constrained, in His preaching, "And the eyes of them all were fastened on Him." "And wondered at the gracious words which proceeded out of His mouth." At what He said and not how He acted. (Luke 4, 20, 22) What He taught he first lived. He claimed to come from God; He lived a life that proved He was. He taught that He and God were one and His coming was to make man "one in them." His Temperance in living manifested this.

We that bear the name Baptist ought to live a Temperate, Consecrated life, consistent with our claim that: The New Testament is our creed. That the Authority is in the church, etc. Some claim the above and yet lead in ways of Separation instead of Co-operation. Is it any wonder that Public Morals are not any higher where this condition exists?

We are hoping that the vote, now set for early in 1955, on wine

and beer in Henderson County will not be deprived us again. We realize that those that don't want people to be temperate, and do not care for low Public Morals will do their best to keep us from having this vote.

The need is for us to get together, pull together, and then we can win for our Lord together; "in all things."

Respectfully submitted,
Zeno L. Greene

QUARTERLY MEETINGS

This being a called meeting at the Tuxedo Baptist Church on November 1, 1953, the meeting opened at 2:30 p. m.

Opening Hymn: "All Hail the Power," led by D. G. Wilkie and Mrs. J. A. Sinclair.

Scripture and Prayer: Brother Harold McKinnish, Pastor of the church.

Hymn: "Have Faith in God."

Moderator: N. A. Melton in charge.

Business Meeting

Brother Melton recognized the Missions Committee. Brother Goss as chairman gave the report. He presented the name of Miss Dafney Boone from South Yadkin Association as our Field Worker.

Dr. J. C. Canipe was recognized and made a report about Miss Boone, he knew her personally. Brother M. L. Lewis also stated he knew he personally and was favorably impressed with her. Brother W. S. Billergsly was recognized and stated he opposed the possibility of having a woman as an Association Missionary. Brother B. G. Henry, recognized, expressed desire to have a woman as Missionary. Mrs. Oscar Smith, recognized, stated that there was a need for help in her own church. Brother Virgil Jones, recognized, stated that he opposed the woman. Brother H. O. Hearn, recognized, spoke favorably of a lady as Associational Missionary. Brother Goss was recognized again, stating he was surprised, because the association placed the responsibility on the Missions Committee. Brother W. C. Huntly opposed the woman as a Missionary. Brother Goss made the motion that we call Miss Dafney Boone as the field worker of the Carolina Association. Brother N. B. Phillips seconded the motion. Brother W. L. Lewis made the substitute motion that we postpone this question until the 5th Sunday of November; this was carried. Brother Virgil Jones made second.

Brother Allard Garren, recognized, read the following, "I hereby submit my resignation as clerk of the Association to become effective now. I have enjoyed serving as your Clerk, and I appreciate the cooperation of all the churches. I have been called to the Calvary Baptist Church of Kansas City, Missouri, and will take up my work there after Sunday, November 8."

The Association made report to accept Brother Roy Bennett

as Sunday School Association Superintendent, and also to accept Brother F. D. Hills as association clerk.

Report of the Finance Committee was made by Brother M. K. Sinclair as follows for period ending October 31.

Balance on hand October 31	$596.03	
Receipts:		
To maintain Field Worker	$545.63	
Supplies for Field Worker	160.00	
Minute Fund	391.32	
Asso. School of Church Music	33.07	
	$596.03	$1130.04
TOTAL		$1,726.07
Disbursements:		
Field Worker—Salary and Expense (2 mo.)	$484.50	
Supplies	2.46	
For Printing 800 Minutes	335.00	
	$821.96	
	$821.96	$821.96
Balance on Hand		$904.11

The Report was read and adopted.

Brother Hearn asked that the Association meet at Tryon on the fifth Sunday meeting. A motion was then made by N. B. Phillips that we not have the fifth Sunday meeting in November and meet on the fifth Sunday in January, the motion was carried. The motion was made that we meet in Tryon in January for the Quarterly meeting.

Reports

Brother Roy Bennett the Sunday School Superintendent, recognized and read the following report, on Sunday School Work in the Association.

Attended State Meeting at Marion, N. C., September 2, 1953, with Rev. N. A. Melton, Rev. Allard Garren, Roy Huggins and F. D. Hills.

Held planning meeting in the Educational building of the First Baptist Church Hendersonville, September 11, 1953. At this meeting there were 23 churches represented. 17 Pastors, 11 Superintendents, 37 Teachers and 46 other Officers and workers were present. Literature for the "Million more in 54" drive was distributed and a program put on in which all of the group who attended the State meeting participated. The remaining packages of literature was delivered to Pastors at weekly meetings and carried in person to all the Churches in the

Association except two which were not having services. I attended workers Council meetings at Tryon First, Mud Creek and Shaws Creek Churches and conducted prayer meeting at Valley Hill Church where the Sunday School work was discussed.

Visited and made contact with 8 Sunday Schools during October.

Started column in the Tribune known as "Carolina Baptist Association News."

Selected the following men as District leaders in the Sunday School work in the Association of all of whom are recommended to you for election today.

Group No. 1 Fred Pressley, group No. 2 Vanoy D. Orr, group No. 3 A. J. Freeman, group No. 4 Carson Lewis, group No. 5 Rufus Staton and group No. 6 Fred Gentry.

Respectfully submitted,
Roy C. Bennett

This report was approved

Mrs. Junius Huggins made report about Training Union.

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair made report about the W. M. U., stressing the mission work.

Brotherhood report from Keith Arledge asks to speak to men **only,** he states we are not doing our job as men.

Roll call of churches: There were 36 churches represented by call.

Hymn No. 176: "Am I a Soldier of the Cross."

Announcement made by Brother Hearn that all pastors be present at the Pastors' Conference Monday morning—about the Liquor question.

Motion made by Brother Goss that we extend the time for Dr. Canipe as long as necessary.

Dr. J. C. Canipe comes to speak about the Program of God to His People.

1. We cannot go forward unless we look forward.
2. We cannot go forward unless we look around us.
3. We cannot go forward unless we look upward.

Closing Hymn No. 239: "Blest Be the Tie."

Prayer: Brother Worley.

N. A. Melton, Moderator
Allard Garren, Clerk

Fifth Sunday Meeting of the Carolina Association

January 31, 1954

Meeting with the First Baptist Church, Tryon, N. C.

Hymns: We Will Sing the Wondrous Story; Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine.

Scripture: John 17; and Prayer by Pastor H. O. Hearn, 1st Tryon.

Hymn: More About Jesus

Report of the Sunday School was made by Roy C. Bennett, Associational Sunday School Superintendent. (Note motion at bottom of report. This motion appears later in the minutes but is left here to be attached with his signature.)

Sunday School Report

Since making my last report November 29 I have contacted 22 churches, making a total of 34 I have visited since October 1. Reports from my district leaders show many visits.

I am suggesting four ways rural Sunday Schools can help in our aim for a million more in fifty four, namely. A monthly workers council, A Cradle Roll and Extension Department in each School and a Daily Vacation Bible School in every Church.

I have been keeping up the publicity I started in the Tribune. I am making plans now for cooperating with the State wide Clinic for Vacation Bible School work at Fruitland February 10 through 13. If all pastors will work with us in our program we can go over the top with our goal of 2500 in this Association. There must be more organization and team work and plenty of visitation if we succeed. My aim is to at least double the number of Vacation Bible Schools in our Churches over last year and more if possible.

At the proper time I have a recommendation to make to this group about the work in the future.

Respectfully submitted,
Roy C. Bennett

Brother Moderator, I move that the Moderator with the four Superintendents, W. M. S., B. T. U., Brotherhood, and Sunday School, be authorized and empowered to employ a Secretary and open an office in Hendersonville until such time as we can elect a Field Worker. Salary of such person to be not more than $50.00 per week for full time plus traveling expenses or $25.00 per week for half time plus any traveling expenses. All office expenses to be paid by the Association.

Mrs. Junius Huggins reported for the Training Union of

the Association some progress: Planning study courses in March, a Book for each department; she would be glad to help to get teachers; associational mass meeting to be held in April; tournaments to be held in April.

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair reported for the W. M. S. February and March, Home Mission Study. Books may be obtained at Fruitland, including Vacation Bible School material. Week of Prayer — So many requests from Missionaries to have churches and March 1-5 designated. One more W. M. S. and R. A. at Mills River Church. There are 26 W. M. S. in the Association. The Lottie Moon Christmas offering was $3,376.96 with 17 Churches contributing. There are 416 Biblical Recorders being received and read by members of the W. M. S.

Donald Adcox, President of Region 9 of the State Brotherhood, spoke on Men rallying to the Lord's work and presented a motion that the following men be elected as Associational Officers in the view that Keith Arledge had resigned as Supterintendent of the Brotherhood. Mr. Arledge's resignation was first approved with regret. President of the Associational Brother, Carroll Clark. Vice President George Roberts, Vice Presidents Jack Johnson and Jim Harkey, Secretary and Treasurer, Junius Huggins. These were approved.

Hymn: Trust and Obey.

Motion by Roy C. Bennett was seconded by M. M. Goss (see above motion as typed by Mr. Bennett). This was passed unanimously.

The next fifth Sunday meeting is to be at Saluda Church, Saluda, N. C.

The name of H. O. Hearn was proposed to be Chairman of the Finance Committee which was seconded and approved.

Milas Sinclair read the report of the Treasurer.

Brother Stapp, pastor of Bat Cave Baptist Church, made a motion that the offering taken today be sent to the school at Alexander where the girls suffered a fire loss there being 35 girls without funds. This was seconded and passed unanimously. The collection amounted to $103.01.

Paul Lovingood was introduced as pastor of Valley Hill Church, coming there from Fairview Baptist Church in Buncombe Association.

There were 30 ministers present.

The following churches were in attendance: Balfour, Barker Heights, Bat Cave, Crab Creek, Dana, East Flat Rock, Ebenezer, French Broad, Fork Creek, Fruitland, Friendship, Green River, Hendersonville First, Hendersonville West, Liberty, Locust Grove, Mills River, Mt. Gilead, Mt. Moriah, Mountain View, Mud Creek, Naples, Pacolet, Pleasant Grove, Pleasant Hill, Refuge, Saluda, Tryon First, Tryon Second, Tuxedo, Valley Hill. Total: 31.

Solo by Mr. Howland, Director of Music of First Church, Tryon.

Ralph Banning, chairman of Simultaneous Crusade, appointed the following committees which were seconded and approved:

Enlistment: Chairman, Roy C. Bennett, Mrs. Junius Huggins, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair; Finance: Gary Harthcock, Chairman; F. D. Hills and M. H. Sinclair. Publicity: Donald Adcox, Chairman; Harold McKinnish; Zeno Green.

Special Rallies: M. M. Goss, Chairman; N. A. Melton, H. O. Hearn.

Fellowship: Mr. Proctor, Chairman; Wade Sinclair, Clyde Fetner.

Extension and Colportage: William Huntley, Chairman; Mr. Billingsley; N. B. Phillips.

The speaker, Dr. John E. Huss, pastor of the Southside Baptist Church, Spartanburg, S. C., spoke on Evangelism. Prayer is the prelude to a revival and then visitation. He brought out that at Pentecost there were ten days of prayer without ceasing and ten minutes of preaching and 3000 were saved. Too much talk about prayer and not enough of it. Let's spend more time on our knees.

Closing prayer by William Huntley.

N. A. Melton, Moderator
F. D. Hills, Clerk

Quarterly Meeting

Saluda Baptist Church

May 30, 1954, 2:30 p. m.

The quarterly meeting of the Carolina Baptist Association for the Second Quarter was held on May 30, at 2:30 o'clock with the Saluda Baptist Church. Rev. N. A. Melton, Moderator, presided.

Following the singing of a hymn, Rev. F. M. Huggins read the Scripture and led in prayer. At the brief business session the resignation of F. D. Hills as Clerk was presented and accepted. Mrs. Fred J. Swift was nominated by Mr. M. L. Walker to fill the vacancy.

Mr. Melton appointed the following to serve on the Committee on Committees: Rev. Ralph Banning, R. N. Sentelle, Hannah Brummitt, Rafe Lockaby, Rev. Zeno Greene.

Rev. B. G. Henry, Manager of Fruitland Baptist Assembly, made a brief talk on the Assembly and the summer program there.

In the absence of Mr. Roy C. Bennett, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Mrs. Fred Swift read the report on the Sunday School as follows:

Sunday School Report

It is with pleasure I report a visit made to all the churches in our Association where there is a Sunday School. My district leaders have been active also. In some cases they have visited all the schools in their district. At least 100 contacts have been made since October 1. We have urged a larger enrollment and an increase in attendance. We have suggested Cradle Roll and Extension Departments in those schools where these departments do not exist. We have stressed Daily Vacation Bible Schools and offered the assistance of our association secretary, and other leaders in the Association when help is wanted for any phase of our denominational work. We helped with the revival crusade.

We have encouraged several churches to join our Association. It is impossible to judge the success of our work but the effort has been made and we leave the rest with the Lord whom we feel will use same as He sees best. Most of the Sunday Schools are doing good work but there is always room for improvement and now it shall be our purpose to work with the Schools needing our help most.

One church in the Association does not have a Sunday School but we think we will have one going soon. One other church who had not been having a Sunday School got one started recently. Several are struggling.

I am sorry not to be present today but am attending the gradua-

tion of my youngest son at Furman this afternoon. Let me publicly thank all my leaders and our secretary, Mrs. Swift, for all the help and co-operation given me in this great work. The reception given me in all the churches has been much appreciated also. My prayer is that God will use all of us for His glory in reaching a million more in '54.

Respectfully submitted,
Roy C. Bennett

A Panel Discussion on the Vacation Bible School was presented with the following participating:

Mrs. Drake, Mrs. H. T. Sitton, Miss Hannah Brummitt, Rev. Zeno Greene, Rev. T. G. Proctor, Mrs. Fred Swift.

Special music was presented by the Training Union choir from Mt. Moriah Church. After the roll call of the churches Mr. M. K. Sinclair, Associational Treasurer, gave his quarterly report. The offering was taken.

The annual report on Christian Education was presented by Mr. C. F. Jervis as follows:

Report on Christian Education

It may seem rather trite to mention in these reports the same things year after year; however, we are still confronted with many of the same problems which demanded our attention years ago. At the same time it is true that new problems are arising and will continue to do so, and changing conditions must be met.

It is just as true as ever that no nation can become great in the truest sense of the word without Christian Education. It is just as true as ever that Christian Education can not reach its fullest without Christian schools and colleges. It is just as true as ever that we cannot have Christian schools without dedicated and working churches. It is just as true as ever that we can not have dedicated and working churches without Christian homes. So let us begin with the homes.

Christian Education should begin in the home. It is still a fact that the most effective teachers are fathers and mothers, or even grand-parents. It is not only every Timothy who needs a Eunice and a Lois in his background, but also every John and every Mary. Christian Education can not begin too soon. To this end let us exert every effort that it may be true of our children that "From a child thou hast known the holy Scriptures." Let us realize that it is not an easy nor a light job to rear children. Let us be sympathetic but at the same time jealous of the company they keep. Let us be interested in their entertainment, even to the extent of censoring some of the violent episodes described by the Biblical Recorder as "Bang-Bang" T. V. programs for the Kiddies. Let us make every week Christian-Home-Week.

It is not an over statement to say that Christian Education in

its broadest sense is the chief business of the churches. Salvation is only one phase of Christian Education. If our churches can succeed in the effort for A-million-more-in-fifty-four, we shall have contributed much to Christian Education, for our Sunday Schools are the chief Bible teaching agency of our churches, and it is chiefly through them that people are led into the Kingdom and into the support of our church and denominational program.

Our people and our churches can not rise higher than their leadership. Therefore we must have an intelligent and a trained leadership. This we can not have without our Christian Colleges and Seminaries. With these we have been wonderfully blessed. It is usually a sufficient recommendation that one has attended Mars Hill or Gardner-Webb College, Wake Forest or Meredith College, or one of our Seminarians or Training Schools, including the recently organized South-Eastern Seminary at Wake Forest. One can not overestimate the influence of the old Fruitland Institute, nor of the present Fruitland Preachers' School under the consecrated leadership of Dr. J. C. Canipe. How fortunate indeed those who had the privilege of sitting at the feet of a Moore, a Poteat, a Vann, an Elliott, a Melton, and other great leaders too numerous to mention!

According to Dr. Phil Elliott, our Junior Colleges, due to probable trends and changes in the policies of state-supported schools, may be forced to become Senior Colleges or to disband. We can not let them die, for to do so would be suicide to our denomination. Let us be awake and prepared to meet any emergency which may arise. Let us support all our institutions of learning with our prayers, our money, and with our boys and our girls. Fortunate are they who attend any of the denominational institutions, and fortunate are the churches and communities which secure the services of those who have attended.

Respectfully submitted,
C. F. Jervis

Miss Mabel Starnes, Dean of Gardner-Webb College, spoke briefly on Christian Education and then presented four young people who had attended Gardner-Webb College: Mrs. Jack Cartee, Miss Catherine Hazeltine, Mike Ledbetter, and Bill Jones. These gave their impressions of the college, and something of the benefits they had derived from attending a Christian School. Mike Ledbetter sang "He's Real." The meeting was closed with prayer. Eight pastors were present and 22 churches represented.

The following report of the Brotherhood was distributed at the door to those attending the meeting.

N. A. Melton, Moderator
Mrs. Fred J. Swift, Clerk

Report of Carolina Association Brotherhood

For the Period January 1, 1954, through May 30, 1954

The resignation of Keith Arledge as Associational Brotherhood President was received and accepted at the last meeting of the Carolina Association.

The following were elected by the Association to serve as Brotherhood officers:

President: Carroll Clark; Vice Presidents: Jim Harley, George Roberts, Jack Johnson; Secretary and Chorister: Junius Huggins.

The Carolina Association served as host Association on January 22 to the first annual conference of the Region 9 Brotherhood. It might be of interest to know that this was the first such conference ever conducted in the state of North Carolina. Other conferences are being held throughout the state and will continue to be held. State and Regional officers have expressed special thanks to the Carolina Association for its active part in this pioneer conference.

The Association Brotherhood served in many ways during the simultaneous crusade. Brotherhood members or officers served as chairmen of committees for publicity and finance. In connection with publicity newspapers were used effectively and Brotherhood members conducted a daily broadcast for two weeks during the crusade. The Brotherhood also sponsored an Association-Wide Prayer Service immediately preceding the simultaneous crusade.

The quarterly meeting of the Carolina Association Brotherhood was held Sunday afternoon, May 23, at the First Baptist Church, East Flat Rock. At this meeting officers of the newly organized Brotherhood at the host church were installed. Mr. F. O. Champion, State Brotherhood President, was present and spoke briefly. Horace Easom, State Brotherhood Secretary, brought the message of the afternoon.

There are now nine churches in the association with Brotherhoods as a part of their organizations.

The next quarterly meeting of the Carolina Association Brotherhood will be held at the First Baptist Church, East Flat Rock, Friday evening, August 20.

The Association Brotherhood officers wish to call your attention to the vital part Brotherhoods can and are having in the life of our churches. However, it is important that any success of the Brotherhood be credited to the efforts of our pastors as they lead and our men as they follow in the service of the Master. We would remind you that the program of the Brotherhood is to support and promote the program of the church.

Respectfully submitted,
Carroll Clark, President
Junius Huggins, Secretary

1954 Annual Associational W. M. U. Meeting

The Carolina Associational W. M. U. met with the Valley Hill Baptist Church, with the theme "Entrusted to Us."

Hymn: "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations."

Devotional: "A Message to Give" by Mrs. G. H. Orr.

Hymn: "Jesus Saves."

Prayer for our missionaries was led by Mrs. B. G. Henry.

Recognition of Visitors: Mrs. J. R. Morgan, Divisional Superintendent. Miss Janet Wilson, State Representative, and Miss Ann Frances Todd, missionary to Columbia, South America and pastors.

19 churches answered the roll call. We now have 27 societies.

Mrs. J. R. Morgan, Divisional Superintendent, spoke on the subject, "Together in the Division."

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Associational Superintendent: "Opportunities of Outreach."

Mrs. J. C. Canipe, Mission Study Chairman: "Mental Powers."

Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Stewardship Chairman, spoke on "Material Possessions."

Mrs. Joe F. Loveland presented a group, of Y. W. A. girls in a program on Community Missions, the subject, "Personality and Influence." Mrs. T. G. Proctor, Literature Chairman, reported *Royal Service*, 263; Window Y. W. A. 22; Tell, 43; Ambassador Life, 33; Sunbeam, 8; Recorder 416.

Mrs. J. C. Canipe reported 83 books taught in 27 W. M. S. 967 were enrolled on these classes. 943 books were read.

Hymn: "A Charge to Keep I Have."

Miss Janet Wilson, State Representative, spoke on "Faithful to the Trust."

Special music by girls of Valley Hill Church.

Miss Anna Frances Todd: "Stewardship of the Gospel."

The afternoon session closed with prayer. Supper was served in the school lunch room.

Night session opened with the Hymn "O Zion Haste," followed by prayer.

Paul Gillespie, Margaret Fund Student at Mars Hill College, gave a very interesting talk on "Youth in Training."

Miss Hannah Brummitt, Young Peoples Leader for the Association, presented a very interesting report on the Young People's work through the following; Rev. T. G. Proctor, R. A. Counselor; Y. W. A., Miss Audrey Saunders; G. A., Mrs. O. J. Smith, Sunbeams, Mrs. W. S. Billingsley, also Miss Carrie Bell Barton and Mrs. Junius Huggins, a mother of two R. A. Boys. She spoke on the "Place the Home Must Have in Providing Missionary Education for our Youth."

Hymn: "Jesus Calls Us."

Report of the following Committees were heard:

Hospitality: Thanks to the Valley Hill Church for the many courtesies for the bountiful supper, to our special guest.

Time and Place: The next meeting will be with Balfour Church in 1955.

The Nominating Committee reported.

Obituary: "In memory of Mrs. Gilmer Moody; Fruitland, Mrs. Nannie Blythe, Etowah; Mrs. Mazurie Reckling, Hendersonville; Mrs. I. B. Hughes, Hendersonville."

The following officers were installed by Mrs. J. R. Morgan of Waynesville: Superintendent, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, E. Flat Rock; Asso. Supt., Mrs. Charles Painter, Valley Hill; Sec. & Treas., Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield, Hendersonville First; Young People's Leader, Miss Hannah Brummitt, Hendersonville First; Assistant Y. P. Leader, Miss Carrie Bell Barton, Hendersonville First; Y. W. A. Leader, Miss Audry Saunders, Hendersonville, First; G. A. Leader, Mrs. O. J. Smith, Barnwell.

R. A. Leader, Rev. T. G. Proctor, Shaws Creek; Assistant R. A. Leader, Ray Jones, Fruitland; Sunbeam Leader, Mrs. W. S. Billingsley, Mud Creek; Mission Study, Mrs. J. C. Canipe, Hendersonville, First; Stewardship, Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Saluda; Community Mission, Mrs. William Huntley, Balfour; Literature, Mrs. T. G. Proctor, Shaws Creek; Margaret Fund and Carver School, Mrs. Fred Swift, Hendersonville First; Pianist, Miss Myrtle Bennett; Chorister, Miss Lillian Howell.

Girls Sextet of East Flat Rock sang: "No One Ever Loved Me Like Jesus."

Miss Anna Frances Todd spoke on "Entrusted — Empowered."

The secretary reported more than 200 in attendance.

We could not conclude this report without expressing our sincere appreciation to Mrs. M. K. Sinclair who has served as Associational Supt. so faithfully and well for ten years and should have our best cooperation and prayers.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield, Secretary

Our Beloved Dead

BALFOUR
Mrs. J. W. Erwin
Mrr George Robertson

BAT CAVE
Mr. Theodore Freeman
Mrs. Effie Moore

BEAR WALLOW
Mr. Robert T. Oates
Mr. Plenny Freeman
Mr. Chad Oates

BEULAH
Mrs. Effie Cantrell
Mrs. Minnie Sentell Huggins
Mr. C. G. Revis

CALVARY
Mrs. R. F. Reid

CEDAR SPRINGS
Mr. Joseph H. Capps

CRAB CREEK
Mr. M. S. Patterson
Miss Ellen Stepp

DANA
Mr. W. T. Willis
Mr. E. L. Marshall
Mrs. Lee Hill
Mr. Earl Saltz

FRUITLAND
Mr. J. Q. V. Y. Llda
Mr. J. V. Pittillo
Mr. J. B. Whitaker
Mr. H. W. K. Lanning
Mrs. Reba Moody

GREEN RIVER
Mrs. Rosa Staton Queen

HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST
Mr. Joe W. Anders
Mrs. John E. Bishop
Mr. F. S. Cannon
Mrs. W. F. Dotson
Mr. John W. Duckworth
Mr. Charles Edward Harrelson
Mrs. I. B. Hughes
Mrs. Dora Jackson
Mr. A. R. Karling
Mr. Ralph Martin
Mrs. Mazuri C. Reckling
Miss Betty Ruth Reed

HOOPERS CREEK
Mrs. Emma Garren
Mr. W. J. Youngblood

HORSE SHOE
Mrs. Annie Smith
Mr. James Clayton
Mrs. Mandi Chastine

Our Beloved Dead

JONES GAP
Miss Betty Sentell
Mr. George Leslie

LOCUST GROVE
Mrs. Ethel Baldin

MACEDONIA
Mr. J. C. Gordon

MILLS RIVER
Mr. W. K. Hall
Mrs. Callie Owen

MOUNT GILEAD
Mr. Charlie Briggs
Mr. Alonzo Case
Mr. George G. Hudson
Mr. Paul Allen
Mrs. Bell Lance

MOUNTAIN PAGE
Mrs. Matilda Gordon
Mrs. Louisa C. Ward

MOUNTAIN VIEW
Mrs. Sussie Johnson

MUD CREEK
Mrs. Steve Thomas, Sr.
Mrs. Hattie Campfield
Mr. U. F. Ballard
Mr. J. J. Brian
Mr. R. S. Steadman
Mr. H. P. Reed

OAK FOREST
Rev. Woodrow Wilkie

OAK GROVE
Mr. and Mrs. Rubin Hill

PACOLET
Mr. W. W. Capps
Mrs. E. Hood
Mrs. Ila Rhodes

REFUGE
Mr. J. Hampton Hyder
Mr. Ben S. Justice
Mr. T. L. McCall
Mrs. June Ward

SALUDA
Mrs. R. L. Newman
Mrs. John Robertson

TRYON, FIRST
Mr. Troy Tucker
Miss Dorothy Taylor

TUXEDO
Miss Annie McCarson

VALLEY HILL
Mr. Joe Barnette

WARRIOR MOUNTAIN
Mrs. Nancy Bradshaw
Mr. Charles Foster

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION — HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith	.....	.....	.....
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text. Gen. 35:34
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	C. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Fruitland	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Beulah	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Hoopers Creek	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Connor	J. T. Freeman	Riverside	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Fruitland	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Mt. Gilead	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	W. A. Therrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	E. H'ville	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Pleasant Hill	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	T. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthorne	Salem	K. W. Cawthorne
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mt. Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	E. Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargent	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	E. Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennett	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Mrs. J. L. Redden	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Roy Bennett	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Chas. Vause	H'ville 1st	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Fletcher and	W. W. Worley
....	.....	.....	E. Flat Rock	Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek	O. M. Seigler
....	.....	.....	and Refuge	B. G. Henry
1945	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Horse Shoe	J. N. Shuford
....	.....	.....	and Balfour	L. A. Erwin
1946	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Oak Grove	Wayne Peek
1947	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Mud Creek	Fred Poplin
1948	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	H'ville 1st	Ralph Banning
1949	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Valley Hill	C. E. Scarborough
1950	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Dana	D. H. Daniels
1951	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Refuge	W. C. Huntley
1952	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	East Flat Rock	N. A. Melton
1953	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Mud Creek	Mack M. Goss
1954	N. A. Melton	Mrs. Fred J. Swift	Etowah	W. F. Sinclair

Ordained Ministers — Other than Regular Pastors

Name	Address	Work	Church
Allison, L. V.,	Route 2, Hendersonville	O.E.	Mount Olivet
Barnwell, Horace,	Fletcher	O.M.	Hoopers Creek
Barnwell, Odell,	Fletcher	O.M.	Hoopers Creek
Beddingfield, Grover,	Route 1, Zirconia		Cedar Springs
Bell, Leo,	Tuxedo		Tuxedo
Blythe, C. E.,	Route 4, Hendersonville		Pleasant Grove
Burrell, C. P.,	Tryon,	O.M.	Tryon, Second
Cabe, Harold,	Route 3, Hendersonville	O.M.	Pleasant Hill
Camp, Everett,	Route 3, Hendersonville	O.M.	Berea
Capps, Harley,	Zirconia	O.M.	Mountain Valley
Capps, Judson,	Route 1, Zirconia	O.M.	Berea
Corn, D. R.,	Zirconia	O.M.	Mountain Valley
Corn, Edward,	Zirconia		Tuxedo
Corn, Quay,	Hendersonville	O.M.	Ebenezer
Corn, Sam,	RFD, Hendersonville		Liberty
Corn, Willie			Tuxedo
Crawford, J. M.,	Arden	O.M.	Mount Gilead
Drake, Alvin,	RFD, Hendersonville		Liberty
Earley, M. R.,	Saluda		Warrior Mtn.
Field, Wm. A.,	Asheville	O. I.	Mills River
Gibbs, Albert		O.M.	Liberty
Heatherly, Alfred,	Zirconia	O.M.	Mountain Valley
Hester, B. B.,	Tryon		Tryon, First
Hollingsworth, C. B.,	Rt. 4, Hendersonville	O.M.	Pleasant Grove
Huntley, T. R.,	Balfour	O.M.	Balfour
Jackson, Foy,	Rt. 1, Flat Rock		Upward
Kelley, Edward,	Hendersonville	O.M.	Ebenezer
Lance, M. R.,	Hendersonville	O.M.	Mount Olivet
Livingston, Colon,	Rt. 1, Fletcher	O.M.	Oak Forest
Mainwaring, C. W.	Hendersonville	O. I.	Shaws Creek
McCarson, J. B.		O.M.	Liberty
Merrell, Tommy,	Fletcher	O.M.	Hoopers Creek
Middleton, Thurel,	Fletcher	O. I.	Pleasant Hill
Pace, Luther,	Saluda	O.M.	Saluda
Peek, Wayne,	Asheville		Tuxedo
Purcell, W. J.			Hendersonv'e 1st.
Quinn, R. P.,	Rt. 3, Hendersonville		Valley Hill
Rector, Roy		O.M.	Liberty
Riddle, J. B.,	Rt. 2, Hendersonville	O.M.	Mountain View
Roberts, W. A.		E. O.	Hendersonv'e, 1st.
Robinson, Edward,	Fletcher	O.M.	Hoopers Creek
Smith, Robert			Balfour
Smith, Willard,	Rt. 1, Flat Rock		Upward
Tillman, Jack,	Los Angeles, California	O.M.	Mount Gilead
Thompson, Thomas E.,	Hendersonville	O. 1.	Hendersonv'e, 1st.
Tweed, Luther,	Hendersonville	O.M.	Barker Heights

Wilson, Lacey W., Hendersonville ..... O.M. Barker Heights
Worley, W. W., Box 54, Dana ..... O.M. Hendersonv'e 1st.

Ministers — Denominational Workers

Dr. J. C. Canipe, Secretary of Evangelism, State Convention of North Carolina, 512 First Avenue, West, Hendersonville, North Carolina

Rev. B. G. Henry, Director, Fruitland Baptist Assembly, Hendersonville, North Carolina

Minister Who Has Died

Wilkie, Woodrow ..... Oak Grove

Ministers Ordained This Year

Barnwell, Horace, Fletcher ..... Hoopers Creek
Brooks, Paul, Flat Rock ..... Upward
Howard, Don, Greenville, S. C. ..... Mills River
Jackson, Foy, Rt. 1, Flat Rock ..... Upward
Shipman, Paul, Rt. 2, Hendersonville ..... Liberty
Smith, Willard, Rt. 1, Flat Rock ..... Upward

Ministers Licensed This Year

Name	Address	Church
Bryant, Bill, Fletcher		Fletcher
Gosnell, Lloyd, Fletcher		Fletcher
Jackson, Foy, Rt. 1, Flat Rock		Upward
Levi, Link,		Ebenezer
Robinson, Allison, Rt. 1, Fletcher		Oak Forest
Seay, John		Ebenezer
Smith, Willard, Rt. 1, Flat Rock		Upward
Taylor, Bobby		Ebenezer
Walker, Billy		Ebenezer

Students for the Ministry

Name	Church
Freeman, Rex, Box Jones University, Greenville, S. C.	Calvary
Owensby, Ronnell, Mars Hill College, Mars Hill	East Flat Rock
Pace, Dan, Mars Hill College, Mars Hill	East Flat Rock
Paschall, Floyd, N. Greenville Jr. College, Rt. 1, Taylors, S. C.,	Balfour
Riddlehoover, James, Fruitland Bible In., Rt. 2, Hendersonv'e,	Balfour
Wilkie, Jack, Bob Jones University, Greenville, S. C.	Calvary

Chairmen of Deacons

Church	Name	Address
Balfour	William Mills,	Rt. 5, Hendersonville
Barker Heights	A. Lloyd Connor,	Box 1148, Hendersonville
Berea	Joe Moore,	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Beulah	J. P. Huggins,	Rt. 4, Hendersonville

Cedar Springs ..... James A. Capps, Zirconia
Cross Roads ..... Foy Burrell, Zirconia
Dana ..... Mason Gordon, Rt. 2, Hendersonville
Double Springs ..... Edward Hudson, Zirconia
East Flat Rock ..... D. G. Wilkie, Old Spartanburg Rd., Hendersonville
Ebenezer ..... Virgil Smith, Balfour
Etowah ..... Garland Jones, Horse Shoe
Fletcher ..... T. C. Wilkie, Fletcher
Fork Creek ..... B. W. McCrary, Rt. 1, Saluda
Friendship No. 1. ..... J. S. Holbert, Jr., Saluda
Fruitland ..... H. L. F. Drake, Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Hendersonville, 1st ..... Jonathan W. Jackson, Bx. 157, Hendersonville
Hoopers Creek ..... J. K. Williams, Fletcher
Horse Shoe ..... Falcom Davenport, Horse Shoe
Jones Gap..... Leonard Nelson, Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Laurel Springs ..... Hardy Owenby, Rt. 1, Fairview
Locust Grove ..... Paul Clingenpeel, Rt. 2, Hendersonville
Mills River ..... R. K. Whitaker, Horse Shoe
Mount Gilead ..... E. L. Lanning, Arden
Mount Moriah ..... Albert Hill, Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Mount Olivet ..... D. M. Osteen, Zirconia
Mountain Home ..... W. A. Martin, Edneyville
Mountain Page ..... R. W. Bell, Saluda
Mountain Valley ..... Raleigh Maybin, Zirconia
Mud Creek ..... Thomas Lyda, Greenville Hwy., Hendersonville
Naples ..... Spurgeon Williams, Mountain Home
Oak Forest ..... Cecil Rice, Fletcher
Oak Grove ..... Holbert Crisp, Gen. Del., East Flat Rock
Pacolet ..... Norman Foster, Lynn
Pleasant Grove ..... Jim Drake, Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Pleasant Hill ..... Porter Sosebee, Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Refuge ..... S. W. Bayne, Dana
Saluda ..... R. B. Staton, Saluda
Shaws Creek ..... A. J. Nanney, 1038 N. Justice St., Hendersonville
Tryon, 1st ..... John Moore, Rt. 1, Tryon
Tryon, 2nd. ..... W. T. Cantrell, Tryon
Tuxedo ..... H. J. Lindsey, Tuxedo
Upward ..... Robert Burrough, Rt. 1, Flat Rock
Valley Hill ..... M. J. Banning, Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Warrior Mountain ..... Bane Foster, Saluda
Zion Hill ..... J. C. Pace, Zirconia
Zirconia ..... W. A. Lindsey, Zirconia

Choir or Music Director

Church — Name — Address

Balfour ..... Mrs. Harvey Erwin, Balfour
Barker Heights .... Mr. John Redmon, 114 Blue Ridge St., Hendersonville
Bat Cave ..... James O. Scott, Bat Cave
Bear Wallow ..... Foy J. Wall, Gerton

Berea ..... Cecil Camp, Rt. 5, Hendersonville
Beulah ..... Daniel Johnson, Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Cedar Springs ..... Fred Ward, Zirconia
Crab Creek ..... Lawrence Barnwell, 1211 Cherokee St., Hendersonville
Cross Roads ..... N. W. Maybin, Zirconia
Dana ..... Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Flat Rock
Double Springs ..... Esley Hudson, Zirconia
East Flat Rock ..... D. G. Wilkie, Old Spartanburg Rd., Hendersonville
Ebenezer ..... D. C. Orr, Dana Rd., Hendersonville
Etowah ..... Mrs. R. D. Bruce, Etowah
Fletcher ..... Sidney Moore, Fletcher
Friendship ..... Hubbard Thompson, Saluda
Fruitland ..... J. M. Huggins, Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Hendersonville, 1st. ..... Miss Lillian Howell, Bx. 536, Hendersonville
Hoopers Creek ..... Volley Suttles, Fletcher
Jones Gap ..... Virgil T. Jones, Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Locust Grove ..... Ralph McMinn, Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Middle Fork ..... Mrs. Luther Hill, Gerton
Mill's River ..... Mrs. Glenn Whitaker, Horse Shoe
Mount Gilead .... Mrs. Iona Reece Carland, Rutledge Dr., Hendersonville
Mount Moriah ..... Mrs. Arthur Turner, Edneyville
Mountain Home ..... Roland Jones, Edneyville
Mountain Page ..... Levi C. Pace, Saluda
Mountain Valley ..... Fate Maybin, Zirconia
Naples ..... Elmo Orr, Mountain Home
Oak Forest ..... Mrs. Katherine Ruth, Rt. 1, Fletcher
Oak Grove ..... Rev. Frank Jackson, Dana
Pacolet ..... Stuart Bradshaw, Lynn
Pleasant Grove ..... Daniel Justus, Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Pleasant Hill ..... Sam Sosebee, Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Refuge ..... Taylor Mast, Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Shaws Creek ..... A. J. Nanney, 1038 N. Justice St., Hendersonville
Tryon, 2nd ..... Hulon Jackson, Tryon
Tuxedo ..... Carl Bell, Tuxedo
Valley Hill ..... Fred Mintz, 106 Gibbs St., Hendersonville
Zion Hill ..... Roy Boyd, Zirconia
Zirconia ..... Roy Burrell, East Flat Rock

Pianists or Organists

Church — Name — Address

Balfour ..... Miss Veda Erwin, Rt. 5, Hendersonville
Barker Heights, Miss Jeannette Nelson, 401 Barker Ave., Hendersonville
Bat Cave ..... James O. Scott, Bat Cave
Bear Wallow ..... Miss Oaris Oates, Gerton
Berea ..... Glenn Camp, Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Beulah ..... Bruce Blythe, Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Broad River ..... Mrs. Wade Huntley, Hendersonville
Calvary ..... Miss Ruth Moss, 406 Sub-Station St., Hendersonville
Cedar Springs ..... Mrs. Arthur Osteen

Crab Creek ..... Miss Ann Barnwell, 1211 Cherokee St., Hendersonville
Dana ..... Miss Patricia Bradley, Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Double Springs ..... Clyde Ward, Shepherd St., Hendersonville
East Flat Rock ..... Mrs. J. A. Sinclair, East Flat Rock
Ebenezer ..... Miss Dixie Jackson, Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Etowah ..... Miss Wanda Summers, Etowah
Fletcher ..... Miss Louise Moore, Fletcher
French Broad ..... Mrs. Everett Newman, Hendersonville
Friendship ..... Miss Mildred Thompson, Saluda
Fruitland ..... Mrs. Fred Pressley, Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Hendersonville, 1st., Miss Mary Brooks, 408 6th Ave., W. Hendersonville
Hoopers Creek ..... Mrs. Dale Owensby, Fletcher
Horse Shoe ..... Mrs. Albert Capps, Horse Shoe
Jones Gap ..... Mrs. A. J. Harris, Jr., Hendersonville
Locust Grove ..... Miss Thelma McMinn, Rt. 1, Fletcher
Middle Fork ..... Mrs. Woody Pryor, Gerton
Mills River ..... Mrs. R. F. Brittain, Horse Shoe
Mount Gilead ..... Miss Laura Ann Johnson, Arden
Mount Moriah ..... Mrs. Tom Pryor
Mountain Home ..... Mrs. Roland Jones, Edneyville
Mountain Valley ..... Elmo Corn, Zirconia
Mud Creek ..... Mrs. Dewey Orr, Hendersonville
Oak Forest ..... Mrs. Edith Reed, Rt. 1, Fletcher
Oak Grove ..... Mrs. King
Pacolet ..... Miss Jane Henson, Lynn
Pleasant Grove ..... Miss Lois Wilson, Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Pleasant Hill ..... Miss Wanda Jean Lewis, Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Refuge ..... Miss Betty Garrett, Rt. 1, Flat Rock
Saluda ..... Mrs. Ed Phillips, Saluda
Shaws Creek ..... Mrs. T. G. Proctor, Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Tryon, 1st. ..... Melvin Hipps, Tryon
Tryon, 2nd. ..... Mrs. V. D. Jones, Balfour
Tuxedo ..... Miss Lorie Henderson, Tuxedo
Miss Dorothy Tinsley, Tuxedo
Upward ..... Mrs. Lillie Fair Walden, Rt. 1, Flat Rock
Valley Hill ..... Mrs. Fred Mintz, 106 Gibbs St., Hendersonville
Warrior Mountain ..... Mrs. Ned Anderson, Saluda
Zion Hill ..... Mrs. Robert Freeman, Zirconia
Zirconia ..... Miss Diane Grose, Zirconia

Table A — CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

Churches	Location Rural V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	Clerk: Mrs. Fred J. Swift, 210 Commercial Bldg., Hendersonville Moderator: Rev. N. A. Melton, Route 2, Hendersonville Pastors and Addresses	Baptisms	Other Gains	Total Losses	Resident Members	Non-Resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Revival Meetings	Number Tithers	St. Paper in Budget	Pastor's Annual Salary
Balfour	V	1908	All	W. C. Huntley, Balfour	29	8	14	....	....	502	2	98	...	3120.00
Barker Heights	T	1944	All	Clarence E. Haynes, 414 Stepp St.	15	12	2	....	....	195	1	...	...	3120.00
Barnwell	R	1864	1-3	O. J. Smith, 105 Hall Street	...	...	1	19	5	24	1	...	...	87.47
Bat Cave	V	1892	1 2 3 4	S. P. Stapp, Chimney Rock	3	3	2	70	40	110	2	1	...	.....
Bear Wallow	R	1868	All	John Dickson, Rutledge Drive, Rt. 3	...	...	7	52	16	68	...	20	...	1462.39
Berea	R	1921	All	J. E. Osteen, Kanuga Road	4	2	1	....	....	175	1	...	...	.....
Beulah	R	1820	All	Carl Taylor, Box 105	2	13	7	183	20	233	2	...	...	.....
Broad River	R	1866	All	Wade Huntley, Hendersonville	4	4	...	44	46	90	1	...	...	.....
Calvary	C	1937	All	W. F. Sinclair, 626 Justice Street	13	5	5	....	....	213	2	150	...	3120.00
Cedar Springs	R	1847	1-3-4	J. W. Jackson, Horse Shoe	3	...	1	....	....	.....	...	...	...	890.81
Crab Creek	R	1834	2-4	Richard Pace, Box 105, Flat Rock	...	4	4	102	58	160	...	...	...	389.71
Cross Roads	R	1912	2-3-4	J. E. Osteen, Kanuga Road	6	1	...	....	....	125	1	...	...	459.74
Dana	R	1936	All	W. Silas Bradley, Route 1	5	16	9	69	48	117	1	23	...	2058.17
Double Springs	R	1871	All	Ralph L. Holcomb, Box 53, Tuxedo	...	3	1	....	....	.....	1	...	...	500.00
East Flat Rock	T	1911	2-4	N. B. Phillips, East Flat Rock	19	21	8	325	75	400	1	...	...	3000.00
Ebenezer	R	1817	All	L. K. Holbert, RFD, Hendersonville	14	27	10	....	....	568	2	...	...	5515.00
Etowah	R	1926	2-4-5	W. F. Sinclair, 626 Justice Street	4	8	7	185	44	229	1	...	...	1200.00
Fletcher	V	1838	All	Harold McKinnish, Fletcher	19	6	18	200	64	264	3	10	...	3155.00
Fork Creek	R	1891	1-3	Floyd Bridgeman, Travelers Rest, S.C.	4	3	3	38	30	68	2	...	...	.....
French Broad	R	1789	All	B. G. Henry, Route 2	6	7	...	40	18	71	...	2	*	1200.00
Friendship	R	1834	All	Edd Corn, Tuxedo	13	...	...	....	....	190	1	...	...	.....
Fruitland	R	1875	All	N. A. Melton, Route 2	1	6	5	198	....	198	...	...	...	1600.00
Green River	R	1846	All	No pastor at present	6	9	4	106	27	133	1	...	...	1741.48
Hendersonville, First	C	1844	All	Mack M. Goss, Box 536	42	76	125	1325	422	1747	1	...	...	5600.00
Hendersonville, West	C	1936	All	Roy D. Campbell, Hendersonville	1	4	23	232	....	232	1	...	...	2550.00
Holly Springs	R	1860	...	Darrell Rhodes, Hendersonville	11	3	5	....	....	102	2	...	...	343.39
Hoopers Creek	R	1856	All	J. E. Whitaker, Biltmore	10	12	8	253	....	253	2	...	...	2136.23
Horse Shoe	R	1888	All	Cecil Worsham, Route 2	1	6	11	....	....	184	1	...	...	1610.00
Jones Gap	R	1892	All	Albert Laughter, 110 S. Carolina Ave.	...	...	4	74	....	74	...	...	...	359.80
Laurel Springs	R	....	...	Loyd M. Howell, Box 1183, Black Mtn.	...	...	...	....	....	38	1	...	...	.....
Liberty	R	1911	All	Paul M. Shipman, Route 2	4	5	1	....	....	90	1	...	...	208.00
Locust Grove	R	1898	All	Clyde Fetner, Box 933	21	8	4	140	....	140	1	...	...	619.72
Macedonia	R	1898	1-3	George Flynn, Saluda	3	2	5	....	....	70	2	...	...	300.00

Middle Fork	R	1925	All	Horace Barnwell, Fletcher	...	...	...	....	....	40	1	...	...		300.00
Mills River	R	1835	All	John F. Rymer, Route 2	1	3	9	70	50	120	1	...	...		1400.00
Mount Gilead	R	1883	All	Troy W. Lunsford, Route 1, Arden	17	2	9	....	....	263	1	7	...		2161.44
Mount Moriah	R	1839	All	Ralph Banning, Route 2	20	13	...	222	60	282	2	29	...		3400.00
Mount Olivet	R	....	All	Howard Cabe Balfour	12	7	3	....	....	197	2	...	...		.....
Mountain Home	R	1892	1 2 3 5	J. W. Jackson, Rt. 2, Horse Shoe	6	2	4	....	....	298	2	...	...		1131.45
Mountain Page	R	1789	All	General Beddingfield, Tuxedo	...	6	7	....	....	270	...	...	...		1497.67
Mountain Valley	R	1933	1 2 3 4	H. H. Mace, Route 3	3	4	6	....	....	79	1	...	...		700.00
Mountain View	R	1949	1 2 3 4	Cecil A. Worsham, Route 2	2	4	11	....	....	52	1	15	...		900.00
Mud Creek	R	1804	All	W. S. Billingsley, Rutledge Drive	31	32	19	360	202	562	2	85	...		3370.00
Naples	R	1942	All	Zeno L. Greene, Mountain Home	3	7	5	80	42	122	1	15	...		1715.00
Oak Forest	R	1950	All	J. C. Cartee, Fletcher	2	9	...	70	4	74	2	10	...		1560.00
Oak Grove	R	1875	1 2 3 4	Vincent Cable, East Flat Rock	...	3	5	....	....	.....	1	...	...		.....
Pacolet	R	1916	All	John Allen Tryon	11	5	12	65	130	195	2	...	...		1378.49
Pleasant Grove	R	1912	2-4	No pastor at present	...	2	3	47	105	152	...	7	...		492.00
Pleasant Hill	R	1880	All	Lawrence Rhodes, Route 2	2	8	5	100	25	125	2	20	...		.....
Refuge	R	1837	All	George Roberts, Dana	11	6	9	371	76	447	2	100	...		3120.00
Saluda	T	1882	All	F. M. Huggins, Saluda	4	5	4	133	35	168	1	34	...		2000.00
Shaws Creek	R	1881	All	T. G. Proctor, Route 4	4	14	2	188	271	459	1	...	...		4300.00
Tryon, First	T	1892	All	Henry O. Hearn, Tryon	10	23	10	294	42	336	...	75	*		4200.00
Tryon, Second	V	1924	All	Vergil D. Jones, Balfour	4	2	7	....	....	112	2	...	...		1475.00
Tuxedo	T	1910	All	W. M. Belcher, Tuxedo	14	13	5	240	184	424	3	35	...		3900.00
Upward	R	....	All	George Flynn, Saluda	16	9	1	83	2	85	2	...	...		300.00
Valley Hill	V	1908	All	Paul Lovingood, Stepp Avenue	20	9	16	342	138	480	1	30	...		3900.00
Warrior Mountain	R	1933	All	Harrison Chapman, Lynn	...	...	2	....	....	44	2	2	...		9.00
Zion Hill	R	1914	...	Horace Jones, Box 329 Hendersonville	3	...	1	84	....	84	2	...	...		900.00
Zirconia	R	1953	All	F. A. Paschall, Mountain Home	4	24	5	54	....	54	1	22	...		600.00
Friendship No. 2	R	....	All	Eugene Saltz, Rt. 1, Pisgah Forest	...	...	...	....	....	.....	...	...	...		.....
Totals		....	...	....	463	486	455	6458	2279	12587	76	790		2	91056.96

Table B — THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Churches	Associational Superintendent Roy C. Bennett Box 362, Hendersonville Sunday School Superintendents and Addresses	Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Dept.	Officers	Total Enrolment	Average Attendance	VBS Enrolment	Average Attendance	Jan. Bible Study	Training Schools
Balfour	E. D. Dunlap, Box 33, Balfour	42	31	19	39	52	57	17	140	4	4	405	324	195	182	...	...
Barker Heights	R. L. Glover, Jr., 1422 Old Sptnbg. Rd.	...	...	25	30	30	25	35	35	...	...	180	105	106	86	...	...
Barnwell	Mrs. O. J. Smith, 105 Hall Street	...	3	15	9	5	5	2	14	5	...	58	20	50	38	...	...
Bat Cave	L. E. Meyer, Gerton	...	...	6	6	7	3	15	24	...	...	61	45	29	25	...	...
Bear Wallow	Kelly Owenby, Gerton	...	...	12	...	9	....	8	23	...	...	52	34	....	....	*	1
Berea	Nick Stepp, Route 3	...	...	10	...	38	39	....	22	...	...	109	65	....	....	...	...
Beulah	Carl McCarson, Route 3	...	...	10	8	10	15	30	85	...	...	158	90	55	50	...	...
Broad River	J. C. Ledbetter, Black Mountain	...	...	17	...	7	14	2	35	...	...	75	60	....	....	...	...
Calvary	J. D. Tweed, 814 Kanuga Street	...	12	13	26	29	16	9	56	...	...	161	120	113	68	...	...
Cedar Springs	J. B. Beddingfield, Zirconia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	55	....	....	...	...
Crab Creek	J. R. Bell, Route 3	...	...	13	9	5	12	....	30	...	...	69	47	....	....	...	...
Cross Roads	Niel Jones, Zirconia	...	...	11	...	13	....	17	17	...	12	70	40	....	....	...	...
Dana	Mason Gordon, Route 1	...	7	8	10	14	....	11	34	...	2	86	50	60	53	...	1
Double Springs	Troy Thomas, Zirconia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	....	....	....	...	...
East Flat Rock	R. P. Lockaby, Box 1334, Hendersonv.	36	26	62	51	54	41	44	173	20	1	508	275	130	95	*	1
Ebenezer	E. L. Levi, Fruitland Rd., Hendersonv.	...	18	35	38	34	40	75	130	...	8	378	280	145	140	...	...
Etowah	Garland Jones, Horse Shoe	7	12	38	35	22	30	23	114	8	...	289	119	117	98	...	...
Fletcher	Howard Garren, Fletcher	...	...	35	42	48	53	48	61	...	4	291	173	118	....	...	...
Fork Creek	Mack Rhodes, Route 1, Saluda	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...	72	....	83	71	...	...
French Broad	R. M. Pinson, R.F.D. Hendersonville	...	...	8	...	10	....	15	20	...	2	55	26	....	....	...	...
Friendship	Clifford Ramsey, Saluda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80	60	....	....	...	...
Fruitland	J. C. Justus, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	14	10	12	11	27	20	13	69	...	...	176	115	101	86	*	...
Green River	Alvin Staton, Zirconia	...	4	10	13	14	10	14	51	...	...	116	88	63	53	...	...
Hendersonville, First	C. F. Jervis, 317 Ehringhaus, Hend'r'v.	79	131	83	148	148	113	130	565	185	14	1596	740	320	254	*	2
Hendersonville, West	John Rollins, 715 Jones St., Hend'r'v.	...	...	36	23	24	....	26	68	...	3	180	100	....	....	...	...
Holly Springs	Miss Mollie Pace, Rt. 1, Hendersonv.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	....	....	....	...	...
Hoopers Creek	Frank Huntley, Fletcher	...	...	27	27	28	30	35	55	...	4	206	182	100	94	...	...
Horse Shoe	Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe	...	4	10	4	14	9	17	20	...	...	78	60	39	36	...	...
Jones Gap	T. D. McCarson, Rt. 4, Hendersonv.	...	...	...	13	8	....	7	21	...	...	49	27	....	....	...	...
Laurel Springs	Hardy Owenby, Rt. 1, Fairview	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...	36	....	....	....	...	...
Liberty	Walter Parks, Route 1	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...	40	....	28	....	...	1
Locust Grove	Willard Barnwell, Route 2	...	10	15	10	20	20	11	30	...	...	116	100	68	53	...	1
Macedonia	Raymond Guice, Saluda	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	...	...	60	50	....	....	...	...

Middle Fork	Edward Huntley, Bat Cave	...	...	10	...	6	....	10	14	...	...	40	30	....	....	...	...
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe	...	...	12	10	12	....	12	24	...	...	70	48	65	57	*	...
Mount Gilead	J. P. McCrary, Horse Shoe	...	...	15	9	12	24	22	47	...	...	109	93	70	....	...	...
Mount Moriah	Cl nnie Laughter, Route 1	...	9	10	15	37	23	31	97	...	4	226	118	120	100	*	...
Mount Olivet	Alva Ballard, Zirconia	...	...	18	12	15	18	10	33	...	...	106	95	....	....	...	...
Mountain Home	Loyd Laughter, Edneyville	...	...	20	21	27	18	25	40	...	...	151	87	....	....	...	...
Mountain Page	O. B. Metcalf, Tryon	...	...	30	30	20	20	50	14	...	...	164	110	65	60	...	...
Mountain Valley	D. R. Corn, Zirconia	...	...	9	9	17	13	18	13	...	...	79	58	....	....	...	...
Mountain View	Lonnie Henderson, Dana	...	...	17	...	8	14	....	23	...	...	62	59	61	....	...	...
Mud Creek	Edward Thomas, Rutledge Drive	18	13	18	40	55	40	63	87	22	15	371	246	133	112	*	2
Naples	Elmo Orr, Mountain Home	...	...	25	19	21	18	52	50	...	...	185	88	110	101	*	...
Oak Forest	Odell Lewis, Rt. 1, Fletcher	...	...	25	14	28	32	16	45	...	...	160	85	76	60	...	...
Oak Grove	Francis Mintz, East Flat Rock	...	...	7	...	8	9	12	20	...	...	56	52	....	....	...	...
Pacolet	Buddy Covil, Lynn	...	10	15	15	15	16	12	40	...	2	125	90	....	....	...	...
Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe Etowah	...	...	...	19	10	15	25	12	...	...	81	50	45	36	...	...
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Mary Nix, Edneyville	...	...	20	14	12	15	20	30	...	5	116	85	45	....	...	...
Refuge	Grady Walker, Sr., Route 2	6	...	18	31	54	39	30	122	...	5	305	202	113	90	...	...
Saluda	Nolan D. Pace, Saluda	15	...	21	19	19	12	45	26	25	...	182	98	98	85	...	...
Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, 1038 N. Justice St.	...	25	20	19	43	22	28	131	...	27	315	160	73	70	*	2
Tryon, First	R. B. Scruggs, Tryon	17	30	23	35	44	24	28	131	20	4	356	193	120	120	...	...
Tryon, Second	Donald Hipp, Tryon	7	8	21	6	24	8	18	22	...	...	114	80	70	65	...	...
Tuxedo	Bobby Lewis, Tuxedo	...	...	18	25	27	15	33	109	...	...	227	126	118	96	...	...
Upward	Robert Burroughs, Rt. 1, Flat Rock	...	...	10	10	15	5	8	30	...	...	78	78	47	47	...	...
Valley Hill	M. J. Banning, Route 3	9	4	25	25	42	53	36	132	25	8	359	160	132	95	*	1
Warrior Mountain	Bane Foster, Rt. 1, Saluda	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	...	...	.....	....	....	....	...	...
Zion Hill	....	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	...	7	97	50	....	....	...	...
Zirconia	Jack Dryman, Zirconia	4	2	12	...	9	....	20	20	...	...	67	43	....	....	...	...
Friendship No. 2	Hubert Orr, Rt. 1, Pisgah Forest	...	...	...	...	....	....	....	....	...	...	.....	....	....	....	...	...
Totals	....	254	369	949	949	1474	1005	1228	3204	314	131	10158	6034	3481	2676	10	12

Table C — TRAINING UNION

Churches	Associational Director Mrs. J. M. Huggins Route 1, Hendersonville Training Union Directors and Addresses	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Officers Enrolled	Grand Total	Average Attendance
Balfour	Miss Edna Corn, Box 27, Balfour	5	5	...	15	28	12	22	6	93	60
Barker Heights	L. B. Coates, 308 Sub-Sta. St., City	...	...	10	10	...	10	18	...	48	40
Barnwell	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Bat Cave	Mrs. L. E. Meyer, Gerton	...	...	...	9	5	...	16	...	30	....
Bear Wallow	Mrs. R. G. Bradley, Gerton	...	...	...	2	...	...	10	...	12	8
Berea	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Beulah	Laxton Cantrell, Rt. 3, Hendersonville	...	...	...	20	...	20	17	...	57	....
Broad River	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Calvary	Rex Freeman, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	...	6	4	6	7	3	26	8	60	34
Cedar Springs	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Crab Creek	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Cross Roads	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Dana	Paul Bennette, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	8	...	...	6	5	8	14	3	44	....
Double Springs	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
East Flat Rock	Broadus Phillips, Box 354, E. Flat Rk.	...	...	...	13	...	20	33	2	68	53
Ebenezer	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Etowah	Ansel Jones, Etowah	...	7	12	12	18	16	22	4	91	45
Fletcher	William L. Pearson, Rt. 1, Arden	...	...	6	8	15	10	14	4	57	35
Fork Creek	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
French Broad	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Friendship	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Fruitland	W. M. Maxwell, Rt. 5, Hendersonville	...	10	...	12	9	...	23	...	54	38
Green River	Fred Beddingfield, Zirconia	...	...	10	10	12	...	14	7	53	33
Hendersonville, First	Donald Adcox, Box 305, Hendersonv.	29	25	41	90	67	58	115	6	431	209
Hendersonville, West	Allen F. Cantrell, 1220 Park St., City	...	...	...	16	11	...	15	...	42	40
Holly Springs	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Hoopers Creek	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Charles Capps, Rt. 5, Hender'v.	...	...	...	6	8	9	8	5	36	29
Jones Gap	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Laurel Springs	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Liberty	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Locust Grove	Glenn Barnwell, Rt. 5, Hendersonville	...	...	10	15	15	...	20	...	60	60
Macedonia	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....

Middle Fork	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mills River	R. F. Bryson, Horse Shoe	...	6	...	8	...	8	9	3	34	20
Mount Gilead	C. C. Ballard, Fletcher	...	5	...	...	12	26	27	...	70	35
Mount Moriah	Troy C. Hill, Edneyville	...	...	12	20	21	25	12	5	95	56
Mount Olivet	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mountain Home	Reginald Martin, Edneyville	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75	35
Mountain Page	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Mountain Valley	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mountain View	J. B. Riddle, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	...	9	...	7	12	...	14	...	42	36
Mud Creek	Clayton Croom, Rt. 3, Hendersonville	...	8	10	23	22	17	51	2	133	86
Naples	.....	...	4	...	5	8	...	12	...	29	24
Oak Forest	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Oak Grove	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Pacolet	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe, Etowah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Pleasant Hill	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Refuge	Oliver Mashburn, Dana	...	2	...	12	10	13	16	4	57	57
Saluda	.....	...	...	...	14	...	10	24	...	48	38
Shaws Creek	Finley Pace, Rt. 4, Hendersonville	4	8	6	6	12	30	20	...	86	86
Tryon, First	Clyde Tharpe, Tryon	...	6	...	6	11	12	25	2	62	35
Tryon, Second	Guy Cannon, Tryon	...	...	...	9	9	...	14	...	32	....
Tuxedo	Joseph N. Boone, Tuxedo	...	...	14	10	20	23	39	3	109	61
Upward	Mrs. A. D. Hill, Rt. 1, Flat Rock	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Valley Hill	Mrs. Eugene Spellman, 901 Gibbs St.	...	10	...	12	18	10	20	4	74	47
Warrior Mountain	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Zion Hill	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Zirconia	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Friendship No. 2	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....
Totals	.....	46	111	135	382	354	338	670	68	2104	1300

Note: Table D, consisting of one page only, follows Table G in order to conserve space.

Table E — BROTHERHOODS — GOALS, ETC.

Churches	Presidents of Men's Brotherhoods and Addresses	Brotherhood Enr.	Meetings Held	Y. M. Bro'hd. Enr.	Meetings Held	Total Enrolment	Total Meetings	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Church Debt at End of Year	Co-op Program Goal Next Year	Asso. Missions Goal Next Year	Church Library	Number Choirs	Choir Enrolment	Music Budget	Use Ch. Mus. Mag.	Music Tng. Course	Film-strip Projector	Movie Projector
Associational Brotherhood President Carroll E. Clark Route 2, Hendersonville																				
Balfour	Voyle Massey, Balfour	13	...	...	...	13	...	10000	25000	.....	.....	....	...	1	40	....	...	...	...	...
Barker Heights	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Barnwell	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Bat Cave	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	1500	.....	225	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Bear Wallow	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	8400	.....	75	....	...	...	...	....	...	*	...	...
Berea	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	5000	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	*	...	...
Beulah	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Broad River	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Calvary	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	7000	12200	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	*
Cedar Springs	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	10000	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Crab Creek	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	8000	.....	.....	....	...	1	25	....	...	*	...	...
Cross Roads	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Dana	James Hyder, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	9	...	...	...	9	10	10000	35000	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Double Springs	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
East Flat Rock	Sherwood Shipman, Old Sptbg. Rd., H.	35	...	...	...	...	1	.....	125000	.....	.....	....	*	3	...	....	...	...	...	...
Ebenezer	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	4500	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	*	...	...
Etowah	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Fletcher	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	6000	46000	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Fork Creek	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
French Broad	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	30000	.....	.....	....	...	1	15	....	*	...	...	...
Friendship	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	2	...	....	...	...	...	...
Fruitland	H. L. F. Drake, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	12	...	...	...	12	12	.....	35000	.....	.....	....	*	1	16	....	...	...	...	...
Green River	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Hendersonville, First	Allen Freeman, Box 334, Hendersonv.	75	12	30	12	105	24	15000	550000	.....	22500	600	*	8	215	4810	*	*	*	*
Hendersonville, West	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	13000	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Holly Springs	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Hoopers Creek	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	20000	763	.....	....	...	1	...	....	...	...	...	...
Horse Shoe	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	3000	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Jones Gap	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	6000	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Laurel Springs	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Liberty	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Locust Grove	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	2000	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...
Macedonia	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...

Middle Fork									3000														
Mills River									5000	100	100	25		1						*			
Mount Gilead								6000	26000	2449									*				
Mount Moriah									20000		60	80		1	16								
Mount Olivet																							
Mountain Home									10000														
Mountain Page									10000														
Mountain Valley									7000					1									
Mountain View																							
Mud Creek								35000	80000		500	300	*										
Naples									7600		280	60											
Oak Forest									25000	600	150												
Oak Grove									2000														
Pacolet									5000														
Pleasant Grove									3000														
Pleasant Hill								7500	10000														
Refuge	Carroll Lamb, Davis St., Hendersonv.	25							50000	6750	260	156											
Saluda								5000	11000				*	1									
Shaws Creek	C. H. Barton, Rt. 4, Hendersonville	20							25000		350	120	*	2	30								
Tryon, First	Clarence Scoggins, Tryon	42	12			42	12		163000	25000	14775	240	*	2	40	60	*			*			
Tryon, Second	Julius Brock, Tryon	12	24			12	24		30000														
Tuxedo								15000	40000		1062												
Upward									15000														
Valley Hill	Andy Edney, Rt. 3 Hendersonville	25	12			25	12	10000	25000			200		2	49	100		*					
Warrior Mountain																							
Zion Hill									20000	800													
Zirconia									6000	2874													
Friendship No. 2																							
Totals		268	60	30	12	218	95	126500	1538200	39336	40337	1781	7	28	446	4970	3	7	2	3			

Table F — CHURCH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

Churches	M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock Associational Treasurer Treasurers and Addresses	All Receipts for Year	Total Salaries except Pastor's	Maintenance, Insurance	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses, Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses excluding Pastor's Salary	Pastor's Salary (Money Paid)	Grand Total Local Expense
Balfour	D. R. Lyda, 1701 Clear Creek Rd., Hv.	21948.41	504.00	125.70	194.41	818.02	424.49	275.00		1754.72	18025.34	3120.00	21145.34
Barker Heights	Geo. Redmond, 114 Blue Ridge St., Hv.	5444.25	240.00	174.26		242.18	364.38	50.00	150.00		1220.62	3120.00	4340.62
Barnwell			25.00		10.00	93.35	34.00	16.44			178.79	87.47	266.56
Bat Cave	Mrs. D. T. Freeman, Bat Cave		120.00	120.00	771.81	129.40	254.50	656.57		230.31	2282.59	1000.00	3282.59
Bear Wallow		3413.16		142.52	419.96	92.39	150.68	28.18	385.00	321.90	1540.63	1462.39	3003.02
Berea	Henry Redmond, Rt. 3, Hendersonville				713.77							315.52	
Beulah	Fred B. Wilkie Rt. 3, Hendersonville	2639.84	96.00	268.92		202.66	191.15	86.09		83.71	928.97	1054.51	1983.48
Broad River	Ben Owenby, Black Mountain				77.50	70.50		159.04		195.76	499.80	1227.21	1726.01
Calvary	J. D. Tweed, 814 Kanuga St., Hend'v.	6950.94	467.00	2000.00				534.00	381.00	660.00	4042.00	3120.00	7162.00
Cedar Springs												890.81	
Crab Creek	Lawrence Barnwell, 1211 Cherokee, H.	2325.58	300.00	265.57	393.28	129.51	284.84	9.63			1382.83	389.71	1772.54
Cross Roads	Newman Morgan, Zirconia												
Dana	Herbert Pace, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	5467.04	270.00	515.29	284.78	122.96		55.00		613.35	1861.38	2658.17	4519.55
Double Springs	Eugene Hudson, Zirconia			309.00		35.00		100.00			444.00	500.00	944.00
East Flat Rock	Hugh Morrison, Hendersonville	16113.74	600.00	107.00	3890.01	539.26	412.75	350.00		1092.18	6991.20	3000.00	9991.20
Ebenezer	Miss Margaret Freeman, Hv. Rt. 1		360.00	300.00	3836.00	500.00	547.25	425.00		250.00	6218.25	5515.00	11733.25
Etowah	R. N. Sentelle, Etowah	5641.04	240.00	194.74		424.20	100.00	140.00			1098.94	1200.00	2298.94
Fletcher	Mrs. T. H. Riddle, Fletcher	6438.90	125.00	1239.02		513.82		490.30		535.37		3155.00	6058.51
Fork Creek	Mrs. B. W. McCrary, Saluda, Rt. 1				135.99	4.17		127.88		5.00	273.04	310.00	587.04
French Broad	Mrs. J. D. Hooper, Horse Shoe												
Friendship	Willis L. Holbert, Box 2, Saluda		144.00	610.83		64.00					818.83		
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Rt. 2, Hendersonville			802.12	42.00	3.18	290.00	360.33	976.00	233.55	5447.00	1600.00	6222.00
Green River	Quentin Capps, Tuxedo		120.00	64.00	7752.72	327.27	181.95	221.20	759.91	205.79	11374.32	1741.48	11374.32
Hendersonv. 1st	Allen Freeman Box 334, Hendersonv.	89225.00	11664.00	1200.00	377.00	4531.00	1658.00	595.00		11498.00	30923.00	5600.00	36523.00
Hendersonv. W.	Mrs. John Rollins, 715 Jones St., Hv.	3624.76		22.79		211.34	29.32	39.77		454.21	757.43	2550.00	3307.43
Holly Springs	Miss Annie Morrison, Hendersonville												
Hoopers Creek	Lawrence Garren, Fletcher	4874.21	2737.98			270.00		452.82		1703.78	5165.18	2136.23	7301.41
Horse Shoe	Miss Mary Byrd, Horse Shoe	2201.74		127.00		108.50		20.25			255.75	1610.00	1865.75
Jones Gap	Mrs. M. S. McCarson, Rt. 4, Hend'v.					38.40		20.35		294.46	353.21	359.81	713.01
Laurel Springs													
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville												
Locust Grove	Miss Betty J. Clingenpeel, Rt. 2, Hv.			45.42	449.95	162.88	174.00	87.05		413.59	1332.29	619.72	1952.61
Macedonia	Horace Guice, Rt. 1 Saluda			125.00		25.00		50.00		102.00	302.00	300.00	602.00

Middle Fork	Mrs. Luther Hill, Gerton	.....	.....	.....	225.00	20.00	.....	.....	.....	181.22	426.22	300.00	726.22
Mills River	Clifford Sitton, Horse Shoe	.....	.....	.....	879.44	105.34	79.34	78.36	.....	146.40	1288.88	1400.00	2688.88
Mount Gilead ..	Mrs. O. O. Marlowe, Arden	4840.55	265.00	1216.04	.....	131.86	.....	153.99	512.69	.....	2279.58	2161.44	4441.02
Mount Moriah ..	Mrs. Alvin Dalton, Rt. 1, Hendersonv.	7332.00	1071.10	122.31	400.00	150.86	90.58	280.10	.....	.....	2114.95	2452.74	4567.69
Mount Olivet ...	Herman Tankersley, Rt. 1, Zirconia	.....	.....	133.00	525.00	.....	.....	142.40	.....	.....	800.40	.....	.....
Mountain Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	167.10	.....	58.00	538.43	1131.45	1896.08
Mountain Page .	R. W. Bell, Rt. 1, Saluda	2875.10	90.00	369.55	.....	206.04	183.23	.....	.....	43.24	892.06	1497.67	2389.73
Mountain Valley	Grant Maybin Zirconia	.....	120.00	51.00	1100.00	90.00	33.00	.....	.....	83.00	1477.00	700.00	2177.00
Mountain View .	Mrs. Ben Jones, Duncan Hill Rd., Hv.	.....	120.00	.....	2712.00	95.00	31.08	129.00	.....	137.50	3224.58	900.00	4124.58
Mud Creek	Mrs. Lula Kent, Rt. 3, Hendersonville	28117.92	900.00	1725.99	.....	729.96	630.45	448.00	12188.36	2540.97	19163.73	3770.00	22933.73
Naples	Mrs. R. B. Smith, Naples	5019.13	238.00	35.00	300.00	250.40	137.70	.....	.....	733.31	1694.01	1715.00	3409.01
Oak Forest	Ray Ruth, Fletcher	.....	427.00	.....	1695.35	185.00	150.00	180.00	.....	492.00	3129.35	1560.00	.....
Oak Grove	Holbert Crisp, Gen. Del., E. Flat Rock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pacolet	Elmer Morgan, Lynn	4101.96	.....	.....	.....	116.32	.....	107.18	1177.10	666.21	.....	1378.49	.....
Pleasant Grove .	Richard Hamilton, Rt. 4, Hendersonv.	.....	.....	248.76	.....	107.71	139.22	.....	.....	.....	495.69	492.00	987.69
Pleasant Hill ...	Sam Sosebee Rt. 3, Hendersonville ..	.....	120.00	.....	70.00	156.72	.....	75.00	.....	.....	346.72	.....	.....
Refuge	W. W. Ballard, Box 1055, Dana	11065.64	480.00	409.65	3000.00	444.58	839.83	233.46	644.00	507.27	6558.79	2726.40	9285.19
Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda	11360.07	.....	244.55	75.81	351.62	215.56	276.00	.....	609.67	1773.21	2000.00	3773.21
Shaws Creek ...	J. L. Nanney, 5th Ave., West, Hv. ..	16483.13	528.00	628.63	558.00	563.62	230.50	193.66	.....	.....	2702.43	4300.00	7002.43
Tryon, First	Miss Iris Jackson, Tryon	48873.00	1585.00	582.00	63000.00	1146.00	.....	75.00	65.00	565.00	67018.00	4050.00	71068.00
Tryon, Second ..	Walter Fortune, Tryon	3972.90	300.00	278.68	.....	225.97	82.52	208.10	1040.00	290.06	2425.27	1475.00	3900.27
Tuxedo	James W. Henderson, Tuxedo	10546.66	416.00	130.59	3051.76	700.86	458.15	413.50	.....	344.43	5515.49	3680.00	9195.49
Upward	Few Hoots, Rt. 1, Flat Rock	.....	.....	36.00	145.76	60.00	100.00	111.00	145.76	300.00	598.52	300.00	898.52
Valley Hill	E. C. Stepp 319 Lake Side Dr., Hv.	12472.68	520.00	1488.29	3500.00	485.00	165.58	95.00	.....	971.68	7225.55	3525.00	10750.55
Warrior Mtn. ...	Mrs. Ina Garrett, Lynn	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.00	.....	42.85	.....	9.90	61.75	9.00	70.75
Zion Hill	William R. Jones, Zirconia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Zirconia	Miss Nora Anders, Zirconia	4087.24	50.00	77.73	913.15	103.59	202.00	105.00	1436.00	.....	2887.47	600.00	3487.47
Friendship No. 2	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	....	347456.59	25243.08	16536.95	101500.45	16094.44	8866.05	8482.10	19860.82	29327.54	238355.47	90767.22	320349.69

Table G — GIFTS FOR MISSIONS, ETC.

Churches	Clerks of Churches and Addresses	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Relief, Annuity, Other objects	Total Expenditure for Missions	Grand Total Expenditure for All Purposes
Balfour	Emerson Searcey, Box 156, Balfour	33.65	60.00	329.40	.....	51.69	.....	480.00	50.00	.....	1004.74	22150.08
Barker Heights	Elbert Jones, Box 608, Hendersonville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	240.00	300.00	.....	540.00	4880.62
Barnwell	Mrs. Jane Barnwell, R. 1, Hendersonv.	4.96	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	13.83	5.00	.....	35.79	302.35
Bat Cave	Mrs. L. E. Meyer, Gerton	225.00	.....	30.45	.....	32.50	.....	316.71	41.15	9.50	655.31	3937.90
Bear Wallow	Mrs. R. G. Bradley, Gerton	129.31	41.55	.....	.....	13.00	20.00	185.16	13.00	13.00	415.02	3418.04
Berea	Robt. Fisher Kanuga Rd., Henders'nv.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Beulah	Fred B. Wilkie, R. 3, Hendersonville	210.84	.....	10.42	.....	.....	.....	294.72	28.32	.....	544.30	2527.78
Broad River	Miss Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mtn.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Calvary	Miss Ethel MacMurray, 505 Wms. St.	.....	.....	.....	120.00	264.00	.....	43.42	38.10	.....	465.52	7627.00
Cedar Springs	James M. Capps, Zirconia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Crab Creek	Mrs. Reba Barnwell, 1211 Cherokee St.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	120.00	30.32	18.52	169.14	1941.68
Cross Roads	Wilburn M. Jones, Box 21, Zirconia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dana	R. T. Pace, Route 2	205.43	44.73	20.38	15.00	55.00	.....	144.15	34.01	745.85	1264.55	5784.10
Double Springs	Mrs. Elbert Peace, Zirconia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East Flat Rock	Broadus Phillips, Box 354 E. Flat Rk.	470.00	125.00	208.07	396.45	300.00	803.53	1200.00	406.00	227.75	4136.80	14128.00
Ebenezer	James E. Stepp, R. 1, Hendersonville	.....	.....	.....	547.25	138.00	100.00	360.00	100.00	.....	1245.25	.....
Etowah	Mrs. Henry L. Heatherly, Etowah	.....	.....	50.00	59.20	168.00	.....	447.00	100.00	109.15	933.35	3232.29
Fletcher	W. A. Dunlap, Fletcher	.....	36.81	.....	33.22	.....	.....	191.87	.....	118.49	380.39	6438.90
Fork Creek	Allie Rhodes, R. 1, Saluda	.....	.....	4.50	.....	20.05	.....	14.76	26.00	90.73	156.04	739.08
French Broad	Mrs. S. T. Davenport, Horse Shoe	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Friendship	Willis L. Holbert, Box 2, Saluda	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18.85	.....	.....	.....	18.85	.....
Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, R. 2 Hendersonville	586.46	25.00	35.00	175.00	373.00	111.88	1067.50	150.00	60.00	2583.84	8805.84
Green River	Alvin Staton, Zirconia	.....	.....	.....	.....	420.00	.....	19.20	.....	22.00	461.20	11835.52
Hendersonville, First	F. D. Hills, Box 536, Hendersonville	18164.00	600.00	127.00	532.00	1600.00	.....	1492.00	591.00	1614.00	24720.00	61243.00
Hendersonville, West	W. A. Pressley, 416 First Ave., West	.....	.....	.....	.....	259.52	.....	37.09	60.00	.....	356.61	3664.04
Holly Springs	Odell McKinney, R. 1, Penrose	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....	.....	675.98
Hoopers Creek	Fred Youngblood, Fletcher	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	177.27	243.79	.....	421.06	7722.47
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Oscar Pettit, R. 5, Hendersonville	6.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.00	6.16	.....	19.16	1884.91
Jones Gap	Mrs. V. T. Jones, R. 4, Hendersonville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.00	25.00	6.68	43.68	756.69
Laurel Springs	Miss Peggy Marlowe, R. 1, Fairview	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Liberty	Mrs. Minnie Rhodes, Edneyville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Locust Grove	Wayne W. Brevard, R. 2, Henders'nv.	67.87	10.00	12.00	15.00	11.05	.....	.....	27.00	.....	142.92	2094.53
Macedonia	Wade G. Pace, Box 53, Saluda	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	602.00

Middle Fork	Mrs. R. C. Messer, Bat Cave	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	726.22
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe	119.83	6.31	9.31	23.07	19.98	28.18	305.04	25.00	26.00	563.22	3252.10
Mount Gilead	Mrs. Iona R. Carland Rutlg. Dr., City	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34.00	14.00	.....	48.00	4489.02
Mount Moriah	Miss Inez McKillop, Route 1, Hend'v.	62.40	80.00	25.00	55.50	250.00	50.54	226.72	47.37	.....	797.53	5365.22
Mount Olivet	Otho Tankersley, Zirconia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23.25	.....	23.25	823.65
Mountain Home	Roland Jones, Edneyville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23.00	23.00	1919.08
Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Route 1, Saluda	5.85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	156.32	19.26	28.57	210.00	2599.73
Mountain Valley	J. E. Corn, Zirconia	.....	.....	.....	.....	57.00	.....	182.00	10.00	.....	249.00	2426.00
Mountain View	Mrs. Clara Worsham, R. 2, Hender'v.	9.22	.....	16.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.54	.....	46.26	4170.84
Mud Creek	Ralph E. Osteen, Rutlg. Dr., Hend'v.	417.65	100.00	58.60	201.99	160.00	313.75	937.40	200.00	580.19	2969.58	25903.31
Naples	W. M. Sitton Jr., 623 Higate Rd., Hv.	513.17	42.00	50.00	25.35	27.00	11.50	369.14	34.10	37.10	1109.36	4518.37
Oak Forest	Mrs. Peggy Cartee, Fletcher	.....	.....	.....	36.00	13.45	.....	.....	17.00	75.00	141.45	4830.80
Oak Grove	Mrs. D. R. Crisp, Gen. Del., E. Flat Rk.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pacolet	Miss Rosa Henson, Lynn	.....	.....	32.58	.....	.....	.....	123.11	131.10	19.00	119.00	3940.09
Pleasant Grove	James H. Dalton, Etowah	37.89	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	234.92	35.53	.....	308.34	1296.03
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Ross Sosebee, R. 3, Hendersonv.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.00	10.00	59.00	94.00	.....
Refuge	Miss Pearl Ann King, R. 2. Hend'v.	260.00	102.00	42.83	20.50	37.50	27.00	171.00	63.00	222.40	946.23	10231.42
Saluda	Mrs. E. B. Hall, Saluda	453.20	180.00	112.08	109.50	213.25	10.00	633.07	56.64	131.72	1899.46	5672.67
Shaws Creek	Troy A. Drake, R. 4, Hendersonville	331.76	144.00	131.06	50.91	177.29	.....	129.32	154.13	80.00	1228.47	8230.90
Tryon, First	Mrs. J. W. Taylor Tryon	2303.00	260.00	.....	38.00	37.00	.....	90.00	77.00	.....	2805.00	73873.00
Tryon, Second	William Whitmire, Box 341, Tryon	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	121.50	.....	.....	121.50	4021.77
Tuxedo	W. J. Lewis, Tuxedo	.....	.....	159.00	190.00	380.00	205.00	45.57	232.00	139.60	1351.17	10546.66
Upward	William Kitchens, R. 1, Hendersonv.	.....	.....	.....	85.73	.....	.....	53.00	.....	.....	.....	1037.25
Valley Hill	Miss Avis Mintz, 106 Gibbs Street	35.32	50.00	100.00	128.10	120.00	.....	280.00	100.00	.....	813.42	11563.97
Warrior Mountain	Mrs. F. A. Hipp, Saluda	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Zion Hill	A. E. Taylor, Zirconia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Zirconia	Miss Elizabeth Swann, Zirconia	.....	.....	.....	30.00	65.00	.....	30.00	15.00	.....	140.00	3627.47
Friendship No. 2	Miss Joyce Atkins, Penrose	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	....	24652.81	1907.40	1569.18	2887.77	5263.28	1700.23	11020.79	3559.77	4457.25	56720.76	371458.37

Table D — WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

Churches	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock Associational President Presidents of W.M.S. and Addresses	W.M.S. Units	Y.W.A. Units	G.A. Units	R.A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W.M.S. Enrolled	Y.W.A. Enrolled	G.A. Enrolled	R.A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Total Tithers All Organizations
Balfour	Mrs. George Seigler, Balfour	1	1	1	1	...	4	25	12	22	40	...	99	26
*Barker Heights	Mrs. Joe Goforth, 404 Sub-Sta. St., Hv.	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barnwell	.....	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	6	...	...	6	...
Calvary	Mrs. Jesse Brooks, Rugby Rd., Rt. 5	1	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	...	25	...
Dana	Mrs. Lavada Lyda, Flat Rock	1	...	1	1	1	4	10	...	4	6	5	25	21
East Flat Rock	Mrs. Nora Nanney, East Flat Rock	1	1	1	1	1	5	16	10	12	14	25	77	40
Etowah	Mrs. Henry L. Heatherly, Etowah	1	...	1	...	1	3	35	...	12	...	16	63	19
*Fletcher	Mrs. Ruth Guinn, Fletcher	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
*French Broad	Mrs. B. G. Henry, Box 449, Hender'v.	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fruitland	Mrs. J. B. Rymer, Rt. 2, Hendersonv.	1	...	1	1	...	3	17	...	5	15	...	37	...
Hendersonville, First	Mrs. Albert Durham, 247 5th Ave., W.	1	1	1	1	2	6	209	28	15	18	56	326	126
*Hendersonville, Wes	.....	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
*Horse Shoe	Mrs. Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
*Jones Gap	Mrs. Louise Levi, Jones Gap Rd., Hv.	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Locust Grove	Mrs. Pauline Clingenpeel, Rt. 2, Hv.	1	...	1	...	1	3	8	...	15	...	15	38	1
Mills River	Mrs. R. F. Bryson, Horse Shoe	1	...	1	1	...	3	18	...	5	25	...	48	35
Mount Moriah	Mrs. Thea Smith, Rt. 1 Henders'v	1	...	2	1	...	4	22	...	13	7	...	42	26
Mountain Valley	Mrs. Hicks Maybin, Zirconia	1	...	1	...	1	3	18	...	8	...	7	33	10
Mud Creek	Mrs. Donies Justus, Rutledge Dr., Hv.	1	...	1	1	1	4	22	...	15	15	26	78	30
Naples	Mrs. Lois Orr, Mountain Home	1	...	...	...	1	2	22	...	...	...	16	38	...
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. O. S. Gray, R. 4, Hendersonville	1	...	...	...	...	1	14	...	...	...	...	14	5
Refuge	Mrs. Garland Brown, Rt. 2, Henders'v.	1	1	3	2	1	8	24	22	38	33	37	154	60
Saluda	Mrs. D. W. Pace, Saluda	1	...	1	...	1	3	17	...	8	...	15	40	12
Shaws Creek	Mrs. Hubert Orr, White Pine Dr., Hv.	1	1	1	1	1	5	27	12	17	16	18	87	27
Tryon, First	Mrs. Fred Powell, Tryon	1	1	2	...	1	5	56	17	16	...	23	112	...
Tuxedo	Mrs. O. A. Caldwell, Tuxedo	1	...	...	1	1	3	19	...	...	14	8	41	12
Upward	Mrs. A. D. Hill, Rt. 1, Flat Rock	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	...	...	...	7	...
Valley Hill	Mrs. Charlie Painter, Rt. 3, Hender'v.	1	...	1	1	...	3	43	...	10	19	...	72	16
Totals	.....	26	6	21	13	14	80	644	158	231	222	267	1472	475

*No report.

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Rev. George Roberts, Dana 6275
Jack Johnson, 312 Regal, Hendersonville 5296
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5. Training Union

Director: Mrs. J. M. Huggins, Route 1, Hendersonville 6239
Associate Director: Joe Bennett, Box 362, Hendersonville..... 3968
Secretary-Treasurer: Miss Cora Belle Gillespie, Horse Shoe 2-1803

Chorister: Junius M. Huggins, Rt. 1, Hendersonville 6239
Pianist: Miss Gloria Jane Floyd, 835 Dale St., Hendersonville 4226
Adult Leader: Marshall Watterson, Rt. 1, Hendersonville 6296
Young People's Leader: Frank Neville, Hendersonville 5045
Intermediate Leader: Mrs. Lavada Lyda, Hendersonville 3091
Junior Leader: Mrs. Vergil D. Jones, Balfour 6474
Primary Leader: Miss Vena Case, Rt. 1, Hendersonville 3701
Beginner Leader: Mrs. F. M. Huggins, Hendersonville 2-1530
Nursery Leader: Mrs. W. Albert Hill, Edneyville 7789

Group Leaders

Group 1—Albert Hill, Edneyville 7789
Group 2—D. G. Wilkie, East Flat Rock 7341
Group 3—Ansel Jones, Etowah 5797
Group 4—Mrs. Russell Hazeltine, Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Group 5—O. J. Smith, Hendersonville 3324
Group 6—Vergil D. Jones, Balfour 6474
Group 7—Eugene Jones, Tryon .....
Group 8—Miss Edna Corn, Balfour .....

6. Pastors' Conference Officers

President: Rev. Roy F. Easterly, Tryon ..... Tryon
Vice President: Rev. Paul Lovingood, Stepp Ave., Hendersonville 4026
Secretary: Rev. T. G. Proctor, Route 4, Hendersonville 5539

ASSOCIATIONAL MEETINGS

PASTOR'S CONFERENCE—The Ministers' Conference of the Carolina Association meets each Monday in the Chapel of the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville. The meeting begins at 10 a. m. All pastors are urged to attend.

QUARTERLY MEETINGS—Each fifth Sunday the Association meets at some designated church at 2:30 p. m.

Brotherhood Meetings will be announced by the Brotherhood Presidents. Sunday School Meetings will be announced by the Superintendent. Training Union Meetings will be announced by the Director. Woman's Missionary Union Meetings will be announced by the Superintendent.

DENOMINATIONAL INSTITUTIONS LOCATED WITHIN OUR ASSOCIATION

FRUITLAND BAPTIST ASSEMBLY

The Fruitland Baptist Assembly is located six miles from Hendersonville and is in session from early June through the middle of August. Rev. B. G. Henry is Director.

FRUITLAND BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE

Located at Fruitland Baptist Assembly is the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, a preachers' school, conducted each year, in three six-weeks' terms, October through March, under the direction of Dr. J. C. Canipe.

LIST OF MESSENGERS

BALFOUR—F. M. McCarson, Mrs. F. M. McCarson, Mrs. Fred Henderson, Mrs. W. A. Henderson, Mrs. E. S. Justus.

BARKER HEIGHTS—Harry Barker, Joe Goforth, Arthur Jones, Elbert Jones, Mrs. Junia Floyd.

BARNWELL—Clarence Barnwell, Mrs. Jane Barnwell, Lorraine Cuppen, Leona Lyda, Louise Reed, Mrs. Pauline Farmer, Rev. O. J. Smith.

BAT CAVE—Mrs. Carrie Cannon, Mrs. L. E. Meyer, Mr. William Garvin, Mrs. John Burroughs, Miss Margaret Sumner.

BEAR WALLOW—Mrs. Evelyn Stoner, Mrs. H. J. Oates, Rev. John H. Dickson, Mr. K. G. Owensby, Mr. R. M. V. Merrell.

BEREA—Rev Ernest Blythe, Rev. Albert Laughter, Henry Redmond, Cecil Camp, Gurley Patterson, James Cornnell.

BEULAH—Mrs. J. P. Huggins, Sr., Bill Arrington, Mrs. Bill Arrington, J. P. Huggins, Sr., Mrs. Annie Cantrell, Mrs. E. M. Stewart.

BROAD RIVER—Robert Owenby, Wade Hunterly, John L. Ledbetter, P. C. Searcy.

CALVARY—Mrs. Clyde English, Mrs. W. M. Sparks, Mrs. Jessie Ledbetter, Mrs. A. P. Covington.

CRAB CREEK—Lawrence Barnwell, Mrs. Reba Barnwell.

CROSS ROADS—Joy Burrell, Irvin Jones, Nile Jones, Charles T. Morgan, Wilburn M. Jones, M. A. Morgan.

DANA—Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Mrs. Robert Lively, Mrs. James Hyder, Mr. Knox Hyder.

DOUBLE SPRINGS—Rev. and Mrs. Zeb Brookshire, Elbert Peace, Mrs. Nellie Peace, Mrs. Dorothy Hudson.

EAST FLAT ROCK, FIRST—W. E. Lowe, D. G. Wilkie, Mrs. Glover Clark, Mr. J. A. Sinclair, Rev. N. B. Phillips.

EBENEZER—Rev. L. K. Holbert, Mrs. L. K. Holbert, Ray Allan, John Slay.

ETOWAH—D. E. Hawkins, Ansel Jones, Mrs. R. H. McCall, Mrs. Burnice Roberts, Mrs. Avery Morgan, Mrs. Charlie Sumners, Mrs. Carl Cantrelle, Mrs. D. E. Hawkins, Mr. R. N. Sentelle.

FLETCHER—Mrs. C. S. Bagwell, Bill Bagwell, Mrs. W. L. Dunlap, Mrs. Guy Gasperson, Rev. and Mrs. Harold McKinnish, Mrs. Tom Whitaker.

FORK CREEK—Mark Rhodes, Frank Nash, Andrew Belcher, Bob Pace, Willard Thomas, Mrs. Frank Nash, Mrs. Hazel Lee Belcher, Mrs. Hattie Pace, Mrs. Mack Rhodes.

FRENCH BROAD—Mrs. R. M. Pinson, Mrs. H. E. Rogers, Mrs. J. D. Hooper, Rev. B. G. Henry, Mrs. C. J. Huff.

FRUITLAND—J. B. Jackson, Mrs. J. B. Jackson, J. C. Justus, Howard Sitton, Mrs. Junius Huggins, Mrs. C. D. Pittillo, Mrs. Clara Pace, E. J. Pryon, Curtis Holbert, Mrs. E. J. Pryon, Arthur Pittillo, Celia Garren.

HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST—M. M. Goss, Miss Lillian Howell, Miss Zella Woody, F. D. Hills, M. L. Walker.

HENDERSONVILLE, WEST—J. V. Queen, Mrs. J. V. Queen, Mrs. James Blackwell, Mrs. Henry Leslie, Mrs. Zeb Kilpatrick, Rev. Floyd B. Clark.

HORSE SHOE—Mrs. Georgia Capps, Mrs. Holling Worth, Mrs. Fred Cairens, Ida Davenport, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Lewis Davenport, Lewis Davenport, Mrs. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Pettit.

JONES GAP—Charley Mace, Mrs. Charley Mace, Mrs. Louise Levi.

LAUREL SPRINGS—Hardy Owenby, Carol White.

LIBERTY—Mrs. John Freeman, Mrs. P. B. Connor, Frank Parker, Mrs. Frank Parker, Rev. Paul Shipman, Mrs. Flave Rhodes.

MIDDLE FORK—Mrs. W. A. Pryor, Mrs. Ben Connor, Mrs. Nancy Huntley.

MILLS RIVER—R. F. Bryson, Ruby Lee Holden, Mrs. Jere Brittain, Mrs. Marie Crawford.

MT. GILEAD CHURCH—Paul Bryson, J. P. McCrary, C. C. Ballard, Raif Miller, Ray Crawford, Elbert Lanning.

MT. MORIAH—Willie Enloe, Clannie Laughter, Albert Hill, Mrs. Charles Pace, Mrs. Foy Hill.

MOUNTAIN HOME—Mrs. Louise Jackson, Glenn Jackson, M. A. Martin, Clyde Stepp, Charles Huntley, Nathan Stepp, Weldon Stepp, Mrs. Weldon Stepp.

MOUNTAIN PAGE—O. B. Metcalf, Herman Pace, W. L. Davis, H. G. Jones, Ed Hill, G. H. Burns, R. W. Bell.

MOUNTAIN VALLEY—H. L. Maybin, Harlie Capps, Fate Maybin.

MOUNTAIN VIEW BAPTIST—Mrs. W. E. Heaton, Mrs. George Erwin, Mr. Spencer James.

MUD CREEK BAPTIST—Mrs. Flora Gray, Mrs. W. S. Billingsley, Mr. Lonnie Summers, Mr. Claude Callahan, Mr. Garnett Buckner, Boyce Maxwell, Mrs. A. E. Croom, Mrs. Mamie Orr.

NAPLES—Rev. Paul Chandler, Jr., Mrs. Louise Williams, Mrs. Dora Orr, Mrs. Naomi Smith, Mrs. Mary Ann Dunlap, Spurgeon Williams, Walter Davis, Mrs. Esther Chandler, Mrs. Ethel Smith.

OAK FOREST—J. C. Cartee, Ellard Garren, Peggy Cartee.

PACOLET—Charlie Gosnell, Corrie Covil, Ella Revan, Lettie Foster, Sadie Hudson, Mamie Ruth Foster, Joan Clement, Merica Parker.

PLEASANT GROVE—Mrs. Lathe Williams, Mrs. Robert Wilson, W. H. Gray, Mrs. O. S. Gray, Mrs. James Dalton, Mrs. Earl Gray.

PLEASANT HILL—Rev. L. R. Rhodes, Ross Sosbee, Porter Sosbee.

REFUGE—Rev. George A. Roberts, Merida Marshall, Annie Marshall, Louise Duncan, Daisy Pace, W. J. Ballard, Mrs. W. J. Ballard, Mrs. Brian Ledbetter, Mrs. Charles Holland, Mrs. W. R. Douglas.

SALUDA—Mrs. R. L. Savage, Mrs. R. B. Staton, Mr. Ed Phillips, Mrs. Bessie Pace, Mrs. L. J. Rainey.

SHAWS CREEK—Rev. T. G. Proctor, Mrs. T. G. Proctor, Mrs. A. J. Nanney, Mrs. Bryan Merrill, Sr., Miss Jessie Shipman, Mrs. J. C. Powell, Sr.

TRYON, FIRST—Rev. and Mrs. Roy F. Easterly, Mrs. Byron Rector, Mrs. R. B. Scruggs, Miss Iris Jackson, Mrs. Ella Range, Mrs. J. W. Taylor.

TRYON, SECOND—Mrs. Theodore Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fortune, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cantrell, Rev. Vergil D. Jones.

TUXEDO—George Freeman, Jr., Arthur Stepp, Mrs. Arthur Stepp, Mrs. Carl Bell, Mrs. Polly Cartee, Billy Capps.

UPWARD—Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hill, Mrs. Clayton Ward, Mrs. General Jackson.

VALLEY HILL—Mr. D. H. Kilpatrick, Mr. H. A. Staton, Mr. Russell Hazeltine, Mrs. Guy Sitton, Mrs. Paul Lovingood, Mrs. Dave Halford, Mrs. Eugene Spellman.

ZION HILL—Ray Boyd.

ZIRCONIA—Geo. W. Dryman, Mrs. Edna Dryman, Belle Anders, Nora Anders.

CONSTITUTION

(Mell's Parliamentary Practice Followed)

ARTICLE 1—Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Carolina Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers and pastors of Missionary Baptist churches in Henderson and Polk Counties and other Missionary Baptist churches who wish to unite with them.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members in excess of one hundred. Only the names of the messengers attending the meeting shall be printed in the minutes.

ARTICLE 2—Objects

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for the increasing of mental and spiritual power of the churches, and for developing and directing their energies, their resources and gifts in advancing the Master's Kingdom throughout the entire world.

ARTICLE 3.—Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be Moderator, Vice Moderator, Clerk, Historian, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational M. T. U. Director, all of whom shall be elected by a majority vote at each annual meeting. These officers shall assume their duties at the close of the associational meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall, by fraternal visitation, counsel and advise with churches regarding their work through the year.

Section 3. The Vice Moderator shall preside at the request of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches in the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment. His annual compensation shall be $50.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall have charge of all the funds which may be raised by the Association, of which he shall give an account at the annual meeting.

ARTICLE 4

Section 1. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as from time to time be deemed advisable.

ARTICLE 5

Section 1. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ, and the ordinances of His house as accepted by Missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, by a majority vote.

Section 2. Any church in good standing in this Association may, on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

ARTICLE 6

Section 1. The Association at any meeting may withdraw fellowship from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

ARTICLE 7

Section 1. This Association regards each Baptist church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body for furthering the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity, the preaching of Christian education.

ARTICLE 8

Section 2. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion or resolution of the body, except to amend the constitution which shall require a two-thirds vote of the members.

ARTICLE 9

Section 3. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the beginning of each day and corrected, if necessary. Before adjournment the entire minutes shall be read and approved.

ARTICLE 10

Section 1. The Association shall before its final adjournment, fix a place for the next annual meeting and select one of the ministers of the body to preach the annual sermon.

ARTICLE 11

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of 12 members, six ministers, three laymen and three women, one third of whom shall be elected each year, together with associational officers as members ex officio.

A quorum shall consist of all members of the Executive Committee present after due notice has ben given by card or letter.

2. Program Committee Duties:

A. Work with the committee of the pastor's conference in correlating the programs of the two groups.

B. Assume responsibility for programs for meetings of the Association in which objectives of the State and Southern Baptist Denominational calendar shall be given proper emphasis.

C. Cooperate with the Field Worker or Associational Misionary, the Sunday School, Training Union, and Woman's Missionary Union departments of the Association so as to co-ordinate the Associational work.

D. Arrange for special Associational meetings when desired.

E. Prepare the Association's calendar of meetings and general activities for the year or shorter periods.

3. Mission Committee Duties:

A. Direct and work with the Association's Missionary in cooperation with the State and Home Mission Boards.

B. Survey the field for more effective action.

C. Establish missions where deemed advisable.

D. Conduct revivals when deemed advisable with a pastorless or non-self-supporting churches, or communities without a Baptist church.

E. Organize new churches when and where the Executive Committee deems advisable.

F. Conduct Daily Vacation Bible Schools.

G. Conduct Bible Classes.

H. Conduct association-wide Sunday School revivals.

I. Aid pastorless churches, etc.

4. Finance Committee Duties:

Prepare the Associational budget for proposed work to be done by the Executive Committee through all committees and secure necessary funds to accomplish the proposed programs.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The Association shall convene at 9:30 a. m. on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year.

2. The Association shall open and close with prayer each day. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all meetings of the body.

3. The rules of order may be changed at any session by a vote of majority of members present.

4. That reports be limited to 500 words.

5. All questions of order shall be decided by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE SEVENTY-NINTH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

August 9, 1955

MORNING SESSION

The Seventy-Ninth Annual Session of the Carolina Baptist Association opened at 9:15 o'clock Tuesday, August 9, at the First Baptist Church of Tryon, with the theme of the meeting being "Let Us Go Forward Together." Rev. N. A. Melton, Moderator, presided; Mrs. Fred J. Swift served as Clerk. Mr. D. G. Wilkie led in the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "We're Marching to Zion." Miss Patricia Ann Easterly was at the piano.

Rev. Roy F. Easterly, host pastor, read the Scripture, 2 Kings 2:1-8 and led in prayer.

Rev. Mack M. Goss, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville, presented to the Moderator, Rev. N. A. Melton, a beautiful gavel made from wood of the building of the First Baptist Church, which stood for so many years on the corner of Fourth Avenue, West, and Washington Street in Hendersonville.

The inscription on it reads:

From timbers of
First Baptist Church
Hendersonville, N. C.
1888 - 1955

Mr. Melton graciously accepted it on behalf of the Association.

The election of officers was the first order of business; the following officers were nominated and elected by acclimation there being no other nominations:

Rev. N. A. Melton	Moderator
Mr. M. L. Walker	Vice Moderator
Mrs. Fred J. Swift	Clerk
Mr. M. K. Sinclair	Treasurer
Rev. W. F. Sinclair	Historian
D. G. Wilkie	Chorister
Miss Lillian Howell	Pianist

When mention was made of the fact that Mrs. Swift might be moving in the near future out of the Association the suggestion was made that an assistant be named. The name of Rev. Clay R. Barnes was suggested. No definite action was taken on this matter.

The Vice Moderator, M. L. Walker, called the roll of the churches. Thirty-three were found to be represented at the time of the roll call. The pastors of the Association were recognized and 26 were present.

Visitors were introduced. The following were present, in addition to several others: Professor M. H. Kendall from Mars Hill College, Rev. Bud Smith, President of Wingate Junior College, Rev. C. W. Bazemore, of the **Biblical Recorder,** and Dr. W. K. McGee of the Baptist Hospital.

A brief digest of the Church Letters was presented by Mrs. Fred J. Swift, Clerk, copies of which had previously been distributed to the messengers. A word was brought by Rev. A. T. Howard, newly elected pastor of the Cross Roads Church, who made note of the fact that this church had voted to contribute regularly to the Cooperative Program.

The following reports were presented:

TRAINING UNION—Mrs. J. M. Huggins.
HOME MISSIONS—Rev. O. J. Smith.
SUNDAY SCHOOL—Mr. Roy C. Bennett.
MUSIC COMMITTEE—Miss Lillian Howell.
BAPTIST HOSPITAL—Dr. W. K. McGee, Hosp. Representative.

All reports were accepted as read and will appear as such in the printed **Minutes** of the Carolina Association.

The audience stood to sing the hymn, "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus."

Several additional visitors were introduced, including Dr. M. A. Huggins and Mr. W. C. Reed.

The report on State Missions was read by Rev. John F. Rymer, which report was adopted and will appear as presented in the **Minutes.**

Dr. M. A. Huggins, General Secretary, Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, spoke on "Let Us Go Forward Together in Our State." As he spoke on working and giving together in our State, where there are 3,107 churches, he expressed the hope that North Carolina Baptists would give next year through the Cooperative Program $3,000,000, plus $2,400,00 through special offerings. Now there are 3,107 Baptist Churches in North Carolina. By 1960 we hope to have 3,600 Baptist churches. The Cooperative Program, he said, is a **plan** and a **program.** Through it we give to all causes mentioned in the Great Commission.

A beautiful solo was presented by Miss Ann Moon; Melvin Hipps was her accompanist.

At the regular business session Mr. M. K. Sinclair, Associational Treasurer, gave the annual financial report. It was approved as it appears in the printed **Minutes.**

Rev. F. M. Huggins gave the report for the Committee on Committees, and moved the adoption of the report; Rev. Paul Lovingood seconded the motion and it was accepted as follows:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES

Executive Committee

One Year Term

Rev. Vergil D. Jones — H. L. F. Drake
Rev. Harold McKinnish — Mrs. O. J. Smith

Two Year Term

Rev. N. A. Melton — Rev. N. B. Phillips
Rev. H. O. Hearn — Miss Zella Woody

Three Year Term

Rev. Roy Easterly — Mrs. T. G. Proctor
Raleigh Maxwell — John Sinclair

These form the Executive Committee along with associational officers, members ex officio.

Missions Committee

To remain as it is with members as follows:
Chairman, Rev. Mack M. Goss

Rev. George Roberts — M. L. Walker
Mrs. D. G. Wilkie — Rev. B. G. Henry

Finance Committee

To remain as it is with members as follows:
Chairman, Roy Huggins

M. K. Sinclair — F. D. Hills
R. N. Sentelle — M. J. Banning

Program Committee

Moderator, Rev. N. A. Melton — Miss Lillian Howell
Rev. Clay R. Barnes — Mrs. A. L. Summers

Reception of New Churches

To remain as it is with members as follows:
Chairman, Rev. W. C. Huntley

W. G. Egerton — Rev. N. B. Phillips

Standing Committee Chairmen to Report in 1956

State Missions ..... Mrs. M. L. Walker
Home Missions ..... Rev. L. J. Rainey
Foreign Missions ..... Rev. T. G. Proctor
Christian Education ..... Rev. Wade Huntley
Orphanage ..... Mrs. O. J. Smith
Hospital ..... C. F. Jervis
Home for Aging ..... Rev. F. M. Huggins
Christian Literature ..... Rev. W. C. Billingsley
Relief and Annuity ..... Rev. Mack M. Goss
Sunday Schools ..... Roy C. Bennett
Training Union ..... Mrs. J. M. Huggins
Woman's Missionary Union ..... Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
Temperance and Public Morals ..... Rev. Paul Chandler, Jr.

Other Committee Chairmen

Evangelism ..... Dr. J. C. Canipe
Stewardship ..... Rev. M. L. Lewis
Brotherhood President ..... Carroll Clark
Junior Brotherhood President ..... Frank Neville

Music Officers

To remain as they are with members as follows:
Associational Director: Miss Lillian Howell
Adviser: Rev. N. A. Melton
Pastor Adviser: Rev. John Rymer
Chairman in Charge of Congregational Activities: D. G. Wilkie
Chairman in Charge of Training: Junius Huggins
Chairman in Charge of Instrumental Musical Activities: David Huff
Chairman in Charge of Promotion and Publicity: Odell Scott
Chairman in Charge of Group Choirs: A. L. Summers

Special Committee on Transfer of R. A. from Woman's Missionary Union to Brotherhood

Carroll Clark, Frank Neville, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, T. G. Proctor, and W. G. Egerton.

Recommendations for State Mission Board Representative

Rev. T. G. Proctor, Mr. John Sinclair

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. F. M. Huggins, Chairman
Rev. W. S. Billingsley
Rev. W. C. Huntley
Mrs. O. J. Smith
Mrs. T. J. Proctor

Mr. Melton appointed the following committees:

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS—Rev. J. L. Rainey, Rev. W. C. Huntley, Rev. Floyd Clark.

COMMITTEE ON TIME, PLACE, PREACHER—Rev. W. C. Billingsley, Rev. M. L. Lewis, Rev. R. N. Sentelle.

Following the lunch announcement made by Rev. Roy F. Easterly, an inspiring and well given Sermon on "Our All Sufficient Saviours," was preached by Rev. R. A. Banning, pastor of the Mount Moriah Church. Just prior to his sermon, Mr. Banning called on Rev. Paul Lovingood, alternate preacher to read the Scripture.

We have an adequate and all-sufficient Saviour, said Mr. Banning, 1. In our atonement. 2. As Mediator and High Priest, and 3. In His Second Coming and His Kingdom. The benediction closed the session.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Mr. A. L. Summers, Music Director, of the Mud Creek Church, led in the singing of the following hymns at the afternoon session: "O Worship the King", "I Am Thine, O Lord".

Rev. L. J. Rainey, pastor of the Saluda Church read the Scripture and led in prayer. This was followed by the hymn "Speak to My Heart."

Mrs. Avery Morgan, Committee Chairman to prepare and read the report on "Christian Education", made a motion that her report be printed in the **Minutes** and the time for the reading of the report be given to the College representatives present. This was so ordered, and the Moderator turned the time over to Mr. Claude Gaddy, Director of Christian Education among Baptist of North Carolina. He introduced and gave time to the following speakers, after a few brief introductory remarks:

Professor M. H. Kendall, of Mars Hill College
Dr. Bud Smith, President of Wingate Junior College
Mr. Lawson Allen, Vice President of Gardner-Webb College

The audience joined in singing, "Work for the Night Is Coming."

Mr. John Sinclair read the report on the Baptist Orphanage and it was approved as read and as it appears in the printed **Minutes.** Mr. W. C. Reed, Superintendent of the Children Homes of North Carolina, spoke to the report, giving interesting and vital facts on the ministry of Baptists to children of North Carolina.

Mr. W. B. Sinclair presented a report on the Homes for Aging in North Carolina, Dr. J. M. Hayes, Superintendent of such homes, was present to speak of these.

Miss Lillian Howell effectively sang the spiritual, "I Want Jesus to Walk with Me as We Go Forward Together."

Some remarks on Temperance and an appeal for some financial help through churches and from individuals was made by Rev. R. M. Hause, representative of the Allied Church League, an organization through which churches of all denominations work for the furtherance of temperance and improvement of public morals.

Rev. Paul Lovingood gave the report on Christian Literature and remarks were made by Rev. C. W. Bazemore, of the **Biblical Recorder.** He spoke on "We Must Publish the Good News."

Mr. Jack Bagwell, now an associate in the State Sunday School Department, was introduced and spoke briefly.

A motion was made by Rev. Mack M. Goss, and approved by the Association that the Resolutions Committee express in writing a word of appreciation to the **Times News** and the **Western North Carolina Tribune** for their help in the publicity incident to the successful campaign to vote out Beer and Wine in Henderson County.

The report on Ministers' Retirement was made by Rev. Mack M. Goss, who serves as a member of the Retirement Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

In the absence of Rev. W. F. Sinclair, who was to give the report on History of the Association, it was voted and approved that such report would appear in the **Minutes.**

For the Resolutions Committee, Rev. L. J. Rainey gave an oral report, which was to later appear in writing in the **Minutes.** This was approved together with a motion that thanks be given to the Host Church, Tryon, First.

The Committee on Time, Place, and Preacher reported as follows:

TIME—Tuesday after the first Sunday in August, 1956 (August 7, 1956).

PLACE—Valley Hill Church, morning and afternoon sessions Fruitland Church, night session.

PREACHER—Dr. J. C. Canipe; Alternate, Rev. T. G. Proctor.

QUARTERLY MEETING PLACE—Dana Baptist Church, October 30 ,1955.

Mr. Plemmons, former Missionary of the Association, was present and spoke briefly. He led the closing prayer.

NIGHT SESSION

The night session, held at the First Baptist Church of East Flat Rock, opened with the singing of "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story" led by Mr. D. G. Wilkie, with Mrs. John Sinclair at the organ and Mr. David Huff at the piano. This was followed by "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms."

Scripture from Ephesians 4 was read by Rev. O. Lee Gregory of the Bat Cave Church, followed by prayer.

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Associational W.M.U. Superintendent, made a motion that her report to the Association not be read, but printed in the **Minutes** as written, and that time allotted be given to the speaker of the evening. Rev. Roy F. Easterly seconded such motion, and it was so ordered.

M. L. Lewis made a motion that the Brotherhood report also be printed in the **Minutes.** Motion carried.

Rev. W. S. Billingsley read the Foreign Mission Report and it was accepted by the Association as read and as it appears in the printed **Minutes.**

"Lead Me Gently Home" was beautifully sung by the choir of the First Baptist Church of East Flat Rock.

Rev. Mack M. Goss introduced the speaker of the evening, Rev. James Bowers, of the First Baptist Church of Greenwood, South Carolina, and also asked for a word from and introduced the brother of the speaker, Mr. Robert Bowers of the Texas Foundation.

Rev. James Bowers brought a challenging message on "Missions." "Evangelism" he said "is the very core of Missions. Everyone of us is called of God to be a Missionary to share the Gospel. Missions is carrying the spirit of Christ. Missions is sharing with others something God has given us. Missions is simply the expression of my love for Christ."

Announcement was made of the Associational Hymn Sing to be held at the Mud Creek Baptist Church, August 18, and of the School of Music to be held September 12 to 16 at the First Baptist Church of East Flat Rock.

The song, "We'll Work 'Til Jesus Comes" was sung.

The Resolutions Committee had its report read by Rev. L. J. Rainey.

Rev. Mack M. Goss read the report on Associational Missions and the following Resolutions mailed to him from the Rowan Baptist Ministers Association:

Resolutions of Appreciation for Brother Clay R. Barnes

By the Rowan Baptist Ministers Association

Whereas, the work of the Oakdale Baptist Church progressed in a fine way under the leadership of Brother Clay Barnes, which was evidenced through growth in membership, expansion in building facilities, and in the church organization, and

Whereas, he has served ably in the association as moderator, as well as in other official capacities,

Therefore be it resolved: First, that we, the ministers of the Rowan Association, herein express our gratitude for all the good the Lord wrought through Brother Barnes during the years that he labored in our midst.

Second, that we commend him to the ministers and constituency of the Carolina and Transylvania Associations where he takes up his new work as associational missionary.

Third, that we pray God's blessings upon him in his new field of labor, to the end that good success may crown his efforts, and that he may be used of the Lord for the salvation of many souls.

Fourth, that a copy of these resolutions be mailed to the pastor of the church where Brother Barnes shall place his membership, and that copies be mailed to the moderators of the associations in which he shall serve.

Respectfully submitted,
R. O. Brinkley
J. A. Richardson
R. N. Huneycutt

He made a motion that these resolutions be included in the **Minutes.**

Rev. Paul Lovingood seconded the motion and it was so ordered.

Mr. Goss introduced the feature of the evening which was the presenting of colored slides by Mr. John Sinclair of every one of the sixty-one churches of the Carolina Association, together with a picture of the old Mt. Zion church building now in a state of decay. As each church picture was shown the pastor of the church or some representative was asked to stand in the light and be introduced. This feature was most impressive. It lent much to the spirit of the night session.

Motion was made at the close of the session that the story of the Gavel, presented in the morning session, be made a part of the Minutes. Motion was seconded by Rev. F. M. Huggins, and the Association so ordered.

Rev. F. M. Huggins led the closing prayer.

REPORT OF THE CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MISSION COMMITTEE

Brethren:

This report covers about 7 months work for the current administration of Field Worker Barnes, who came to us Jan. I, 1955, and the work of the Committee in securing the services of Mr. Barnes.

First, let it be said, the committee feels most fortunate in being able to bring to you a man of the stature of Bro. Clay Barnes, who has been a successful pastor for about two decades.

Second, the work of Mr. Barnes, and his efficient helper, Mrs. Fred Swift. It would be impossible to compress in this brief report a catalogue of their labors.

It is of interest to your committee that there have been several more meetings than days since Mr. Barnes came to us. He is in the midst of every worthy Associational work. We are grateful to him for many effective works, but in no area are we more indebted than in the recent beer-wine election. With Mr. Biggerstaff, our Baptist representative on the Federated Forces staff, and Mr. Hauss, Mr. Barnes, planned and administered an effective campaign for the voting out of beer and wine. From the Associational office a schedule was affected for Brother Sheldon Jones who spoke in our churches during the campaign. Advertisements for the press were prepared that spoke to the point.

Mr. Barnes travels 2,000 miles a month, attending meetings, guiding, helping, and we are grateful for his leadership.

A word of thanks to you from the churches for the fine way you are supporting, financially, this program.

Mack M. Goss, Chairman

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL 1955 REPORT

Our Baptist Hospital fills an important place in the life and work of North Carolina Baptists. It will probably serve 50,000 patients this year, touching every area of our State.

In addition to this great host of sick people, our hospital provides an educational program for more than 450 young people who are in training to become nurses, doctors, technicians, pastors and other Christian workers.

The Department of Pastoral Care provides Christian counseling and guidance for the patients, students, hospital staff and personnel, as well as hundreds of others who come to the hospital from over the State for this purpose alone.

It is not easy to estimate the value of these and other services rendered by our hospital to multiplied thousands of people of all ages in the fields of health, education, and spiritual guidance.

The cost of carrying on this program for such a multitude of people is tremendous—more than two million dollars a year. One-half million dollars of this is spent in helping to care for sick people who are not able to pay for the service they need. We are grateful to God for the privilege of sharing in such a work, and we want to thank the Churches of our Association for their part in it.

The opportunities for Christian service and witness through our hospital are truly great. We need to give it a much more generous support through our Mother's Day offerings and the Cooperative Program.

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The Carolina Association Brotherhood was well represented at the Regional meeting held at Canton First Baptist Church.

Carolina Association was host to two conference meetings: one held at the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville on "Brotherhood and R. A. Work." This was a joint meeting with the Woman's Missionary Union. A committee was appointed from the group to work out a program for the joint sponsorship of the R. A.'s. The other meeting was held at Fruitland Assembly. Here the Brotherhood voted to accept the responsibility of erecting a pool for boys at Fruitland.

Men attending the Conference at Ridgecrest on the part that Brotherhood can have in the work of boys, were certainly inspired.

Two new Brotherhoods have been organized in the past year.

It has been and will continue to be our utmost desire to seek to enlist more men through the Brotherhood for Christian work. Urging you at all times to call upon us for the help we can offer.

Respectfully submitted,
Carroll E. Clark, President

REPORT ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

People no longer question the need for knowledge and true education. One of our basic Baptist principles is the belief in the individual's competency to seek and know the will of God for his life. We believe that God's will for one's life will be revealed by a study and understanding of the Bible. "Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path." (Ps. 119:105).

No one would minimize the importance of Christian training in the home in the process of education. We observe the fruits of Christian education in our best homes. Our churches seek trained men and women for leadership. Not only our churches, but all departments of our denomination are dependent upon trained men and women. Our foreign mission board insists that future missionaries secure the best training possible in colleges and seminaries.

Baptists believe that Christian education is a vital part of all that they undertake to accomplish. To this end, Baptists established schools, colleges, and seminaries for the purpose not only of supplying Christian leadership but also of giving a formal education which will lead to a life of greater service.

North Carolina Baptists have five junior colleges and two senior colleges. The following facts about each school will show how our program is growing.

Mars Hill, widely recognized for thorough scholarship and high social standards, enrolled 953 students with 259 graduates. Mars Hill will begin its 100th year in September.

Campbell College enrolled 610 last year. There were 140 graduates. It is significant that there has been a steady increase in the enrollment of the regular students and in the summer school.

Wingate College enrolled 325 young men and women, one third of whom were dedicated to full-time Christian service.

Gardner-Webb, Boiling Springs, had 454, with 76 graduates.

Chowan College, Murfreesboro, is rendering a great service to that section of our state by offering special training in printing. Many young men are receiving training for this vocation, and for Christian leadership.

Meredith College for Women had a graduation class of 104 out of a student body of 674.

Wake Forest is in a great building program on the new campus at Winston-Salem. There is still much to be done, but they expect to be in the new location by June, 1956. In a student body of 1896, there were 387 graduates.

Here in North Carolina in our seven colleges we have a total enrollment of approximately 6,000 young people, 750 of whom are training for the ministry and full-time mission service. In 1955 our Cooperative Program budget is expected to provide $945,146, or an average of a little more than $150 per student for both operating and capital purposes.

Executive Secretary R. Orin Cornett of the Education Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention reports that the total enrollment of regular students in Southern Baptist schools and colleges reached an all-time high of 50,000 during 1954-55. Of greater significance than the total enrollment is the increase over 1953-54, which was 6% in the seminaries, 16% in the senior colleges, and 17% in the junior colleges. By comparison college enrollment for the United States as a whole increased by 10%.

While we are encouraged by the great work our Baptist schools and colleges are doing, yet there is much to challenge us to still greater efforts. We are reminded that far too small a share of Southern Baptist in college are in our own colleges (18.7%).

Our colleges are our bulwark, and when we have truly Christian Education we are going to have true Christian leaders for tomorrow.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Avery Morgan

REPORT ON FOREIGN MISSIONS

August 9, 1955

In the early part of the nineteenth century, Baptist, were prompted to cooperate in world missions. When three congregational missionaries in India became Baptist and began to look to Baptist in America for help.

When Rice returned to Boston to tell his story, a missionary society was formed to care for the Judsons, and to support Rice as he visited among the Churches to create interest in foreign missions. On the whole, he and the cause he pleaded for were well received. Baptist began to understand what Jesus meant by the great commission found in Matt: 28: 19 & 20. When Jesus said, "Go ye therefore and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost." "Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and lo, I am with you alway even unto the end of the world."

We must lift up our eyes to catch a vision of the world for God. We must not just see our own community but the world. It is never here only, it is alway here and out yonder, the world. Perhaps our present day weakness is that we are arguing from the world back to missions. We must turn to the Bible. Then surely, the best argument for world missions is not world need but what God's Word says about it.

In the word of God we find our vision. "The field is the world." The world was constantly on the lips of Jesus. Every thing he said was to make us see that the world should be our vision. That vision changes life.

The late M. Theron Rankin in one of his final pieces of writing had this to say of missions: "We have never made an approach to the world that can be more convincing than the sending of missionaries, who, in the name of Christ, lose themselves and bury their lives among the people to whom they go; Missionaries who live and serve along with the people, who speak their language, who acquire the capacities

for sympathy for their miseries and human hungers and who learn to love them personally and individually. If God could have saved the world by remoteness, by remaining separated from man, would he have incarnated himself in human form and become in fashion as a man to live among men as one of them?"

At the present there are more than one thousand Southern Baptist Missionaries serving in thirty-five countries. On the mission field we have eight hospitals, about five hundred schools, and more than two thousand Churches.

In 1953 twenty thousand three hundred and twenty-six were baptized on our mission fields.

Respectfully submitted,
W. S. Billingsley

HISTORIAN'S REPORT

Many remarkable changes have taken place in our churches during the past few years. Only a few short years ago, there were three full time churches in the Association. At present there are at least thirty-six full time churches, with a growing number of pastors living in parsonages.

Balfour church is erecting a modern church building. Barker Heights has graded off the ground for a larger house of worship. Bat Cave has gone to full time. Bear Wallow has added several class rooms as well as landscaping the grounds around the church. Broad River has gone to full time and has excavated under the church house and has several class rooms. East Flat Rock has added several new class rooms to their church, and pastor N. B. Phillips has just rounded out thirty years there as pastor. Fruitland church has added a belfry to their modern church. Horse Shoe has gone to full time. Mills River has added several new class rooms. Mt. Gilead has installed beautiful memorial glass windows in their church. Mt. Moriah has built a new parsonage. Oak Forest has a new house of worship. Tryon First church where the Association recently met has a beautiful new house of worship. Shaws Creek has some new class rooms. Naples has bought a tract of land where they will soon erect a new house of worship. The old First Baptist church in Hendersonville has been torn down, and a modern building will go up there. Perhaps many other things could be added that would be of interest to the readers of this report. For example, larger and better graded Sunday schools, Training Unions, more study courses, larger gifts to world-wide missions. We are sure that a study of the statistical report will show these things.

W. F. Sinclair, Historian

REPORT ON HOMES FOR THE AGING

The North Carolina Baptist Homes for the Aging began their fifth year of operation March 16, 1955. This has been a year of encouraging progress. Both Homes—Resthaven and Albemarle—have had a continuing waiting list of applicants. As soon as a vacancy occurs there are far more applicants for admission than can be accepted.

This year will be remembered as one of notable enlargement of facilities. Construction of the Administration and Residential Building, costing $300,000, will get under way, and it should be completed by this time next year. The new building will provide office facilities, dining room, kitchen, chapel, infirmary, recreational and handicraft space, and rooms for forty additional residents, thus raising the total capacity of the Homes to 95 residents.

Two-thirds of the cost of the new building is now in hand, counting the value of real estate turned over to the Homes. Personal and corporation gifts are being received which will further add to the amount on hand.

Memorial gifts may be made in the following ways: A gift of $300 will furnish a room; $1000 will endow—furnish and maintain—a room; $3000 will pay the cost of building a room. In either case, a memorial plaque, bearing the name of the donor and the name of the person memorialized, or honored, will be placed on the door of the room.

Increasing support on the part of our churches and denominational program gives great encouragement. So far this year, our Special Day Offering has reached almost $75,000.

Twenty-six churches in the Carolina Association made contributions to the Special Day Offering this year to the amount of $918.06, and it is hoped that these and the other churches in the association will either include the Homes in their church budget or observe the Special Day offering the third Sunday in February, to help in ministering to the increasing number of our aging friends who need the services of our Homes.

What finer way is there to express our love for Christ than to remember the lonely and aged in providing a Christian haven of rest for them in their twilight days?

The staff and residents of our Homes are most grateful for the prayers and support of our friends.

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. Sinclair

HOME MISSION REPORT

The Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention was organized in 1845 for the purpose of preaching the gospel in places where there were no organized local churches.

This Board is spreading the message of Christ's love in cooperation with state conventions in twenty-two states, fourteen states through neighboring State Conventions, the Canal Zone, Cuba and Alaska. It does not only have a large territory to serve but also a large population. It ministers to every type of need of any individual. The migrants, of whom eighty-five per cent are unchurched, the Negroes, Indians, Jews, French, Italians, language groups, the armed forces, and all nationalists that live within the boundaries of our own homeland. A program of Evangelism is carried on throughout the entire territory.

The Home Board has provided money to help build 11,553 churches this period of time, which is more than one-third of all the churches in the Convention.

The present missionary force is 954 and should be increased 20%.

93.6% of every Home Mission dollar goes directly to Home Mission service, and only 3.7% go to administrative and office expenses.

The work of this board goes forward in proportion to our prayers and gifts. Let us pray that our people will give freely and that our young people will answer the call to this mission work.

The Home Mission Board seeks to know God's will in the appointment of missionaries.

More than 200 new missionaries were appointed last year.

Matthews 9:35, and Jesus went about all the cities and villages teaching in their synagogues and preaching of the Kingdom, and heal every sickness and every disease among the people.

Matthew 11:5, the blind receive their sight, and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, and the deaf hear, the dead are raised up and the poor have the gospel preached to them.

Respectfully submitted,

O. J. Smith

REPORT OF THE ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC COMMITTEE

An Associational School of Music was held in the First Baptist Church, September 12-16, 1954. At the conclusion of the school the Associational Music Committee was elected or recommended, and then elected at the next quarterly associational meeting. The committee members were active in the following activities during the remainder of the associational year:

The Associational-wide Carol Sing held at the Henderson County Courthouse December 22, 1954.

The Evangelistic Rally held in the First Baptist Church, Hendersonville, April 3, 1955, in preparation for the simultaneous revivals; the committee planned with others for this rally and conducted a thirty minute song service at the beginning of the rally. Actually they presented a sermon in song before the speaker was presented.

Members of the committee: N. A. Melton, Lillian Howell, John F. Rymer, David Huff, Junius Huggins, D. G. Wilkie, Vanita Lyda, J. O. Scott.

Lillian Howell
Director of Music Education
Carolina Baptist Association

REPORT ON OUR BAPTIST ORPHANAGE

Some of the simplest and yet some of the greatest truths that Jesus gave us were based on what He said about children. In Mark 10:14-15 He said: "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not; for of such is the kingdom of Heaven. Verily I say unto you, whosoever shall not receive the kingdom of God as a little child, he shall not enter therein."

The child is a gift of God. The child is the picture of innocence. The child has faith. The child believes simple truths.

Our Baptist Orphanage is next to the best thing that our children could have, since they have lost, through no fault of their own, the home and the love and care of their real father and mother. Every child is given special attention at our Baptist Orphanage. Every child is given, as nearly as humanly possible, the love, care and training that is needed in moulding and making a life that will go out into society; and in hundreds of cases, they make better citizens, better Christians and better parents than if they had been reared in their own homes.

Our staff at our orphanage feels and practices their unusual responsibilities that have been assigned them. Our orphan children have a real home.

There will, I believe, be laid up treasures in heaven that will add a thousand fold to the joys we will experience because we have honestly and sincerely cared for our orphans. Remember that Jesus said, "Verily I say unto you, whosoever shall not receive the kingdom of God as a little child, he shall not enter therein."

John A. Sinclair

REPORT OF RELIEF AND ANNUITY BOARD OF THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

Carolina Baptist Association, Assembled at
First Baptist Church, Tryon, N. C., August 9, 1955.
Brethren:

Briefly, the work of the Relief and Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention is to take the monthly dues the pastors, Churches, and State Conventions send to Dallas, Texas, and hold them and invest them. When the minister or servant of the Convention reaches the age of 65, he may retire, drawing an annuity for the rest of his life.

It is not necessary here to go into the technical side of this work. Suffice it to say, every minister or denominational worker should be covered by the Relief and Annuity Board. If there should be some pastor present who is not a member let it be urged upon him that he contact State Secretary Huggins' office in Raleigh immediately. If help is desired in presenting the matter to the church, call upon Field Worker Barnes or myself. The sooner one joins the more benefits will be realized after retirement.

A word should be said about Social Security for ministers. This is a private matter and does not involve the church. But Brethren, let it be said, this is a good thing. As of Jan. 1, 1956, contact the Asheville office, follow their instructions, and join up. It is a good suppliment to Relief and Annuity provisions, but it is not a worthy substitute.

Respectfuly submitted,
Mack M. Goss

REPORT ON RELIGIOUS LITERATURE

In making a report on Christian literature it is necessary for us to realize that intelligent understanding is based on knowledge. Knowl comes through reading and study. We have at our finger tips the material that makes us world citizens even though we live in a remote cove or on a mountain top far removed from our neighbors.

The printed page has great power. Its message can go to many places where the spoken word and sermon cannot be heard. Christian literature is a mighty force for good in promoting the Lord's work and in sowing the seeds of righteousness in the minds of people today. The devil is using the power of the printed word as never before. There is a vast flood of bad literature that promotes paganism, worldliness, and downright evil thoughts and deeds. Some of these books, periodicals, magazines, often get into Baptist homes. This should not be. Baptists have compelling reasons to seek out and use the fine Christian literature that is to be had today; and surely they ought to read the excellent variety that comes from Baptist presses.

We hope that all our churches use the wealth of Sunday School literature published by our Sunday School Board. Many of our fine men and women spend their lives studying and writing that we may have the benefit of their writing. The aim of our Baptist literature is to inform the people, to indoctrinate them in Baptists truths, to uphold the Bible and its teachings, and to point out the great sweep of Baptist work that claims the finest efforts of all who serve God in these days. Christian literature must be promoted, read, and used by the people in their homes and churches, if the whole program of Christ is to be carried out by Baptists working together.

We have the Biblical Recorder which bears the bessage of Baptist life and growth in North Carolina. No Baptist home should be without the Biblical Recorder. The Recorder has three subscription plans, unchanged for years: individual or single subscriptions are $2.50 a year; subscriptions in the club plan are $2.00 a year; and in the Every-Family plan the rate is only $1.50 a year for each resident, home or family in the church. We urge every church to have the Every-Family plan or at least a good-sized Recorder Club in every church.

Our Charity and Children published at Thomasville, is a splendid paper, bringing to us weekly information about our Orphanage and world events. The Home Life, also, should be in every home of our churches. We should not let these good periodicals stop in our homes. We should send them to our neighbors that do not know Christ.

We would speak a word in behalf of church libraries. When the news stands are filled with literature that is leading our youth away from all that is good—we as church people need to be willing to sacrifice, if need be, to establish in our churches libraries filled with good books that will challenge our youth to build Christian character. Let us lift up our eyes and look through all the splendid Christian Literature that is ours.

REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

For the gracious hospitality given to the Carolina Baptist Association in its Seventy-Ninth Session by the First Baptist Church of Tryon for the day session and the First Baptist Church of East Flat Rock for the night session, we, the Pastors, Messengers, and Visitors, desire to express our sincere thanks and appreciation.

We feel greatly indebted to the Program Committee, to each person appearing on the program, to the officers and committees of our Association, and to every one who in any way contributed to make this a great day in the life of our Association.

We want to give glory and praise to God, our Heavenly Father, for the victory on August the 6th in the beer and wine election, and desire to express our appreciation to every citizen in Henderson County and to our friends outside of the county who made this victory possible. In a special way we wish to express our profound gratitude to "The Times-News" and "The Western Carolina Tribune" for their support in this campaign.

Respectfully submitted,

L. J. Rainey
W. C. Huntley
Floyd Clark

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

In the Scriptures we are given a three-fold task; evangelize every creature—Mark 16:15, disciple all the nations—Matt. 28:19, teach the disciples to do the will of our Master—Matt. 28:20 and heal the sick—Matt. 25:31-46. The task of State Missions is to carry out this three-fold commission of our Lord. In our State there are about two million unevangelized people. Multitudes of our church members are unenlisted and untaught. Thousands are destitute and need help spiritually and physically. The common task of State Missions is to minister in all these fields and to hasten the coming of Christ.

Much time could be given to each phase of the work of State Missions program but our purpose today is simply to mention a few and give you some idea of their work.

The Department of Evangelism is perhaps the most important work of State Missions. Until June 1, 1955, Dr. J. C. Canipe led this work in a splendid way and had a great part in sponsoring the Simultaneous Crusade in our churches during March and April of this year. In 1946, the year the department was instituted, there were 20,000 baptisms in N. C. In 1954 there were 35,000 baptisms in our state.

The Sunday School department under the leadership of Mr. L. L. Morgan has the following objectives:

1. Enlist more people in Bible Study.
2. Improve the quality of Bible teaching.
3. Train more workers for service.
4. Make adequate provision for every member of every family.
5. Establish more Sunday Schools.
6. Win more people to Christ.
7. Have more Vacation Bible Schools.

Vacation Bible Schools have become a vital part of State Missions and the interest in this phase of our work is growing. Vacation Bible School is of great value to the children, to the pastor, to the Sunday School and to the church. In 1954 there were 2,549 schools held with an enrollment of 233,743. In these schools there were 1,678 professions of faith and $32,360 was given for missions.

The Training Union Department is under the direction of James P. Morgan and is endeavoring to promote training of the members of our churches in being better witnesses and workers for Christ. We have 1806 Training Unions in our state with an enrollment of 160,000.

The Baptist Assemblies at Caswell and Fruitland provide places for our boys and girls and even adults to enjoy a vacation and at the time receive spiritual instruction and blessing from time spent there.

Fruitland Preachers' School or the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute will begin its 10th year in October. Last year some 130 students attended during the year. Dr. J. C. Canipe is the director and is assisted by Mr. B. G. Henry, Dr. J. L. Jenkins and Mr. N. A. Melton

One important phase of State Missions that is often overlooked is the work with the silent people. Rev. Jerry F. Potter for over two years has been working with these silent people. This year marked the second time a camp for Deaf people was held anywhere on the East Coast and it was held at Fruitland last week. There were a number converted to the Lord in this camp.

Other phases of State Mission work include the B.S.U., Summer Student Program, Rural Church Department, The Allied Church League, Inc., Visual Aids Department and the Biblical Recorder.

A complete report of the results of this work can never be brought together but as we give, work and pray for State Missions we have a great part in sharing the gospel of Jesus Christ with others in our state.

Respectfully submitted,

John F. Rymer

REPORT OF ROY C. BENNETT, SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPT.

August 9th, 1955

Sunday Schools in our Association have been progressing slowly but surely during the past year. Quite a few have had phenominal growth while others have added smaller numbers to their rolls. On the average however the situation is encouraging if not entirely satisfactory.

There is not the interest in cooperative effort that should be, but individually the Churches are working.

The highlight of the summer has been the Vacation Bible Schools held in so many Churches. Good work has been done in this field under the able leadership of Mrs. Howard Sitton and Rev. John Rymer our Association officers in charge of this work. Several new schools were added this year and our number has increased.

Several District meetings were held this year with fair success. A mass meeting is planned for the near future for the purpose of making plans for the new Sunday School year. All Pastors and Sunday School Officers and Teachers should plan to attend this meeting.

Several Churches have added Sunday School rooms to their buildings this past year which will help greatly in our teaching program. A weak spot in our work is the training program of our Sunday Schools. This could be corrected by our Pastors if each one would arrange to teach at least one of our Sunday School books during the year. This could be done at several prayer services if no other time could be found for this study. The importance of this and the regularity of Teachers and officers can not be over emphasized. A Sunday School with Officers and Teachers who are not interested enough in the work to be on hand regularly and on time can soon kill a class or even a Sunday School. We cannot let up on our efforts for even one Sunday.

We can accomplish great things for the Lord if we will work together and pray without ceasing. In unity there is strength as we have so recently demonstrated in our beer and wine election.

Sincerely,

Roy C. Bennett, S. S. Supt.

TRAINING UNION REPORT

The Baptist Training Union of the Carolina Association makes the following report concerning its work:

Our Associational Secretary, Mrs. Fred Swift, and two of our group leaders, Miss Edna Corn and Rev. Vergil Jones attended the State-Wide Associational planning meeting in Asheville last October.

A large number from our Association attended the regional Training Union Convention held in Asheville last April. A few from our Association attended the State Training Union Convention at the Fruitland Baptist Assembly in June. We were represented in the Young People's Better Speakers Tournament by Joe Bennett. The First Baptist Church of Hendersonville and the Mount Moriah Church had choirs in the hymn festival.

Mount Moriah, Fruitland, and First Baptist, Hendersonville, represented us in the Junior memory work tournament. Kay M. Huggins, a member of the Fruitland Church, was recognized as a four-year winner in Junior Memory Work.

A group study course was sponsored by the Associational officers in March. The following groups had study courses: Group 1, Albert Hill, leader. Group 2, Rev. Vergil Jones, leader. Group 3, Ansel Jones, leader. Group 4, Rev. Ralph Holcombe, leader. Group 5, D. G. Wilkie, leader. Group 6, Miss Edna Corn, leader. This was a study course on Evangelism. The results were very gratifying.

All the churches with Training Unions have had one or more study courses during the Associational year.

"M" Night was the big event of the year. The attendance was very good. Most of us will treasure this meeting for a long time since it was the last meeting held in the old Auditorium of the First Baptist Church in Hendersonville.

We assisted in the organization of a Training Union at the Liberty Church last Sunday Night. This makes a total of 36 churches with Training Unions. Pray with us that the other 25 churches will be led to see the need of training and will be impressed to do something about it during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Junius Huggins

REPORT OF TREASURER
FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1955

Balance on hand August 1, 1954	$1,001.97	
Receipts from Churches to maintain Field Worker	2,723.32	
Receipts from State Convention	700.00	
Receipts from Fifth Sunday meetings	142.14	
Receipts for supply	97.04	
Receipts for Minute Fund	386.00	
Receipts — Beer & Wine Issue	1,069.38	
Receipts for Simultaneous Revival	93.18	
Receipts from School of Music	17.86	$6,230.89
DISBURSEMENTS		
Simultaneous Revival	58.50	
Salaries	2,906.26	
Expense and Supplies	619.88	
Telephone	169.32	
Beer & Wine Issue	688.83	
Rent	399.33	
School of Music	33.07	
Clerk	50.00	
Office Expense	112.45	
Retirement	80.04	
For Printing Minutes	459.09	$5,576.77
Balance on Hand		654.12

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair

CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING TO SUPPORT OF FIELD WORKER, SIMULTANEOUS REVIVAL, MINUTE FUND, AND BEER AND WINE ISSUE

	Beer & Wine Issue	Simultaneous Revival	Minute Fund	Field Worker
Balfour	$ 65.55	.....	$ 15.00	$ 156.00
Barker Heights	.....	.....	5.00	.....
Barnwell	.....	.....	3.00	12.00
Bat Cave	30.00	.....	5.00	60.00
Bear Wallow	32.75	.....	5.00	46.55
Berea	.....	.....	5.00	.....
Beulah	.....	.....	5.00	.....
Cedar Springs	.....	.....	5.00	.....
Calvary	35.25	.....	5.00	.....
Crab Creek	.....	.....	5.00	12.00
Cross Roads	.....	.....	10.00	.....
Dana	13.55	.....	10.00	24.20
Double Springs	.....	.....	4.00	.....
East Flat Rock	75.00	.....	15.00	100.00
Ebenezer	117.00	.....	10.00	6.75
Etowah	44.11	.....	18.00	60.00
Fletcher	15.00	.....	10.00	14.50
French Broad	.....	.....	10.00	12.00
Fruitland	50.00	10.00	15.00	120.00
Fork Creek	.....	.....	.....	20.87
Hendersonville, First	105.90	.....	25.00	775.00
Hendersonville, West	12.50	12.05	.....	20.00
Holly Springs	.....	.....	3.00	.....
Hoopers Creek	23.40	.....	10.00	.....
Horse Shoe	.....	.....	5.00	14.00
Jones Gap	.....	.....	6.00	.....
Laurel Springs	.....	.....	5.00	3.00
Liberty	.....	.....	2.00	.....
Locust Grove	.....	.....	5.00	.....
Middle Fork	.....	.....	2.00	.....
Mills River	20.03	.....	10.00	52.27
Mt. Gilead	16.75	.....	5.00	1.77
Mt. Moriah	59.17	.....	12.50	161.00
Mountain Home	.....	.....	3.50	.....
Mountain View	.....	.....	5.00	26.25
Mud Creek	157.90	.....	20.00	140.00
Naples	10.00	.....	12.00	60.00
Oak Forest	.....	.....	5.00	.....
Pacolet	.....	.....	.....	33.20
Pleasant Grove	.....	.....	5.00	.....
Pleasant Hill	20.00	.....	7.00	30.00
Refuge	32.00	.....	10.00	156.00
Saluda	.....	.....	10.00	100.00
Shaws Creeks	62.52	.....	10.00	120.00
Tryon, First	.....	30.00	15.00	249.96
Tryon, Second	.....	.....	6.00	.....
Tuxedo	20.00	.....	10.00	30.00
Valley Hill	25.00	.....	10.00	100.00
Warrior Mountain	.....	.....	1.00	.....
Zirconia	.....	.....	5.00	6.00
Minutes Sold	.....	.....	1.00	.....
Pastor's Conference	26.00	.....	.....	.....
	$1,069.38	$52.05	$386.00	$2,723.32

Respectfully submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

W. M. U. REPORT

As we come to the close of the year we feel that God has been good to us. We are grateful for several new additions to our W. M. U. which are: five W. M. S., three G. A.'s, three R. A.'s, three Sunbeam Bands, two Y. W. A.'s, five full graded W. M. U.'s and one A-1 W M. S. at Balfour.

The year was entered with a deepening sense of our responsibility for the yet unenlisted women and young people of our Association. There is so much to do and so many opportunities for service in bringing all those who should be enlisted, into our ranks in our churches, where there is only one organization, and in our several churches where there are no organizations.

We have a membership of 1,382. May our hearts be so concerned and our vision of the needs come to be so definite and clear that we shall allow God to implant within us a deep desire to go forward, seeking only to do His will in our every undertaking. It is then, and only then, that we have done our best for Him.

It is always our desire to do more, and not less, as the years come and go. This has to do with every phase of our work, of which our contributions in money mean so much to the cause that Jesus assigned to us. The total given this year is $7,055.80. This will certainly help the cause of missions and along with what others give will make it possible for those on the various fields to be provided for as they give out the Good News—the Gospel message.

In most every W. M. U. there is an encouraging note that we hope bears fruit. The number of organizations engaged in Community Missions has increased. There were more tithers reported, more mission books read, and more efforts made in soul winning.

The youth have held their rallies, Associational gatherings, and conclaves. These were all well attended. We are again thankful for our leaders and trust to see the youth work go forward.

We always feel that much more could have been accomplished. May we resolve to pray more, give more of our time and our money, and ask God to forgive our failures, to renew our zeal and give us strength and courage to go on in His strength in the glorious task that lies ahead of us.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair,
Superintendent.

QUARTERLY MEETINGS

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
October 31, 1954

The quarterly meeting of the Carolina Association was held on October 31 at the Mt. Moriah Baptist Church. The meeting opened with the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers" led by Mr. D. G. Wilkie, Chorister. This was followed by "What a Fellowship." Rev. John Dickson, Pastor of the Bearwallow Baptist Church, read the Scripture from Psalm 74 and followed it by prayer. Mr. A. L. Summers, new Music Director of the Mud Creek Batist Church was introduced and sang beautifully the song, "Others." Rev. Lee Gregory of the Bat Cave Baptist Church and Rev. Paul B. Chandler of the Naples Church and Rev. F. A. Paschall of the Zirconia Church were introduced. Also mentioned were Rev. George Brian new pastor at Green River and Rev. Horace Jones of Zion Hill Church. Thirty churches were recognized as having representatives.

Rev. Paul Lovingood announced the approaching Week of Stewardship to be observed in the Association, November 8-12. The following made brief reports on phases of the work of which they were the heads of the department, W. M. U., Mrs. M. K. Sinclair; Sunday School, Mr. Roy Bennett; Training Union, Mrs. J. M. Huggins; Brotherhood,

Mrs. Carroll Clark. Mr. Proctor announced the approaching R. A. Conclave to be held Nov. 8, Monday night, at 6:30 at the Hendersonville First Baptist Church, supper to be 50 cents. Mr. D. G. Wilkie announced the possibility of an Associational-wide Christmas Carol Sing to be held at the Court House Dec. 22. Mr. Lovingood made a motion that this be held. Wm. Huntley seconded such a motion. Miss Howell announced the following committee heads for the Associational music set up:

Miss Lillian Howell, Associational Director
Rev. N. A. Melton, Adviser
John Rymer, Pastor Adviser
D. G. Wilkie, in charge of Congregational Activities
Junius Huggins, in charge of training
David Huff in charge of Instrumental Activities
Odell Scott, Promotion and Publicity
Mrs. Lavada Lyda, Group Choirs

A vote was taken at the motion of Rev. Paul Lovingood that these officers be accepted. The vote carried. Mr. M. K. Sinclair gave the Treasurer's quarterly report. The offering was taken. The next meeting place was set for Valley Hill, at the invitation of Brother Lovingood.

Miss Howell gave the following financial report on the School of Music held in September:

Associational School of Church Music Financial Report
September 12-17, 1954

RECEIPTS:			
Offering Hymn Sing			$27.51
Offering Miscellaneous			18.70
Balance from last year			33.07
TOTAL ON HAND			$79.28
EXPENSES:			
Hotel		$36.32	
Meals outside		11.25	
Registration Cards		1.05	
Music Purchased	$18.90		
Music Sold	6.10	12.80	
TOTAL EXPENSES			$61.42
Balance deposited with M. K. Sinclair			$17.86

Lillian Howell

Mrs. Fred Swift, the Clerk, announced the printed **Minutes** were ready for representatives of the churches to get following the meeting.

Rev. Ralph Banning, announced December 5, as Temperance Sunday, and mentioned Committment Cards to be signed on that day, and introduced the speaker of the afternoon, Rev. R. M. Hause, of the Allied Church League.

In his inspiring message, he suggested:

1. We hate the commodity, but love all.
2. We be Christian in all our dealings.
3. We get the head and the heart of the 50 percent on the same side.
4. Some opposition or arguments the opposition will offer.
5. Local congregations are important in this issue, as it is a moral issue.

Every church to have a chairman, co-chairman, and committee.
Church people have to get registered and get to the polls.
Each pastor needs to take a stand, others will follow.

Rev. M. M. Goss, Chairman of the Missions Committee, gave a report for the Missions Committee. Carolina and Transylvania associations voted at their annual meetings to go in together to have a field worker. The committee recommends David Mashburn be called. Vote taken. Passed unanimously.

The Nominating Committee was asked to fill the two vacancies on the Program Committee.

The meeting was closed with prayer by the Rev. O. Lee Gregory.

QUARTERLY MEETING
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
January 30, 1955

On January 30 the Quarterly Meeting of the Carolina Baptist Association was held at the Valley Hill Church. Rev. N. A. Melton, Moderator, presided.

The meeting opened with the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers" led by the Associational Chorister, Mr. D. G. Wilkie. This was followed by "We'll Work 'Till Jesus Comes."

Rev. L. K. Holbert read the Scripture verses 1 to 14 from the 24th chapter of Matthew, and followed this with prayer.

Miss Lillian Howell, Music Director for the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville, sang a solo: "Just for Today."

New pastors as follows were introduced: Rev. W. A. Tinsley, of the Locust Grove Church, and Rev. Floyd B. Clark of the West Hendersonville Church. 22 pastors and ministers were present and 26 churches represented at this quarterly meeting.

Mrs. M. K. Sinclair and Rev. T. G. Proctor made announcements of approaching meetings. Mrs. Fred J. Swift, Associational Office Secretary, announced that the Calendars of Activities were ready for distribution that day.

The Naples Church invited the next quarterly meeting of the Carolina Association which will be held on May 29. The Treasurer, Mr. M. K. Sinclair, gave his report.

Following the taking of the offering, Mr. B. G. Henry spoke on Fruitland and its summer program.

Rev. Mack M. Goss, Chairman of the Missions Committee, read the following report of his committee:

THE REPORT OF THE MISSION COMMITTEE

Since the last meeting of the Association the Executive Committee, in cooperation with the Mission Committee and officers of the Transylvania Association, have called Brother Clay Barnes as our Field Worker. He is to serve the two associations.

Brother Barnes lives on the Brevard Road at Broadway Street in Hendersonville, where the office for the two associations is now situated. It was thought that since the house is large enough to accommodate Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and the office that we might save money by moving the office there. Moreover, parking is facilitated.

It is with real pleasure that your committee presents Mr. Barnes to you today. He is already at work and has convinced all whom he has met that he knows how to do associational work. Since he is to divide his time between the two associations, we must work faithfully with him in the organizations in order to get the best quality of work done.

Permit your committee to make some suggestions as to how we may use our Field Worker to the best advantage.

1. Keep in mind that he is here to help us carry out our Lord's Commission.
2. Remember that Mr. Barnes is human and therefore can be in only one place at a time. Call upon him, but be patient when he is preoccupied.
3. When asked to do so serve on committees and in organizations with which he will have to deal if the work is to be implimented.

4. When pastors are absent, on vacation, or in revival meetings use Mr. Barnes, as he is able to serve. Pay him as you would any other minister. He will turn that money over to the Associational treasurer, M. K. Sinclair.
5. Use him in revivals, training classes, conferences, etc., as he is able to help. He has agreed to limit himself to two revivals a year, "on his own." Beyond that any income derived from his labors shall go into the Associational treasury. For revivals he conducts, pay as you would any other minister. This does not preclude his receiving thoughtful remembrances given to him personally. Especially we ask that you remember the Barnes family with fruits, vegetables, etc., from your farms and gardens.
6. All of us can assist Mr. Barnes by praying for the work of the Association. We can certainly help in a practical way by regularly sending to Mr. Sinclair, our treasurer, a monthly check. We shall need $400.00 a month from our Association in order to do the best job possible. We shall have to do on less if you do not send in that much. We are counting on you to lead your church to help.
7. Think of Brother Barnes as you think of the pastor of your church. He is our undershepherd and we shall follow his leading. It is up to us to help him do the work we want to see done.

Your committee wishes to thank every one of you for the understanding you manifest and the cooperation you give.

Respectfully submitted,
Mack M. Goss
M. L. Walker
Mrs. D. G. Wilkie
B. G. Henry
George Roberts

Mr. Goss spoke briefly to his report. When vote was taken on its acceptance, there was no dissenting vote.

Rev. Clay R. Barnes, new Associational Missionary, was introduced by Mr. Goss. Mr. Barnes then spoke on "Togetherness". Togetherness of divine and human; togetherness in carrying out the Great Commission; togetherness of local churches working together with others in Jesus' World Wide Program.

The meeting was concluded with a closing prayer by Brother Barnes.

QUARTERLY MEETING
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
May 29, 1955

The Carolina Association held its quarterly meeting May 29, 1955, at the Naples Baptist Church. The meeting was presided over by Rev. N. A. Melton, Moderator; Mr. D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in the singing of two hymns.

Rev. Paul B. Chandler, Jr., the host pastor, gave words of welcome, read for the Scripture passage Psalm 90, and led the opening prayer. Vice Moderator M. L. Walker called the Roll of churches. 21 churches were represented with 24 preachers present.

Announcement was made of the Beer-Wine Election meeting to be held at 8 P. M. Tuesday night, May 31, at the Hendersonville First Baptist Church.

Miss Katherine Hazeltine, native of this association, student at Carson-Newman College, and summer vacation Bible School worker in our Association, was introduced by Mr. Melton. Our Clerk later gave emphasis to the fact that we are indebted to the State Sunday School Department for the support of Miss Hazeltine during the time she is working with us this summer.

The following brief reports were given:

Woman's Missionary Union—Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Associational Superintendent.

Training Union—Mrs. J. M. Huggins, Associational Training Union Director.

Sunday School—Mr. Roy C. Bennett, Associational Sunday School Superintendent.

Associational Missions—Rev. Mack M. Goss, Chairman, Missions Committee.

Treasurer's—Mr. M. K. Sinclair, Associational Treasurer.

Vacation Bible School—Associate Associational V.B.S. Superintendent.

Mrs. Fred J. Swift made further announcements as follows: Brotherhood meeting, June 4, First Baptist Church, Hendersonville, with Mr. James Sapp, Associate Secretary of the Brotherhood Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, Memphis, as speaker.

Denominational Night being observed in our Association Thursday evening, June 2, with workers sent out by our state department to twenty churches.

Mr. James Sapp, was introduced by Associational Brotherhood Vice President, James Harkey. Mr. Sapp spoke briefly, especially emphasizing the importance of the Association in Christian work.

Mr. Melton, Moderator, appointed Miss Lillian Howell and Rev. Clay R. Barnes to fill the vacancies on the present Program Committee. He appointed the following to serve as the Committee on Committees:

Rev. F. M. Huggins, Chairman
Rev. W. S. Billingsley
Rev. W. C. Huntley
Mrs. O. J. Smith
Mrs. T. G. Proctor

Mr. A. L. Summers rendered a beautiful solo.

Rev. L. K. Holbert, Chairman on the Beer-Wine matter, gave a brief oral report and introduced our Associational Missionary, Rev. Clay R. Barnes who brought a stirring message on "Not By My Vote." The meeting was closed with prayer.

REPORT OF ROY C. BENNETT, SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPT.
CAROLINA ASSOCIATION — MAY 30th, 1955

The special report I would make at this time is of the District meetings we are having. The first was at Beulah Church March 6th at 2:30 P. M. There were five churches represented and 47 people present. The next was at Bat Cave May 8th, 2:30 P. M., where eight Churches were represented with 43 people present. The next will be with the Tuxedo Church June 5th at 2:30 P. M. Visits are being made by the District leaders, your Supt. and Associate in charge of enlargement in all Churches in the area prior to the day of the District meeting. A personal invitation is given each Sunday School which is followed up with cards and notice in the local papers. Vacation Bible Schools have been stressed during these visits and other announcements about the other work of the Association. Double cards were mailed out prior to Mother's Day asking for information as to the amount of the offering for our Hospital, number in Sunday School that day, if a Vacation Bible School was planned for their Church and number of additions as a result of Simultaneous Revivals. Only twenty-one Churches responded but this group sent $1,609.58 to our Hospital, 2,975 reported in Sunday School, 19 were planning to have Vacation Bible School and there had been 162 additions during revivals. Only 13 Churches reported revivals up to Mother's Day. Others were having them later and some not participating. Some progress is being made but there is so much room for improvement. More faithful consecrated leaders are needed in every Church as well as Pastors who are backing our Denominational program. May the Lord give us both is my prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Roy C. Bennett, S. S. Supt.

SPECIAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Carolina Association held in the chapel of the First Baptist Church of Hendersonville, Rev. Mack M. Goss, Chairman of the Missions Committee for the Association was asked to tell of the progress that has been made in the securing of an Associational Missionary. Following his explanation, Mrs. Fred Swift made a motion that we accept the selection of a missionary made by the Missions Committee, namely Rev. Clay R. Barnes, of Spencer, N. C., and that he be notified of our choice. Rev. Vergil D. Jones seconded the motion. The motion carried.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE CAROLINA ASSOCIATIONAL WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION MEETING

The 1955 Associational Woman's Missionary Union meeting of the Carolina Association met with the First Baptist Church of East Flat Rock, April 1. The theme for the meeting was "Go Quickly and Tell."

The session was called to order by the Superintendent, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair who presided over the meeting. The opening hymn was "I Love to Tell the Story." The devotional period was led by Mrs. Fred Powell, President of the W. M. U., of Tryon.

Mrs. Sinclair recognized the following visitors: Mrs. Gordon Maddrey, State W. M. U. President; Mrs. J. R. Morgan, of Waynesville, Regional Superintendent; and Miss Carol Leigh Humphries, Missionary to Nigeria.

The secretary announced that 18 churches were represented with more than two hundred registered; ten pastors were present.

The following committees were appointed: Time and Place, Mrs. M. L. Walker, chairman; Hospitality, Mrs. Sidney Pittillo, Chairman; Obituary, Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Chairman.

The Superintendent recognized the Balfour W. M. S. as the only A-1 Society.

Rev. Mack M. Goss spoke on Associational Missions. Mrs. J. R. Morgan reported on the progress of the Region. Mrs. Charles Painter, Associate Superintendent, used an interesting chart to point out both the strong and weak points in our organization. The following gave interesting reports: Mission Study and Literature, Mrs. T. G. Proctor; Community Missions, Mrs. W. C. Huntley; Stewardship, Mrs. F. M. Huggins.

The hymn, "We've a Story to Tell", was sung.

"Telling the Story to Our Youth" was ably discussed by Miss Carrie Belle Barton, and Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Proctor.

Special music was given by the young people of Tryon First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Gordon Maddrey, State President, gave an inspirational message on "Go Quickly and Tell."

After the benediction supper was served in the dining hall of the church.

The evening session opened with the singing of the hymn, "There's a Call Comes Ringing."

The devotional period was led by Mrs. Emerson Searcy with a special musical trio rendered by Y.W.A., girls from the Balfour church.

"Telling the Story through the Carver School of Missions and Social Work," was presented by Mrs. Fred J. Swift and Miss Carrie Belle Barton in the form of slides of the school.

The following officers were elected and installed:

Superintendent ..... Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
Associate Superintendent ..... Mrs. Charles Painter
Secretary and Treasurer ..... Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield
Young People's Director ..... Mrs. Henry Hearn
Associate ..... Miss Carrie Belle Barton
Y. W. A., Counselor ..... Miss Audrey Saunders
G. A. Leader ..... Mrs. O. J. Smith
R. A. Counselor ..... Rev. T. G. Proctor
Associate ..... Mr. Ray Jones
Sunbeam Leader ..... Mrs. W. S. Billingsley
Mission Study ..... Mrs. Gary Harthcock
Literature ..... Mrs. T. G. Proctor
Community Missions ..... Mrs. Raymond Pace
Stewardship ..... Mrs. F. M. Huggins
Margaret Fund and Training School ..... Mrs. Fred J. Swift
Pianist ..... Miss Myrtle Bennett
Chorister ..... Miss Lillian Howell

The installation service was conducted by Mrs. J. R. Morgan, with Mrs. Gordon Maddrey leading the dedicatory prayer.

Miss Lillian Howell beautifully sang the solo, "Go Tell It on the Mountain."

Miss Carol Leigh Humphries, Missionary to Nigeria, gave a Word Picture of Southern Baptist work in Africa, "Telling the Story in Nigeria." The benediction was led by Rev. N. B. Phillips, host pastor.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Supt.
Mrs. R. D. Suttenfield, Secretary

ORDAINED MINISTERS—OTHER THAN REGULAR PASTORS

Name	Work	Address	Church
Barnwell, Odell,	(O.M.)	—Fletcher	Hoopers Creek
Beck, Arnold,	(O.M.)	—Rt. 3, Hendersonville	Berea
Beddingfield, Gerald,	(O.M.)	—Tuxedo	Tuxedo
Blythe, C. E.,	(R.O.)	—Rt. 4, Hendersonville	Pleasant Grove
Bryant, Bill,	(O.M.)	—Fletcher	Fletcher
Burrell, C. P.,	(O.M.)	—Tryon	Tryon, Second
Cable, Vincent,	(O.M.)	—Rt. 1, Flat Rock	Oak Grove
Capps, Harley,	(O.M.)	—Zirconia	Mountain Valley
Capps, Judson,	(O.M.)	—Rt. 1, Zirconia	Berea
Camp, Everett,	(O.M.)	—Rt. 4, Hendersonville	Berea
Corn, D. R.,	(O.M.)	—Zirconia	Mountain Valley
Corn, Quay,	(O.M.)	—Hendersonville	Ebenezer
Crawford, J. M.,	(O.M.)	—Arden	Mount Gilead
Dotson, Paul,	(O.M.)	—Black Mountain	Broad River
Earley, M. R.,	(O.M.)	—Saluda	Warrior Mountain
Field, William A.,	(O.I.)	—Asheville	Mills River
Gosnell, Lloyd,	(O.M.)	—Arden	Fletcher
Heatherly, Alfred,	(O.M.)	—Zirconia	Mountain Valley
Hearn, H. O.,	(O.M.)	—Mountain Home	Hendersonville, First
Hendrix, G. L.,	(O.M.)	—Rt. 1, Fletcher	Oak Forest
Hollingsworth, C. B.,	(O.M.)	Rt. 4, Hendersonville	Pleasant Grove
Huggins, F. M.,	(O.R.)	—Whitted St.	Hendersonville, First
Huntley, David		—Fairview	Middle Fork
Huntley, T. R.,	(O.M.)	—Balfour	Balfour

Jackson, Foy, (O.M.)—Rt. 1, Flat Rock ..... Upward
Jackson, Frank J., (O.M.)—Dana ..... Oak Grove
Joseph, Kenny, (F.M.)—992 Shimotakaido, Cho. 4, Tokyo ..... Calvary
Kelley, Edward, (O.M.)—Hendersonville ..... Ebenezer
Kuykendall, I. N., (O.M.)—East Flat Fock ..... East Flat Rock, First
Lewis, M. L., (O.M.)—Hendersonville ..... Fruitland
Livingston, Colon, (O.M.)—Rt. 1, Fletcher ..... Oak Forest
Mainwaring, C. W., (O.I.)—Hendersonville ..... Shaws Creek
Maxwell, Wodrow, (O.M.)—Hendersonville ..... Balfour
McCarson, T. B., (O.M.)—Second South St., Morristown, Tenn. ..... Liberty
Merrill, Ansil, (O.M.)—Pisgah Forest ..... Friendship No. 2
Merrill, Tom, (O.M.)—Fletcher ..... Hoopers Creek
Middleton, John, (O.M.)—Fletcher ..... Naples
Middleton, Thurel, (O.I.)—Fletcher ..... Pleasant Hill
Osteen, Jesse E., (O.M.)—Rt. 3, Hendersonville ..... Mud Creek
Owensby, J. W., (O.M.)—Rt. 1, Flat Rock ..... East Flat Rock, First
Patterson, Avery, (O.M.)—East Flat Rock ..... Friendship No. 2
Peace, Luther, (O.M.)—Saluda ..... Saluda
Peek, Wayne—Asheville ..... Tuxedo
Quinn, R. P., (O.M.)—Rt. 3, Hendersonville ..... Valley Hill
Rector, Roy, (O.M.)—Asheville ..... Liberty
Riddle, J. B., (O.M.)—Fletcher ..... Fletcher
Riddlehoover, James, (O.M.)—Balfour ..... Balfour
Searcy, Charles L., (O.M.)—Box 110, Lake Lure ..... Laurel Springs
Searcy, P. C., (O.M.)—Bat Cave ..... Broad River
Smith, Willard, (O.M.)—Rt. 4, Hendersonville ..... Upward
Tinsley, Jack, (O.M.)—Los Angeles, Calif ..... Mount Gilead
Whitesides, E. H., (O.M.)—Haywood Road, Hen. ..... Calvary

MINISTERS—DENOMINATIONAL WORKERS

Rev. Clay R. Barnes ..... Associational Missionary
Brevard Rd., Hendersonville
Dr. J. C. Canipe ..... Director, Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute
Hendersonville
Rev. B. G. Henry ..... Director, Fruitland Baptist Assembly
Hendersonville

MINISTERS ORDAINED THIS YEAR

Name	Address	Church
Bryant, Bill	Fletcher	Fletcher
Gosnell, Lloyd	Arden	Fletcher
Merrill, Ansil	Pisgah Forest	Friendship No. 2
Patterson, Avery	East Flat Rock	Friendship No. 2
Tinsley, W. A.	Hendersonville	Ebenezer

MINISTERS LICENSED THIS YEAR

Barber, Harry ..... Barker Heights
Gesperson, Clyde—Arden ..... Balfour
Junes, Eugene—Tryon ..... Tryon, First
Mathis, Vaughn—Penrose ..... Friendship No. 2
Orr, Hubert—Penrose ..... Friendship No. 2
Riddle, Curtis McClellan—Fletcher ..... Hoopers Creek
Tinsley, William—Hendersonville ..... Ebenezer

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY

Jones, Bill—Wake Forest College
Wake Forest, N. C. ..... Hendersonville, First
Owensby, Ronnell—Carson-Newman College
Jefferson City, Tennessee ..... East Flat Rock, First
Pace, Dan—Wake Forest College
Wake Forest, N. C. ..... East Flat Rock, First

CHAIRMAN OF DEACONS

Church	Name	Address
Balfour	W. J. Mills	Box 24, Balfour
Barker Heights	A. Lloyd Connor	Box 1148, Hendersonville
Barnwell	Edgar Barnwell	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Bat Cave	L. E. Meyer	Gerton
Bear Wallow	F. J. Wall	Gerton
Berea	Joseph Moore	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Beulah	J. P. Huggins, Sr.	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Calvary	Clyde English	236 N. Main St., Hen.
Cedar Springs	James A. Capps	Zirconia
Cross Roads	Foy Burrell	Zirconia
Dana	H. J. Pace	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Double Springs	Edward Hudson	Zirconia
East Flat Rock, First	David Huff	East Flat Rock
Ebenezer	Virgil Smith	Balfour
Etowah	Garland Jones	Horse Shoe
Fletcher	T. C. Wilkie	Fletcher
Fork Creek	Mack Rhodes	Saluda
Friendship No. 2	Columbus Mathis	Penrose
Fruitland	H. L. F. Drake	Hendersonville
Hendersonville, First	J. W. Jackson	Box 157, Hen.
Hendersonville, West	Buford Shipman	Hendersonville
Holly Springs	Odell McKinny	Penrose
Hoopers Creek	J. K. Williams	Fletcher
Horse Shoe	Albert Capps	Horse Shoe
Jones Gap	W. L. Nelson	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Laurel Springs	Hardy Owenby	Rt. 6, Asheville
Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel	Rt. 2, Hendersonville
Mills River	R. K. Whitaker	Horse Shoe
Mount Gilead	C. C. Ballard	Box 261, Fletcher
Mount Moriah	Albert Hill	Edneyville
Mount Olivet	C. C. Herman	Rt. 1, Zirconia
Mountain Home	W. A. Martin	Edneyville
Mountain Page	R. W. Bell	Saluda
Mountain Valley	H. H. Maybin	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Mud Creek	Thomas Lyda	Brooklyn Ave., Hendersonville
Naples	Spurgeon Williams	Mountain Home
Oak Forest	Cecil Rice	Rt. 1, Fletcher
Oak Grove	Holbert Crisp	East Flat Rock
Pacolet	Norman Foster	Lynn
Pleasant Grove	J. H. Drake	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Pleasant Hill	Porter Sosbee	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Refuge	S. W. Bayne	Dana
Saluda	Nolan D. Price	Saluda
Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney	1038 N. Justice St., Hen.
Tryon, First	R. C. Burnette	Tryon
Tryon, Second	W. T. Cantrell	Tryon
Tuxedo	Harvey Lindsey	Tuxedo
Upward	Robert Burroughs	Rt. 1, Flat Rock
Valley Hill	J. C. Oates	School St., Hendersonville
Warrior Mountain	Bane Foster	Saluda
Zion Hill	A. E. Taylor	Zirconia
Zirconia	William Lindsey	Zirconia

GREEN River - Clyde 35 Morgan - Zirconia

CHOIR OR MUSIC DIRECTOR

Church	Name	Address
Balfour	Harvey Erwin	Balfour
Barker Heights	John Redmon	114 Blue Ridge St., Hen.
Bat Cave	James Scott	Bat Cave
Bear Wallow	F. J. Wall	Gerton
Berea	Cecil Camp	Route 3, Hendersonville
Beulah	Laxton Cantrell	Route 3, Hendersonville
Broad River	Boyd Wright	Black Mountain
Cedar Springs	Fred Ward	Zirconia
Crab Creek	Lawrence Barnwell	1211 Cherokee St., Hen.
Cross Roads	N. W. Maybin	Zirconia
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda	Route 1, Flat Rock
Double Springs	Elsey Hudson	Zirconia
East Flat Rock, First	D. G. Wilkie	Hendersonville
Ebenezer	Walter Pace	Saluda
Etowah	Miss Sarah Lee Johnson	Etowah
Fletcher	Sidney Moore	Fletcher
Fork Creek	Mrs. Frank Nash	Saluda
Friendship No. 1	Hubbard Thompson	Saluda
Friendship No. 2	Mrs. Ruth Brown	Horse Shoe
Fruitland	J. M. Huggins	Hendersonville, Rt. 1
Hendersonville, First	Miss Lillian Howell	Box 536, Hen.
Hendersonville, West	Herman Cantrell	Hendersonville
Holly Springs	Calvin Frady	Pisgah Forest
Hoopers Creek	D. T. Wilkie	Fletcher
Horse Shoe	Levoid Norton	Route 4, Hendersonville
Jones Gap	Virgil T. Jones, Sr.	Route 4, Hendersonville
Laurel Springs	Hardy Owenby	Route 6, Asheville
Locust Grove	W. W. Brevard	Route 2, Hendersonville
Middle Fork	Mrs. Luther Hill	Gerton
Mills River	Mrs. Glenn Whitaker	Horse Shoe
Mount Gilead	Mrs. Iona Reece Carland	Rutledge Dr., Hen.
Mount Moriah	Mrs. Arthur Turner	Edneyville
Mount Olivet	C. O. Tankersley	Tuxedo
Mountain Home	Roland Jones	Edneyville
Mountain Page	Levi C. Pace	Saluda
Mountain Valley	Fate Maybin	Zirconia
Mud Creek	Lonnie Summers	Hendersonville
Naples	Elmo Orr	Mountain Home
Oak Forest	C. B. Reed	Route 1, Fletcher
Oak Grove	Francis Mintz	East Flat Rock
Pacolet	Martha Wilson	Lynn
Pleasant Grove	Coy Blythe	Etowah
Pleasant Hill	Sam Sosbee	Route 3, Hendersonville
Refuge	Charles C. Holland	Route 1, Hendersonville
Saluda	Mrs. L. J. Rainey	Saluda
Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney	1038 N. Justice, Hendersonville
Tryon, First	Melvin Hipps	Tryon
Tryon, Second	Hulon Jackson	Tryon
Tuxedo	Carl Bell	Tuxedo
Upward	Miss Ruth Jackson	Route 1, Flat Rock
Valley Hill	Miss Connie Laughter	Laurel Park, Hen.
Zion Hill	Rudolph Ward	Brooklyn Ave., Hendersonville
Zirconia	Roy Burrell	East Flat Rock

PIANISTS OR ORGANISTS

Church	Name	Address
Balfour	Miss Veda Erwin	Route 5, Hendersonville
Barker Heights	Miss Jeanette Nelson	401 Barker Ave., Hen.
Bat Cave	James O. Scott	Bat Cave
Bear Wallow	Miss Doris Oates	Gerton
Berea	Glen Camp	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Beulah	Mrs. Annie Cantrell	Rt. 3, Hendersonville
Broad River	Mrs. Wade Huntley	Hendersonville
Calvary	Miss Ruth Moss	406 Sub-Station St., Hen.
Crab Creek	Miss Ann Barnwell	1211 Cherokee St., Hen.
Cross Roads	Miss Barbara Hill	Zirconia
Dana	Miss Patricia Bradley	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
East Flat Rock, First	Mrs. John A. Sinclair	East Flat Rock
Ebenezer	Miss Dixie Jackson	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Etowah	Miss Wanda Sumners	Etowah
Fletcher	Miss Melba E. Dunlap	Box 222, Fletcher
Fork Creek	Mrs. C. M. Lawson	Saluda
French Broad	Mrs. Everett Newman	Rt. 5, Hendersonville
Friendship No. 2	Mrs. Joyce Atkins	Rt. 2, Hendersonville
Fruitland	Mrs. Fred Pressley	Rt. 1, Hendersonville
Hendersonville, First	Miss Mary Brooks	408 Sixth Ave., Hen.
Hendersonville, West	Allen F. Cantrell	Hendersonville
Holly Springs	Miss Christine Frady	Pisgah Forest
Hoopers Creek	Miss Betty Bagwell	Fletcher
Horse Shoe	Miss Sue Capps	Rt. 1, Horse Shoe
Jones Gap	Mrs. Louise Levi	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Laurel Springs	Miss Barbara Marlowe	Rt. 6, Box 588, Asheville
Locust Grove	Miss Thelma McMinn	Rt. 1, Fletcher
Middle Fork	Mrs. Woody Pryor	Gerton
Mills River	Mrs. R. F. Brittain	Horse Shoe
Mount Gilead	Miss Laura Ann Johnson	Route 1, Arden
Mount Moriah	Mrs. Arthur Turner	Edneyville
Mount Olivet	O'Kethin Beddingfield	Route 1, Zirconia
Mountain Home	Mrs. Roland Jones	Edneyville
Mountain Valley	Elmo Corn	Zirconia
Mud Creek	Mrs. Dewey Orr	Hendersonville
Naples	Mrs. Joan Benningfield	Naples
Oak Forest	Mrs. C. B. Reed	Rt. 1, Fletcher
Oak Grove	Mrs. King	
Pacolet	Miss Lillian Constance Lynn	
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Robert Wilson	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Pleasant Hill	Miss Wanda Jean Lewis	Route 3, Hendersonville
Refuge	Miss Betty Garrett	Rt. 1, Flat Rock
Saluda	Mrs. Ed Phillips	Saluda
Shaws Creek	Mrs. T. G. Proctor	Rt. 4, Hendersonville
Tryon, First	Melvin Hipps	Tryon, N. C.
Tuxedo	Mrs. George Johnson	Tuxedo
	Miss Carolyn Belcher	Tuxedo
Upward	Mrs. Lillie Fair Walden	Rt. 1, Flat Rock
Valley Hill	Mrs. Fred Mintz	106 Gibbs St., Hendersonville
Warrior Mountain	Mrs. Ned Anderson	Saluda
Zirconia	Miss Diane Grose	Zirconia

OUR BELOVED DEAD

BALFOUR
Mrs. Frank Corn

BARKER HEIGHTS
John W. Ballard
Richard Morgan

BAT CAVE
LaFayette Haydock

CALVARY
Mrs. Elizabeth Sinclair

CRAB CREEK
Tom Stepp
Mrs. Cora M. McDowell
W. P. Ward

DANA
George Hill
Mrs. Lara Frisby

DOUBLE SPRINGS
Memory Ward
Ben Morgan

EAST FLAT ROCK, FIRST
J. R. Brown

EBENEZER
Mrs. Mary Nix
Mr. J. H. Merrell

ETOWAH
G. W. Owens
H. P. Houk
J. W. Jones
W. J. Marone

FORK CREEK
Ben W. McCrary

FRIENDSHIP NO. 2
Whit Nelson

FRUITLAND
Mrs. M. F. Edmundson
W. E. Jackson

HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST
Otto A. Brookshire
Mrs. R. C. Campbell
John Franklin Dermid
A. Ficker
John L. Forrest
William A. Garren
Joseph L. Huggins
James B. Lampley
Mrs. Duke Morse
Leon Rector
Mrs. Fred R. Seibert
Mrs. Harley V. Shipman
Mrs. B. F. Staton

HOOPERS CREEK
Mrs. Tiny Fowler

GREEN RIVER
R. H. Levi

LOCUST GROVE
Mrs. Emmie McMinn

MILLS RIVER
L. R. Edmundson

MOUNTAIN HOME
Ben F. Justice
Mrs. Sara Justice

MOUNTAIN PAGE
Mrs. Emily Pace

MUD CREEK
Logan McCraw
Elezar (Jim) Hillingsworth

OAK FOREST
W. C. Anderson
Mrs. Rose Rainey

OAK GROVE
Mrs. Ella Dryman
Mrs. Irene Hill
Mrs. Jim Dryman

PLEASANT GROVE
Turley Justus
Larry Hollingsworth

REFUGE
Mrs. Govan Jackson
Govan King

SHAWS CREEK
Mrs. Roy Clayton
W. P. Chancy

TRYON, FIRST
Ernest Burnette
W. D. Greene

TUXEDO
Cromer Bradley

UPWARD
Clayton Ward
Harley Justis

VALLEY HILL
Lloyd Laughter
Mrs. Docia Steppe

HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith			
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text. Gen. 35:34
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. I. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M. L. Shipman	Fruitland	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Beulah	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Hoopers Creek	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Conner	J. T. Freeman	Riverside	A. R. Love
1903	J. L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Fruitland	A. R. Love
1904	J. L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Mt. Gilead	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	W. A. Terrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	E. H'ville	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Pleasant Hill	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	T. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthorne	Salem	K. W. Cawthorne
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J.J. Slattery	Mt. Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J. P. Corn	J.J. Slattery	E. Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W. A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Ebenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargent	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	E. Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W. B. Sinclair	Roy Bennet	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Mrs. J. L. Redden	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Roy Bennett	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Chas. Vause	H'ville 1st	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie		Fletcher and	W. W. Worley
		A. V. Reese	E. Flat Rock	Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek	O. M. Seigler
			and Refuge	B. G. Henry
1945	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Horse Shoe	J. N. Shufford
			and Balfour	L. A. Erwin
1946	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Oak Grove	Wayne Peek
1947	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Mud Creek	Fred Poplin
1948	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	H'ville 1st	Ralph Banning
1949	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Valley Hill	C. E. Scarborough
1950	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Dana	D. H. Daniels
1951	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Refuge	W. C. Huntley
1952	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	East Flat Rock	N. A. Melton
1953	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Mud Creek	Mack M. Goss
1954	N. A. Melton	Mrs. Fred J. Swift	Etowah	W. F. Sinclair
1955	N. A. Melton	Mrs. Fred J. Swift	Tryon, First	R. A. Banning

Fletcher — Henry Colbert, Fletcher, N.C.

Broad River - Wade Huntly, Forest City, N.C.

Tuxedo, N.C.

Mt. Pisgah - Floyd Bergman - Travelers Rest, S.C.

TABLE A. CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

Bridgeman

CHURCHES (62)	Location Rural V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES MODERATOR Rev. N. A. Melton Rt. 2, Hendersonville	GAINS: Baptisms	GAINS: Letters and Other Additions	LOSSES: Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	TOTAL: Total Resident Members	TOTAL: Total Non-resident Members	TOTAL: Grand Total Present Members	Special Information: Revival Meetings Held	Number Tithers	Every Member Canvas	State Paper in Budget	No. Missions Supported by Church	Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor or not)
Balfour	R	1908	All	W. C. Huntley, Balfour	6	19	14			513	2	72	*	*		3120.00
Barker Heights	T	1944	All	C. E. Haynes, 114 Stepp St., H'ville	3	9	13			186			*	*	2	3120.00
Barnwell	R	1864	1-3	O. J. Smith, 105 Hall St., H'ville			1		4	19			**			80.00
Bat Cave *	V	1892	All	~~O. Lee Gregory, Bat Cave~~	6	10	7	90	36	119	1	10	*	*		1500.00
Bear Wallow	R	1868	All	John Dickson, Rutledge Drive, H'ville	5	3	2	55	19	74	1	19	*	*		1268.00
Berea	R	1921	All	Ernest Blythe, Rt. 3, Hendersonville			2			173	1		*	**		260.00
Beulah	R	1820	All	Wade Worley, Hendersonville	9	1	1	224	50	274	2					968.00
Broad River *	R	1866	All	Wade Huntley, ~~Hendersonville~~	6	14	1	64	46	110	1					1773.00
Calvary	C	1905	All	W. F. Sinclair, Box 532, Hendersonville	3	4	2			218	2	30		*		3120.00
Cedar Springs *	R	1847	1-3-4	~~J. W. Jackson, Horse Shoe~~												
Crab Creek	R	1834	All	Richard Pace, Box 125, Flat Rock	1		4	102	54	156	1					467.00
Cross Roads	R	1912	2-4	A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.		1		40	84	124	1				1	670.00
Dana	R	1936	All	W. Silas Bradley, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	9	12	2	89	47	136	2					2990.00
Double Springs	R	1871	1-2-3-4	Zeb Brookshire, Hendersonville			4	67	46	113			*	*		400.00
East Flat Rock, First	T	1911	All	N. B. Phillips, Hendersonville	10	7	12	325	76	401	1					5200.00
Ebenezer	R	1817	All	L. K. Holbert, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	14	24	10	596		596	2		*	*	2	5675.00
Etowah *	R	1926	2-4-5	~~W. F. Sinclair, Box 532, Hendersonville~~	17	6	12	175	77	252	1		*	*		1200.00
Fletcher	T	1926	All	~~Harold McKinnish, Fletcher~~	40	19	10	200	64	264	3	20		*		3750.00
Fork Creek *	R	1891	All	~~Floyd Bridgeman, Travelers Rest~~	7	2	2	45	31	76	2		*	*		363.00
French Broad	R	1792	All	B. G. Henry, Hendersonville	1	4	1	53	17	75	1	12		**		1200.00
Friendship No. 1	R	1834	All	Edd Corn, Tuxedo												

No Report

QUINTIN Rawlings, Saluda, N.C.

Rollins

Bat Cave * Lyman Wilson, Fruitland Baptist Assembly, Hendersonville, N.C. SS.

Tuxedo - Randall Fomes - Tuxedo, N.C. - Phone No. 9971

Oak Forest - Rev. Carl Taylor - 8 1/2 Ridgeview Drive, H'ville, N.C.

Friendship No. 2	R		All	Eugene Saltz, Penrose	12	17	1			96	1	17	*	*			
Fruitland	R	1875	All	N. A. Melton, Hendersonville	7	7	2			200	2		**				3000.00
Green River	R	1846	All	George Brian, Tuxedo			4	31	87	118	1					1	896.00
H'ville, First	C	1844	All	Mack M. Goss, Box 536, Hendersonville	81	105	85	1387	427	1814	3	310	**	*			6160.00
H'ville, West	C	1936	All	Floyd B. Clark, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	30	17	8	301		262	2		*	*			2660.00
Holly Springs	R	1860	All	O. D. Rhodes, Dermid Ave., H'ville	21	10	3	65	67	132	3						605.00
Hoopers Creek	R	1776	All	Howard Cabe, Balfour	7	1	7	255		255	2						2580.00
Horse Shoe	R	1888	All	Cecil A. Worsham, Hendersonville		1	7			175	1	30	*	*			1785.00
Jones Gap	R	1892	All	Albert Laughter, Hendersonville	3		4	46	20	66							358.00
Laurel Springs *	R		All	~~Lloyd M. Howell, Box 1183, Black Mtn.~~	1	7	3	19		19	2	1					300.00
Liberty *	R	1911	All	Paul Shipman, ~~Rt. 1, Flat Rock~~ 21704	11	10	2	104		104	2	8					446.00
Locust Grove *	R	1898	All	~~W. A. Tinsley, Brookley Ave., H'ville~~	1		7	132		132	1						500.00
Macedonia	R	1898	1-3	George Flynn, Saluda	No Report												
Middle Fork *	R	1925	All	~~Horace Barnwell, Fletcher~~		1	4	32	46	78	1						260.00
Mills River	R	1835	All	John F. Rymer, Rt. 4, Hendersonville	14	5	7	85	50	135	1	40					1986.00
Mount Gilead	R	1883	All	~~Troy W. Lunsford, Rt. 1 Fletcher~~	7	3	9			264	2						2159.00
Mount Moriah	R	1839	All	Ralph Banning, Edneyville	12		7	227	59	286	2	29					3400.00
Mount Olivet	R		All	~~Grover Deddenbach, Rt. 1, Zirconia~~	2					168							
Mountain Home	R	1892	1-2-3-4	James L. Mullinax, Balfour			6			293	2						954.00
Mountain Page *	R	1789	1-2-3-4	~~John Allen, Tryon~~	2	3	10			267	1						1112.00
Mountain Valley *	R	1915	1-2-3-4	~~H. H. Mace, Rt. 3, Hendersonville~~ Dead	7	1				87	2	15					156.00
Mountain View *	R	1949	1-2-3-4	~~James Sipe, 515 Grove St., H'ville~~	3	2	3	37	21	58		5					900.00
Mud Creek	R	1804	All	W. S. Billingsley, Rutledge Dr., H'ville	20	24	16	355	188	543	3		**				3900.00
Naples	R	1942	All	Paul B. Chandler, Jr., 96 Wendover Rd., A'ville	15	14	12	100	44	144	1	15					2080.00
* Oak Forest	R	1950	All	~~J. C. Cartee, Box 205, Fletcher~~	3	10	2	87	3	90	2	10					1820.00
Oak Grove *	R	1875	All	~~Leo Bell, Tuxedo~~	2	10	5				2						
Pacolet *	V	1916	All	~~John Allen, Tryon~~	1		16	40	100	140							1786.00
Pleasant Grove *	R	1859	2-4	J. D. Brogdon, Lakeside Dr., H'ville	7	12	6	56	102	158	2						450.00
Pleasant Hill	R	1880	All	L. R. Rhodes, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	23	7	3	150	20	130	2	50					1541.00
Refuge	R	1837	All	George A. Roberts, Box 1016, Dana	18	7	7	389	75	464	1	100					3120.00
Saluda	T	1882	All	L. J. Rainey, Saluda	17	12	7	151	38	189	1	40					3000.00
Shaws Creek	V	1881	All	T. G. Proctor, Rt. 4, Hendersonville	11	16	12	198	221	310	1	50					4400.00
Tryon, First	T	1892	All	Roy F. Easterly, Tryon	42	33	19	346	37	387	2	133	**				4800.00
Tryon, Second	V	1924	All	Vergil D. Jones, Balfour	3	6	3	67	45	112	2						1820.00
* Tuxedo	V	1910	All	~~W. M. Belcher, Tuxedo~~	3	1	11	264	140	404	2	35	**				3900.00
* Upward	R	1940	All	~~Boyce Powell, 437 Haywood St., Asheville~~	6	8	7	83	3	86	1						332.00
* Valley Hill	V	1908	All	Paul Lovingood, Stepp St., H'ville	23	17	13	65	138	503	2	30					3900.00
* Warrior Mtn.	R	1933	All	~~Harrison Chapman, Lynn~~			2	12	30	42	2						109.00
Zion Hill	R	1914	All	Horace Jones, Hendersonville		2		80	20	100	1	15					900.00
Zirconia *	R	1953	All	~~No Pastor at Present~~	2	6	3	60		60	3	22					1200.00
Totals					554	515	423	7349	2632	12750	84	1118	6	2	6	102439.00	

*—Indicates "No"; *|—Indicates "Yes."

TABLE B. THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL SUPERINTENDENT Roy C. Bennett Box 362, Hendersonville SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES	SUNDAY SCHOOL ENROLMENT															
		Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	Extension Dept.	Officers Not Counted Classes and Department	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance V.B.S.	January Bible Study	Number Training Schools
Balfour	E. D. Dunlap, Box 57, Balfour	45	45	17	40	62	51	17	136	4	2	419	342	205	179	**	
Barker Heights	Robt. L. Glover, Jr., 1422 Old Sptnbg. Rd.		16	16	20	32	15	24	41			164	100	100	80	*	
Barnwell	Mrs. O. J. Smith, 105 Hall St.	3	3	13	10	6	7	2	17	5		66	25	59	43	*	
Bat Cave	Ed. Stearns, Rt. 1, Hendersonville Stevens	4		12	7	10	6	18	25			82	55	44	40	*	
Bear Wallow	W. K. Owensby, Gerton, N. C.			6	4	7		8	22			47	33	23		*	
Berea	Gurley Patterson, Rt. 3			8		7	10		23			48	35			*	
Beulah	Carl McCarson, Rt. 3			14	8	10	15		115			162	90	62	57	**	
Broad River	J. C. Ledbetter, Black Mountain			17		7	14	2	35			75	60				
Calvary	T. D. Tweed, 1227 Ridgewood Ave.		12	13	40	25	16	37	37		3	183	135	100	86	*	
Cedar Springs	J. B. Beddingfield, Zirconia											70	55				
Crab Creek	J. R. Bell, R.F.D. No. 3			6	10	6	13		20		7	62	43	60	47	**	
Cross Roads	Niel Jones, Zirconia, N. C.			10		11		13	13		10	57	36			*	
Dana	Manson Gordon, Rt. 1	2		15	13	10		6	50		2	98	67	57	53	**	
Double Springs	Troy Thomas, Zirconia, N. C.											37				*	
East Flat Rock, First	Rafe P. Lockaby, Hendersonville	9	15	63	46	53	27	42	164	6	1	425	266	163	135	**	1
Ebenezer	Marvin Holbert, Hendersonville		20	35	40	34	40	75	132			376	282	128	124	*	
Etowah	Charlie Sumners, Etowah, N. C.			26	41	25	30	24	85	6	4	206	125	107	99	*	2
Fletcher	Howard Garren, Fletcher, N. C.			18	20	28	29	30	50		4	250	176	144	124	*	
Fork Creek	Mark Rhodes, Rt. 1, Saluda, N. C.			10	12	8	9	16	14		8	77	63			*	
French Broad	R. M. Pinson, Rt. 5		8		4		10	13	17			52	38			**	
Friendship No. 1	Clifford Ramsey, Saluda											80	60				
Friendship No. 2	Hubert Orr, Penrose, N. C.		8		12	17		26	19		4	86	70			*	

Fruitland	J. C. Justus, Rt. 2	7	10	14	12	20	20	6	88			178	106	76	72	*	1
Green River	Ulysses Bayne, Zirconia, N. C.	3		7	9	12	12	16	39			98	76	86	81	*	
H'ville, First	C. F. Jervis, 311 Ehringhaus	76	120	70	167	165	130	123	620	149	15	1635	777	300	251	**	1
H'ville, West	John Rollins, 715 Jones St.		21	14	23	32	12	14	53		2	171	110	87	80	*	
Holly Springs	R. C. Anders, Rt. 1, Penrose, N. C.											90	75	36	30	*	
Hoopers Creek	Fred Youngblood, Fletcher, N. C.			17	13	23	24	36	44			157	157	78	68	*	
Horse Shoe	Charles Sitton, Rt. 1, Horse Shoe, N. C.			4	8	7	14	14	19	15	3	84	62	49	40	*	
Jones Gap	Charley Mace, Rt. 3				8	10			18			36	21			*	
Laurel Springs	Hardy Ownbey, Rt. 6, Asheville			13		12		11	13			49	33			*	
Liberty	Walter Parks, Edneyville, N. C.											64	43	59		*	
Locust Grove	Roy Taylor, Rt. 2			20		20	20	15	25			100	75	36	34	*	
Macedonia	Raymond Guin, Saluda											60	50				
Middle Fork	Edward Huntley, Bat Cave, N. C.		5	2	6	3	1	3	22		1	42	26			*	
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe, N. C.			15	10	18		9	40			92	53	86	79	*	
Mount Gilead	J. P. McCrary, Horse Shoe, N. C.			20	17	19	11	26	43			136	78	90	90	*	
Mount Moriah	Foy Hill, Edneyville, N. C.		5	16	19	36	27	39	88		4	230	112	120	100	*	1
Mount Olivet	Alva Ballard, Zirconia, N. C.			15	10	18	19		36			104					
Mountain Home	Clyde Stepp, Edneyville, N. C.			20	23	25	36	34	34		6	178	82			*	
Mountain Page	Herman Pace, Saluda, N. C.			20	32	25	27	30	30			164	129	57	52	*	
Mountain Valley	R. F. Maybin, Zirconia, N. C.			8	9	12	20	17	14			80	55			*	
Mountain View	Daries Brevard, Rt. 2, Hendersonville			20		10	5	9	15			59	44	53	42	*	
Mud Creek	Edward K. Thomas, Rutledge Drive, Rt. 3	13	19	18	38	52	42	22	160	18	13	395	239	135	125	*	2
Naples	Carl Allen, Mountain Home, N. C.			21	27	20	16	34	77			195	111	87	82	*	
Oak Forest	Marvin Keener, Rt. 1, Fletcher, N. C.			25	10	30	15	10	35			125	93	70	67	*	
Oak Grove	A. G. Hill, Tuxedo, N. C.				6	8	10	10	20			54				*	
Pacolet	Buddy Covil, Lynn, N. C.		10	15	15	15	16	12	40		2	125	88	56	55	*	
Pleasant Grove	W. H. Gray, Rt. 4			18		12	15	26	15			89		42	40	*	3
Pleasant Hill	Jim Hardin, Rt. 3			20				25	5		5	150	95			*	
Refuge	Grady Walker, Sr., Rt. 1	6		28	36	58	51	22	132		3	326	196	122	102	**	
Saluda	Nolan D. Pace, Saluda, N. C.	14	15	14	18	15	11	5	68	25		185	101	120	105	*	
Shaws Creek	A. J. Nanney, 1038 N. Justice St.	10	30	26	24	30	29	22	139	4	1	300	170	67	63	**	1
Tryon, First	R. B. Scruggs, Box 313, Tryon, N. C.	8	33	17	39	56	36	25	147	19	4	387	201	121	100	**	
Tryon, Second	John L. Underwood, Box 1223, Tryon, N. C.			10	17	28	17	11	53		4	140	89	94	82	*	
Tuxedo	Roy Boone, Tuxedo, N. C.			24	30	26	15	29	130			254	189	125	120	*	
Upward	Robt. Burgoughs, Rt. 1, Flat Rock, N. C.			10	10	15	5	8	30			78	50	47	47	*	
Valley Hill	M. J. Banning, Mountain Home, N. C.	9	10	25	30	45	45	20	135	25	5	349	170	175	134	*	
Warrior Mtn.	No Sunday School																
Zion Hill	A. E. Taylor, Zirconia, N. C.											50		55	40	*	1
Zirconia	Jack Dryman, Zirconia, N. C.	6	6	11	6	7		14	15			65				*	
Totals		209	411	876	999	1242	993	1050	3457	276	113	10193	6112	3781	3248	10	13

*—Indicates "No"; **—Indicates "Yes."

TABLE C. TRAINING UNION

TRAINING UNION ENROLMENT

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR Mrs. J. M. Huggins Rt. 1, Hendersonville TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
Balfour	Miss Edna Corn, Box 27, Balfour	9			10	12	15	23	4	73	55
Barker Heights											
Barnwell											
Bat Cave	Mr. Louie E. Meyer, Gerton		4		4	6		13		27	23
Bear Wallow	Grayson Bradley, Gerton					11		5		16	
Berea											
Beulah	Coy McCarson, Rt. 3, Hendersonville				15		20	22		57	
Broad River											
Calvary	Mrs. Jessie Ledbetter, 316 2nd Ave. E., H'ville			4	19	4	12	15	3	57	40
Cedar Springs											
Crab Creek											
Cross Roads											
Dana	James Hyder, Rt. 2, Hendersonville		8	5	9		6	28	3	59	40
Double Springs											
East Flat Rock, First	Leonard Drake, Box 391, E. Flat Rock	9		10	16	15	12	38		100	67
Ebenezer											
Etowah	Mrs. Charlis Saunders, Etowah		7	11	10	13	15	25	5	87	49
Fletcher	W. L. Pearson, Arden	2	3	7	17	22	15	17	7	90	59
Fork Creek											
French Broad											
Friendship No. 1											

Friendship No. 2												
Fruitland	Fred Pressley, Rt. 1, Hendersonville		7		12	6		21		46		
Green River	Clyde R. Morgan, Zirconia			8	10		12	12	5	47	41	
H'ville, First	Zella Woody, Box 536, Hendersonville	32	31	38	85	74	39	140	7	446	212	
H'ville, West	Allen F. Cantrell, 1220 Park St., Hendersonville	6			10	9	6	16	2	40	35	
Holly Springs												
Hoopers Creek												
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Charles Capps, Rt. 5, Hendersonville		10		4	8	5	8	3	38	29	
Jones Gap												
Laurel Springs												
Liberty												
Locust Grove	Glenn Barnwell, Rt. 5, Hendersonville		10		15	15		20		60	50	
Macedonia												
Middle Fork												
Mills River	R. F. Bryson, Horse Shoe		6		14		8	9		37	24	
Mount Gilead	Albert Bryson, Rt. 1, Arden		6			5	25	16		52	51	
Mount Moriah	Coy Duncan, Edneyville			20	12	21	25	14	5	97	57	
Mount Olivet												
Mountain Home	M. A. Martin, Edneyville			20		25		30	3	78	40	
Mountain Page												
Mountain Valley												
Mountain View	Darius Brevard, Rt. 2, Hendersonville		8		6	9		11		34	25	
* Mud Creek	~~Frank L. Morley, Jr., Greenville Hwy., H'ville~~		5	13	24	34	16	24	3	121	79	
Naples	Grady Shealy, Mt. Home			14	14	20		30		78	40	
Oak Forest												
Oak Grove												
Pacolet												
Pleasant Grove	T. C. Williams, Rt. 4, Hendersonville					13		11	9	24	15	
Pleasant Hill												
* Refuge	~~Oliver Mashburn, Box 1035, Dana~~		3		11	14	20	18	4	70	55	
Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda		6		18	7	10	28		69	48	
Shaws Creek	Finley Pace, Rt. 4, Hendersonville		8		12	18	24	29	4	95	60	
* Tryon, First	~~Mr. Pat Osborne, Box 203, Tryon~~		3	7	18	15	14	30	2	89	54	
Tryon, Second	J. E. Brock, Tryon	6			10		6	26		48	30	
Tuxedo	James W. Henderson, Tuxedo				12	22	23	37	3	107	66	
Upward												
Valley Hill	Miss Mildred Mintz, 106 Gibbs, Hendersonville		10		14	28	15	14	4	85	48	
Warrior Mtn.												
Zion Hill												
Zirconia												
Totals		64	135	157	401	426	343	730	76	2327	1392	

Tryon, First - Harold Taylor, Rt. 1, Tryon, N.C.

Mud Creek - A. L. Summers, 2039 Old Spartenburg Rd, Hendersonville, Telephone - 6048

Refuge - Ernest Hyder, Route 1, Hendersonville -

TABLE E. BROTHERHOOD WORK—BUILDING—GOALS—CHURCH LIBRARY—CHURCH MUSIC—VISUAL EDUCATION

ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD PRESIDENT

Carroll Clark
Box 1051, Hendersonville

CHURCHES	PRESIDENTS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	No. Meetings Held	Young Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	No. Meetings Held	R. A. Enrolment	No. Meetings Held	Total Brotherhood Enrolment	No. Meetings Held	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Total Church Debt at End of Year	Goal Cooperative Program Coming Year	Goal Association Missions Coming Year	Does Church Have Library?	Number Choirs	Total Choir Enrolment	Music Budget	Use Church Music Mag.	Had Music Training Course	Film-strip Projector	Motion Picture Projector
Balfour						13	4			10000.	25000.	30.00	300.00			1	40					
Barker Heights																						
Barnwell											3000.				*							
Bat Cave	Mr. Otis Pryor, Bat Cave, N. C.	15	24								25000.					2	20		*	*		
Bear Wallow											10000.		125.00									
Berea											5000.					1						
Beulah																						
Broad River																						
Calvary										7000.	25000.					1						
Cedar Springs																						
Crab Creek											8000.					1	20					
Cross Roads											5000.					15						
Dana	Mr. W. K. Hyder, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	9	12			6	12	9	12		20000.			60.00								
Double Springs																						
East Flat Rock, First	Sherwood Shipman, Hendersonville	32	12			1	4				140000.				*	3			*			
Ebenezer											45000.									*		
Etowah						15	16															
Fletcher										6000.	46000.											
Fork Creek											52000.					1						
French Broad																1	12		*			
Friendship No. 1																						

Friendship No. 2																			1	25							
Fruitland	Fred Pressley, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	10	12			12	52	22	64							*	1	16			*					
Green River																											
H'ville, First	Allen Freeman, Box 334, Hendersonville	56	12	30	12			86	24	15000.	550000.		33000.	900.	*	8	200	50		*	*	*	*				
H'ville, West											14321.																
Holly Springs																											
Hoopers Creek																											
Horse Shoe											20000.		10%	65.00													
Jones Gap																											
Laurel Springs											2500.																
Liberty											2500.																
Locust Grove											2000.																
Macedonia																											
Middle Fork											3000.																
Mills River						14	52				10000.		100.00		*												
Mount Gilead										6000.	26000.	1946.30															
Mount Moriah											20000.		60.00	80.00		2	42			*							
Mount Olivet																											
Mountain Home											10000.																
Mountain Page											10000.																
Mountain Valley											7000.																
Mountain View												650.00															
Mud Creek										35000.	90000.		600.00	240.00	*	2	40										
Naples											5000.		345.27	60.00													
Oak Forest											20000.	1000.00															
Oak Grove																											
Pacolet											4000.																
Pleasant Grove																1											
Pleasant Hill																											
Refuge	W. B. Marshall, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	25	12			23	8	48	20		50000.	5300.00	260.00	180.00													
Saluda										6000.	15000.				*	2	31										
Shaws Creek	Hubert Orr, White Pine Dr.. Hendersonville	25	12	9	12	25	52	59	76		25000.		414.68	120.00	*		16			*							
Tryon, First	Byron Rector, Box 422, Tryon	47	10					47	10		165000.	20000.00				1	31	75.00									
Tryon, Second																											
Tuxedo										15000.	40000.		1062.00	60.00		1	15										
Upward											15000.	1.40															
Valley Hill	Andy Edney, Rt. 3, Hendersonville	30	27			16	13	46	40	10000.	23000.		100.00	150.		2	49	100.									
Warrior Mtn.																											
Zion Hill																											
Zirconia																											
Totals		249	133	39	24	125	213	317	246	110000	1583210.	59036.30	36366.95	1915.00	8	47	557	675.00	4	6	1	2					

TABLE F AND G. TOTAL GIFTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock, N. C. TREASURER AND ADDRESSES	Total Gifts for All Purposes	Total Salaries (Do Not Include Pastor's Salary Here)	Maintenance, Insurance, Repair, etc.	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary (Money Paid)	Grand Total Local Expense
Balfour	D. R. Lyda, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	27889.00	600.00	442.00	58795.00	843.00	603.00	449.00	12380.00	1365.00	75477.00	3120.00	78597.00
Barker Heights	Mrs. George Redmond, 114 Blue Ridge St., H'v		240.00			172.00		50.00	1100.	448.00	2010.	3120.00	5130.00
Barnwell	Clarence Barnwell, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	1058.00	18.00	38.00	772.00	39.00				57.00	924.00	80.00	1004.00
Bat Cave	Mrs. DeWitt Freeman, Bat Cave	5878.00	120.00	281.00	2659.00	106.00	322.00	448.00	90.00		4026.00	1050.00	5076.00
Bear Wallow	Miss Ruth Merrell, Gerton	3803.00	144.00	242.00	943.00	93.00	168.00	181.00		409.00	2180.00	1268.00	3448.00
Berea	Henry Redmond, Rt. 3, Hendersonville	620.00				40.00				146.00	186.00	260.00	446.00
Beulah	Fred B. Wilkie, Rt. 3, Hendersonville		124.00	951.00		165.00	252.00	37.00		112.00	1641.00	968.00	2609.00
Broad River	Ben Owenby, Black Mountain				972.00	34.00	520.00	248.00			1774.00	2351.00	4125.00
Calvary	J. D. Tweed, 1227 Ridgewood Ave., H'ville	6544.00		469.00	75.00	150.00	140.00	461.00	396.00	1037.00	2728.00	3120.00	5848.00
Cedar Springs													
Crab Creek	Lawrence Barnwell, 1211 Cherokee St., H'vill	1809.00	300.00	49.00	33.00	169.00	149.00	40.00		70.00	818.00	467.00	1285.00
Cross Roads	N. A. Morgan, Zirconia					138.00		46.00			184.00	670.00	854.00
Dana	H. J. Pace, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	6143.00		442.00	110.00	180.00	285.00	201.00		1397.00	2615.00	2990.00	5605.00
Double Springs	Eugene Hudson, Rt. 1, Zirconia			50.00		15.00				30.00	95.00	400.00	495.00
East Flat Rock, First	Hugh D. Morrison, Hendersonville	17045.00	1560.00	1305.00		984.00	599.00	250.00		226.00	4924.00	3725.00	8649.00
Ebenezer	Miss Margarette Freeman, Hendersonville	3136.00	360.00	550.00	150.00	500.	1647.00			300.00	3507.00	5675.00	9182.00
Etowah	Felex F. Weese, Etowah	5243.00	285.00	248.00		424.00	105.00	327.00		285.00	1674.00	1200.00	2874.00
Fletcher	W. A. Dunlap, Box 222, Fletcher	7134.00		147.00		203.00		726.00		1911.00	2987.00	3750.00	6737.00
Fork Creek	Mrs. W. A. McCrary, Rt. 1, Saluda			324.00		45.00	78.00	65.00		113.00	625.00	363.00	988.00
French Broad	Mrs. J. D. Hooper, Horse Shoe	3061.00		313.00	114.00	96.00	143.00	130.00		179.00	975.00	1358.00	2333.00
Friendship No. 1	Willis L. Holbert, Box 2, Saluda												

Friendship No. 2	Mrs. Lola Mathis, Penrose													
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	8630.00		24.00	3141.00	323.00	200.00	325.00		317.00	4330.00	1970.00	6300.00
Green River	Quentin Capps, Rt. 3, Hendersonville		120.00	288.00		100.00		85.00	2168.00	153.00	2914.00	897.00	3811.00
H'ville, First	Allen Freeman, Box 334, Hendersonville	100248.00	11014.00	4822.00		4630.00	628.00	1340.00		6924.00	29358.00	6160.00	35518.00
H'ville, West	Mrs. John Rollins, 715 Jones St., H'ville	6212.00		344.00	1423.00	362.00		218.00		649.00	2996.00	2660.00	5656.00
Holly Springs	Mrs. Annie Morrison, Hendersonville	2286.00			1017.00	51.00	24.00	116.00		181.00	1389.00	605.00	1994.00
Hoopers Creek	Vollie Suttles, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	8352.00	360.00		93.00	180.00	323.00	360.00		1687.00	3003.00	2580.00	5583.00
Horse Shoe	Miss Mary Byrd, Horse Shoe	3064.00		177.00	492.00	151.00	60.00	100.00		329.00	1309.00	1786.00	3095.00
Jones Gap	Mrs. Virgil T. Jones, Sr.			99.00		35.00	80.00			64.00	278.00	358.00	636.00
Laurel Springs	Buddy Hollifield, Box 321, Swannanoa	2608.00	74.00		1300.00	7.00		97.00	384.00	48.00	1910.00	300.00	2210.00
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville					30.00		79.00		273.00	382.00	446.00	828.00
Locust Grove	Miss Ann Clingenpeel, Rt. 2, H'ville				550.00	226.00	174.00	64.00		400.00	1414.00	500.00	1914.00
Macedonia	Horace Guice, Rt. 1, Saluda												
Middle Fork	Mrs. Luther Hill, Gerton		52.00	54.00		19.00	110.00	35.00			270.00	260.00	530.00
Mills River	Clifford Sitton, Horse Shoe	4303.00			694.00	105.00	40.00	205.00	100.	269.00	1413.00	1987.00	3400.00
Mount Gilead	Mrs. C. C. Ballard, Box 261, Fletcher	4869.00	520.00	109.00		160.00		166.00	494.00	222.00	1671.00	2160.00	3831.00
Mount Moriah	Alvin Dalton, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	8092.00	267.00	743.00	3861.00	210.00		128.00	38.00	420.00	5667.00	3640.00	9307.00
Mount Olivet	H. M. Tankersley, Rt. 1, Zirconia												
Mountain Home	M. A. Martin, Edneyville					227.00		49.00		206.00	482.00	954.00	1436.00
Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Rt. 1, Saluda	2447.00	95.00	400.00		286.00	228.00			39.00	1048.00	1112.00	2160.00
Mountain Valley	Grant Maybin, Zirconia	1758.00		169.00	564.00	147.00				100.00	980.00	156.00	1136.00
Mountain View	Mrs. Ben H. Jones, Hendersonville	2877.00			1663.00	75.00	4.00	100.00		900.00	2742.00	900.00	3642.00
Mud Creek	Mrs. Lula Kent, Rt. 3, Hendersonville	23402.00	1852.00	2269.00	5469.00	927.00	1286.00	797.00	4961.00	490.00	18051.00	3900.00	21951.00
Naples	Mrs. R. B. Smith, Naples	6441.00	270.00	195.00	1228.00	322.00	140.00	185.00		339.00	2679.00	1748.00	4427.00
Oak Forest	Ray Ruth, Rt. 1, Fletcher	5913.00	96.00	179.00	2145.00	131.00	229.00	225.00	600.00	360.00	3965.00	1820.00	5785.00
Oak Grove	Holbert Crisp, East Flat Rock												
Pacolet	Edwin Wilson, Lynn	3730.00				86.00		75.00	589.00	850.00	1600.00	1786.00	3386.00
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Earl Gray, Etowah		28.00	159.00	2086.00	107.00	136.00	30.00			2546.00	450.00	2996.00
Pleasant Hill	Hebert Curtis, Rt. 3, Hendersonville					85.00		319.00		85.00	489.00	1542.00	2031.00
Refuge	W. W. Ballard, Box 1055, Dana	9088.00	480.00	160.00	938.00	418.00	750.00	101.00	1199.00	719.00	4765.00	3168.00	7933.00
Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda	14191.00		1040.00	3180.00	421.00	83.00	761.00		772.00	6257.00	1715.00	7972.00
Shaws Creek	J. L. Nanney, Hendersonville	16572.00	558.00	648.00	13959.00	636.00	421.00	244.00	190.00	211.00	16867.00	4400.00	21267.00
Tryon, First	Miss Iris Jackson, Box 546, Tryon	22853.00	2162.00	1383.00	382.00	861.00		622.00	5000.	2652.00	13062.00	3450.00	16512.00
Tryon, Second	Theodore Burrell, Box 913, Tryon	4949.00	250.00	593.00	55.00	262.00		200.00	1639.00	73.00	3112.00	1820.00	4932.00
Tuxedo	James Henderson, Tuxedo	9695.00	758.00	569.00	300.00	370.00	296.00	582.00		198.00	3073.00	3900.00	6973.00
Upward	Few Hoots, Rt. 1, Flat Rock			36.00	146.00	88.00	100.00	76.00	18.00	300.00	764.00	333.00	1097.00
Valley Hill	E. C. Stepp, Lakeside Dr., Hendersonville	12377.00	520.00	551.00	4457.00	539.00	221.00	175.00		1108.00	7571.00	3900.00	11471.00
Warrior Mtn.	Mrs. Ina Garrett, Lynn			31.00				69.00		9.00	109.00	109.00	218.00
Zion Hill	John B. Hill, Rt. 1, Zirconia	1300.00		441.00	758.00	60.00	90.00	900.	500.	150.00	2899.00	900.00	3799.00
Zirconia	Nora Anders, Zirconia		120.00			129.00		220.00	800.00		1269.00	1150.00	2419.00
Totals		**375610.00**	**23347.00**	**21334.00**	**114524.00**	**17162.00**	**10634.00**	**12707.00**	**32696.00**	**29591.00**	**261984.00**	**101457.00**	**363441.00**

TABLE H AND I. MISSION EXPENDITURES AND TOTAL EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY
Clay R. Barnes
Brevard Rd. at Broadway
Hendersonville

CHURCHES	CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Other Objects Relief and Annuity, etc.	Total Mission Expenditures	Grand Total Expenditures for All Purposes
Balfour	Emerson Searcy, 412 Armstrong Ave., H'ville	300.00	156.00	110.00		137.00	115.00	245.00	100.00		1163.00	79760.00
Barker Heights	Mrs. Quay Nelson, 401 Barker Ave., H'ville							240.00	300.00		540.00	5670.00
Barnwell	Mrs. Jane Barnwell, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	10.00	5.00	5.00	5.00			10.00	14.00	5.00	54.00	1058.00
Bat Cave	Mrs. L. E. Meyer, Gerton	258.00	30.00	23.00	30.00	57.00		312.00	58.00	32.00	800.00	5876.00
Bear Wallow	Doris E. Oates, Gerton	107.00	10.00			5.00		130.00	35.00	52.00	339.00	3787.00
Berea	R. Fisher, Rt. 3, Hendersonville											
Beulah	Fred B. Wilkie, Rt. 3, Hendersonville	194.00		20.00				219.00	20.00		453.00	3062.00
Broad River	Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mountain							59.00	22.00		81.00	4206.00
Calvary	Miss Ethel MacMurray, 505 Williams St., H'ville			50.00		556.00		38.00	51.00		695.00	6543.00
Cedar Springs	James M. Capps, Zirconia											
Crab Creek	Mrs. Reba Barnwell, 1211 Cherokee, H'ville							134.00	40.00	17.00	191.00	1476.00
Cross Roads	Wilburn M. Jones, Box 21, Zirconia								10.00		10.00	864.00
Dana	R. T. Pace, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	86.00	5.00	60.00	60.00	24.00	71.00	71.00	67.00		444.00	6049.00
Double Springs	Elmer Hudson, Zirconia											
East Flat Rock, First	Broadus Phillips, Box 354, East Flat Rock	1140.00	100.00		160.00	727.00	350.00	1200.00	625.00	452.00	4754.00	13403.00
Ebenezer	James E. Stepp, Rt. 1, Hendersonville				406.00	259.00	200.00	740.00	250.00	1241.00	3096.00	12278.00
Etowah	Henry L. Heatherly, Etowah		78.00	41.00	116.00	170.00		700.00	100.00		1205.00	4079.00
Fletcher	W. A. Dunlap, Fletcher						10.00	85.00	76.00		171.00	6908.00
Fork Creek	Mrs. Allie Rhodes, Rt. 1, Saluda		18.00		58.00			39.00	26.00		141.00	1129.00
French Broad	Mrs. Everett Newman, Rt. 5, Hendersonville											
Friendship No. 1	Willis L. Holbert, Box 2, Saluda	230.00	10.00	32.00	8.00			10.00	22.00	27.00	339.00	339.00

Friendship No. 2	Mrs. Joyce Atkins, Rt. 2, Hendersonville												
Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, Hendersonville	677.00	110.00	157.00	100.00	324.00	117.00	585.00	200.00	60.00	2330.00	8630.00
Green River	Alvin Staton, Zirconia				102.00	420.00	21.00	18.00			561.00	4372.00
H'ville, First	F. D. Hills, Box 536, Hendersonville	18315.00	996.00	335.00	400.00	1700.00		1504.00	364.00	1413.00	25027.00	60545.00
H'ville, West	W. A. Pressley, Hendersonville	54.00	45.00		18.00	42.00		100.00	34.00		293.00	5949.00
Holly Springs	Odell McKinney, Penrose								50.00	132.00	183.00	2177.00
Hoopers Creek	Howard Youngblood, Fletcher							182.00	182.00		364.00	5947.00
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Oscar Pettit, Rt. 5, Hendersonville	107.00	7.00	9.00	5.00	10.00		11.00			149.00	3244.00
Jones Gap	Mrs. Virgil T. Jones, Rt. 4, Hendersonville							21.00	25.00	10.00	56.00	692.00
Laurel Springs	Mrs. Charles L. Searcy, Box 110, Lake Lure											2210.00
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Edneyville								18.00		18.00	846.00
Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Rt. 2, Hendersonville	15.00	10.00	13.00	10.00	10.00		36.00	43.00	5.00	142.00	2056.00
Macedonia	Wade G. Pace, Box 53, Saluda											
Middle Fork	Mrs. R. C. Messer, Bat Cave								20.00		20.00	550.00
Mills River	Joe Field, Rt. 1, Horse Shoe	131.00	52.00	27.00	20.00	36.00	25.00	404.00	54.00	64.00	813.00	5026.00
Mount Gilead	Mrs. Elizabeth C. Kdan, Rt. 1, Arden				131.00	75.00	52.00	53.00	41.00	49.00	401.00	4237.00
Mount Moriah	Inez McKillop, 2003 Chimney Rk. Rd., H'ville	39.00	80.00	30.00		72.00		229.00	41.00	486.00	977.00	10284.00
Mount Olivet	Otho Tankersley, Rt. 1, Zirconia											
Mountain Home	Roland Jones, Edneyville									42.00	42.00	1478.00
Mountain Page	R. W. Bell, Rt. 1, Saluda							163.00	29.00	16.00	208.00	2368.00
Mountain Valley	J. E. Corn, Zirconia				150.00			207.00	3.00		360.00	1496.00
Mountain View	Mrs. George Erwin, 724 Duncan Hill Rd., H'ville							10.00		8.00	18.00	3660.00
Mud Creek	Ralph E. Osteen, Rutledge Dr., H'ville	585.00	120.00	80.00	219.00	336.00	400.00	946.00	600.00	284.00	3570.00	25521.00
Naples	Mrs. Alma Corn, Mountain Home	345.00	60.00	22.00	20.00	50.00		304.00	50.00		851.00	5278.00
Oak Forest	Peggy Cartee, Box 205, Fletcher					100.00		10.00	19.00		129.00	5914.00
Oak Grove	Pritchard Halford, East Flat Rock											
Pacolet	Rosa Henson, Lynn		28.00		19.00			115.00	59.00	74.00	295.00	3681.00
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lathe Williams, Rt. 4, Hendersonville			5.00	5.00	5.00		240.00	57.00		322.00	3318.00
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Cleat Hardin, Rt. 3, Hendersonville							30.00	10.00	50.00	90.00	2121.00
Refuge	Mrs. Willie B. Marshall, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	260.00	166.00	48.00	88.00	72.00		228.00	43.00	251.00	1156.00	9009.00
Saluda	Mrs. E. B. Hall, Saluda	381.00	70.00	273.00	103.00	122.00		682.00	59.00	176.00	1866.00	9838.00
Shaws Creek	Troy A. Drake, Rt. 4, Hendersonville	415.00	193.00	200.00	36.00	193.00	15.00	180.00	59.00	65.00	1356.00	22623.00
Tryon, First	Mrs. J. W. Taylor, Tryon	2567.00	228.00					123.00	133.00	80.00	3131.00	19643.00
Tryon, Second	William Whitmire, Box 341, Tryon			10.00				75.00	95.00		180.00	5112.00
Tuxedo	W. J. Lewis, Tuxedo		40.00	172.00	218.00	572.00			144.00	144.00	1290.00	8263.00
Upward	William Kitchen, Rt. 1, Hendersonville				86.00			68.00	25.00	60.00	239.00	1336.00
Valley Hill	Mrs. Avis Mintz, 106 Gibbs St., H'ville	33.00	150.00	125.00	128.00	116.00	75.00	84.00	100.00	156.00	967.00	12438.00
Warrior Mtn.	Mrs. Frits Hipps, Saluda							14.00			14.00	232.00
Zion Hill	J. H. Boyd, Zirconia	9.00							30.00	60.00	99.00	3993.00
Zirconia	Mrs. Fred Huggins, Zirconia		6.00			70.00		35.00	14.00	300.00	425.00	2844.00
Totals		26258.00	2773.00	1847.00	2791.00	6260.00	1451.00	10889.00	4417.00	5811.00	62418.00	446366.00

TABLE D. WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL PRESIDENT Mrs. M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock, N. C. PRESIDENTS OF W.M.S. AND ADDRESSES	W. M. S. Units	Y. W. A. Units	G. A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W. M. S. Enrolled	Y. W. A. Enrolled	G. A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Total Tithers All Organizations
Balfour	Mrs. George Seigler, Box 106, Balfour 3039	1	1	1	1	4	27	19	26	5	77	51
xBarker Heights	Mrs. Joe Goforth, 404 Sub Station St., H'ville	1				1						
Bat Cave	Mrs. Carrie Cannon, Bat Cave	1					12				12	5
xBear Wallow	Mrs. Betty Huntley, Gerton											
Calvary	Mrs. Jess Brooks, Rt. 5, Hendersonville	1					20				20	20
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Rt. 1, Flat Rock	1		1	1	3	9		4	4	17	6
East Flat Rock, First	Mrs. Nora Nanney, East Flat Rock	1	1	1	1	4	32	12	14	24	82	50
Etowah	Mrs. Carl Cantrell, Etowah 7820	1		1	1	3	38		12	8	58	15
xFletcher	Mrs. Ruth Guinn, Fletcher											
xFrench Broad	Mrs. B. G. Henry, Box 449, Hendersonville 6872											
Fruitland	Mrs. J. B. Rymer, Rt. 2, Hendersonville 3838	1		1	1	3	17		6	12	35	12
Green River	Mrs. O. W. Staton, Rt. 1, Zirconia	1		1		2	15		10		25	
H'ville, First	Mrs. W. A. Garren, Box 847, Hendersonville	1	1	2	2	6	210	31	41	71	353	180
H'ville, West	Mrs. J. V. Queen, Rt. 3, Hendersonville	1		1		2	10		10		20	
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Albert Capps, Rt. 1, Horse Shoe	1				1	22				22	18
Liberty	Mrs. Walter Parks, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	1				1	15				15	9
Locust Grove	Mrs. Earl Barnwell, R.F.D. 2, Hendersonville	1				1	12				12	
Mills River	Mrs. Robert Bryson, Rt. 1, Horse Shoe	1		2		3	23		21		44	30
Mount Moriah	Mrs. Allen Smith, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	1	1	2	1	5	18	4	31	8	61	12
Mountain Valley	Mrs. Hicks Maybin, Rt. 3, Hendersonville	1		1	1	3	12		10	15	37	
Mud Creek	Mrs. Donnis Justus, Rutledge Dr., Hendersonville	1		1	1	3	29		18	26	73	44
Naples	Mrs. Naomi Smith, Mountain Home	1				1	18				18	
Oak Forest	Mrs. Katherine Ruth, Rt. 1, Fletcher	1				1	22				22	10
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. O. S. Gray, Rt. 4, Hendersonville	1				1	15				15	
Refuge	Mrs. Garland Brown, Rt. 1, Hendersonville	1	1	2	1	5	41	11	21	35	108	60
Saluda	Mrs. Dan W. Pace, Saluda	1			1	2	19			12	31	19
Shaws Creek	Mrs. Hubert Orr, 902 White Pine Dr., H'ville 5065	1	1	1	1	4	24	9	23	20	76	26
Tryon, First	Mrs. Louise Powell, Tryon	1	1	2	1	5	70	13	23	26	132	45
Tuxedo	Mrs. O. A. Caldwell, Tuxedo	1	1		1	3	19	15		7	41	16
Upward	Mrs. A. D. Hill, Rt. 1, Flat Rock 21328											
Valley Hill	Mrs. C. C. Brown, 1201 Cherokee St., H'ville	1		1	1	3	44		13	21	78	20
Tryon, Second	Mrs. E. D. Smith, Box 471, Tryon	1					10				10	
Totals		28	8	21	16	70	803	114	283	294	1494	648

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ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICERS

Moderator	Rev. N. A. Melton, Rt. 2, Hendersonville --6752
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Pianist	
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W. M. U.	Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock ---------7652
Brotherhood	Mr. Carrol Clark, Box 1051, H'ville ------6096
Assoc. Missionary	Rev. Clay Barnes, Rt. 4, Hendersonville ----4274

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MISSIONS

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FINANCE

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Mr. R. N. Sentelle — Rev. M. J. Banning

PROGRAM

Rev. N. A. Melton, Chairman

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Rev. W. C. Huntley, Chairman

Rev. N. B. Phillips — Mr. W. G. Egerton

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER

Rev. W. C. Huntley, Chairman

Rev. George Roberts — Mr. Wade Worley

ON RESOLUTIONS

Rev. M. L. Lewis, Chairman

Rev. L. K. Holbert — Mr. Byron Rector

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Three Year Term

Rev. W. S. Billingsley — Mr. Albert Hill
Mr. Bill Pearson — Rev. John Rhymer

TWO YEAR TERM

Rev. Roy F. Easterly, Chairman — Mr. Raleigh Maxwell
Mrs. T. G. Proctor — Mr. John Sinclair

ONE YEAR TERM

Rev. N. A. Melton — Rev. N. B. Phillips
Mr. W. B. Sinclair — Miss Zella Woody

STANDING COMMITTEES TO REPORT IN 1957

Sunday School ---------- Zeno Greene
Training Union ---------- Mrs. Junius Huggins
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Baptist Brotherhood ---------- Mr. Carroll Clark
Junior Brotherhood ---------- Mr. Frank Neville
State Missions ---------- Rev. George Roberts
Home Missions ---------- Rev. W. S. Billingsley
Foreign Missions ---------- Mrs. Howard Sitton
Baptist Hospital ---------- Mrs. Virgil Jones
Children's Home ---------- Rev. Frank Colvard
Home for Aging ---------- Mr. W. B. Sinclair
Christian Education ---------- Rev. Lyman Wilson
Christian Literature ---------- Rev. Roy Easterly
Temperance and Public Morals ---------- Rev. Paul Lovingood
Relief and Annuity ---------- Rev. Mack Goss

STUDENTS FOR THE MINISTRY IN ASSOCIATION

Hendersonville First

Bill Jones — Wake Forest College

OTHER MINISTERS BELONGING TO CHURCHES

BALFOUR: Clyde Gasperson, T. R. Huntly, Woodrow Maxwell, Jimmy Riddlehoover.
BARKER HEIGHTS: Arthur E. Jones
BROAD RIVER: P. C. Searcy
CALVARY: Perry Gibbs, Rex Freeman, Kenny Joseph
CRAB CREEK: Jesse Osteen
EAST FLAT ROCK: Iron Kuykendall, J. W. Owensby
EBENEZER: Gordon Corn, Quay Corn, Edward Kelly, Link Levi, John Seay, Bobby Taylor, William Tinsley, Bill Walker
FLETCHER: Bill Bryant, Loyd Gosnell, Thurl Middleton, Clarence Bishop
FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST NO. 2: Vaughn Mathis
FRUITLAND: M. L. Lewis, E. W. Freeman
HENDERSONVILLE FIRST: F. M. Huggins, Zeno Greene, Wade Worley, Clay Barnes, J. C. Canipe, Thomas Thompson, Boyd Sutton
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HOLLY SPRINGS: Wynn Frady, Albert Rhodes
HOOPERS CREEK: Horace Barnwell, Odell Barnwell, Thomas Lewis, Jobie Lewis, Curtis Riddle
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MILLS RIVER: William A. Field
MT. GILEAD: J. M. Crawford, Jack Tillman
MOUNT OLIVET: Alvia Ballard

MOUNTAIN VALLEY: Alfred Heatherly, D. R. Corn, Harley Capps
MUD CREEK: Arnold Edney, Carl Taylor, Gillis Osteen
NAPLES: John Middleton
OAK FOREST: J. C. Cartee, L. G. Hendrix, Allison Robinson
OAK GROVE: Vinson Cable, Frank Jackson, Willard Smith
PACOLET: Rex Plemmons
PLEASANT GROVE: C. E. Blythe, Bobo Hollingsworth
PLEASANT HILL: L. R. Rhodes, Harold Cabe, Willard Rhodes
SAULDA: Luther Peace
SHAWS CREEK: C. W. Mainwaring, I
TRYON, FIRST: Roy Greene, Eugene Jones
TRYON, SECOND: C. P. Burrell, J. E. Brock
TUXEDO: General Beddingfield, Edward Corn, Leo Bell
UPWARD: Foy Jackson
VALLEY HILL: R. P. Quinn, Albert Laughter
WARRIOR MOUNTAIN: M. R. Earley
ZION HILL: W. B. Morgan

MESSENGERS TO ASSOCIATION

BALFOUR: Mrs. E. S. Justus, Mrs. W. A. Henderson, Mrs. F. M. McCarron

BARKER HEIGHTS: Arthur Jones, Elbert Jones, Joe Goforth, Mrs. G. C. Connell, Mrs. Junnia Floyd

BARNWELL: Clarence Barnwell, O. J. Smith

BAT CAVE: Mrs. Dewitt Freeman, Mrs. S. W. Johnson, Mrs. Kenneth Sumner. Alternates: Mrs. Carrie Cannon, William Garvin

BEAR WALLOW: K. G. Owensby, W. R. Wall, C. R. Searcy, Mrs. H. J. Oates, Mrs. Bryson Ruff, Alternates: Mr. Bryson Ruff, Mrs. C. R. Searcy

BEULAH: Mrs. J. P. Huggins, Mrs. Stella Mace, Mrs. Agnes Mintz, Mr. Pierson Green, Mr. J. W. Cantrell, Miss Thelma Drake.

BROAD RIVER: Paul Dotson, Ray Owenby, Luther Ledbetter, Ethel Owen, Effie Belcher.

CALVARY: Miss E. MacMurry, Mrs. Ed Powell, Mrs. Everett.

CRAB CREEK: Mrs. Reba Barnwell, R. A. Hurt, Mrs. Gertrude Hamilton, Mrs. Eva Ward, James Hurt. Alternates: Ann Barnwell, Leonard Barnwell, Lawrence Barnwell.

CROSS ROADS: Irvin Jones, Joy Burrell, Wilburn M. Jones, Miss Alice Jones, Miss Beatrice Burrell, Mrs. Grace Osteen.

DANA: Mrs. R. T. Pace, Buddy Pace, Mrs. E. L. Marshall, Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Rev. Silas Bradley, Mrs. Silas Bradley.

DOUBLE SPRINGS: Mrs. Clyde Wood, Troy Thomas, Mrs. Esta Hudson.

EAST FLAT ROCK: Mrs. Glover Clark, Mrs. Rafe Lockaby, Mr. M. K. Sinclair, Mrs. M. K. Sinclair, Mrs. John A. Sinclair, D. G. Wilkie

EBENEZER: Rev. L. K. Holbert, Mrs. L. K. Holbert, Ray Allen.

ETOWAH: Ansel Jones, R. N. Sentelle, G. W. Allison, Mrs. C. W. Sumner, Mrs. R. H. McCall. Alternates: Mrs. R. N. Sentelle, Mrs. W. A. Morgan.

FORK CREEK: Rev. Billy Sandifer, Mrs. Billy Sandifer, Mrs. Allie Rhodes. Alternates: Miss Etta Kilpatrick, Mrs. Frank Nash, Mrs. Mack Rhodes.

FRENCH BROAD: Mrs. R. M. Pinson, Mrs. B. G. Henry, Mr. Harold Liverett.

FRUITLAND: J. B. Jackson, Mrs. Raymond Bridgman, Howard Sitton, Mrs. Sitton, Louise Pitillo, J. C. Justus. Alternates: Baby Metcalf, Mrs. N. A. Melton, Mrs. J. M. Huggins, Celia Garren, Rev. C. W. Freeman.

HORSE SHOE: Mr. Lavoid Norton, Mrs. Norton, Mrs. Lamar Brogden, Mrs. Charles Sitton, Mrs. J. C. Reese.

JONES GAP: Charley Mace, Mrs. Charley Mace, Mrs. Louise Levi, Hobson Justus.

LIBERTY: Rev. Paul Shipman, Rev. T. A. Rhinehart, Mrs. Rhinehart, Mrs. Lloyd Barnwell, Mrs. Flave Rhodes. Alternates: Mr. R. E. Shehan, Mrs. Shehan, Mr. John White, Mrs. John White.

LOCUST GROVE: Mrs. Finley Orr, Mrs. S. B. Walker, Mrs. Carl Clingenpeel, Alternates: Mrs. Wayne Brevard, Mr. Hugh Brevard.

MILLS RIVER: Rev. John T. Rhymer, Mr. R. F. Bryson, Ruby Lee Holden, Mrs. Velma Brittain, Mrs. Robert Ingle

MT. GILEAD: Mrs. Albert Bryson, Miss Hazel Miller, Miss Marie Ballard, Miss Lois Praytor, Mrs. Stephen Kdan.

MT. MORIAH: Clanny Laughter, Albert Hill, Samuel Nix, Mrs. Sidney Hill, Mrs. Grady Gilliam. Alternate: Inez McKillop.

MT. HOME: Nathan Stepp, Clyde Stepp, Weldon Stepp, Glenn Jackson, Loyd Laughter. Alternate: Mrs. Glenn Jackson.

MTN. PAGE: Rev. General Beddingfield, W. L. Davis, Early Staton. Alternates: Mrs. Nina Hill, Mrs. Dora Gordon, Mrs. Mary Bell.

MTN. VALLEY: Rev. Bill Walker, Grant Maybin, Robert Camp, Elmo Corn.

MTN. VIEW: Spencer James, Mrs. George Erwin, Mrs. W. E. Heaton

MUD CREEK: Charlie Steadman, James Bryson, Cling Osteen, Willie Jean Osteen, Mrs. Ella Summers. Alternates: Mrs. A. E. Croom, Mrs. Margaret Bennison.

NAPLES: Rev. Paul Chandler, Mrs. Dora Orr, Miss Lonnie Orr, Mrs. Harry Loland. Alternates: Mrs. Vernon Youngblood, Mrs. Ira Ray, Mrs. C. S. Smith, Mrs. Paul Chandler.

OAK FOREST: Rev. Carl Taylor, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Katherine Ruth, Mrs. Isabelle Hutchinson, C. B. Reed, Marvin Keener, Frank Barton.

PACOLET: Rex Plemons, Mrs. J. R. Henson, Bud Morgan, Mrs. Cheatwood, Mrs. Ruppy Capps. Alternates: Charlie Gosnell, Lety Foster, Mrs. C. Constance, C. Constance, Mamie Thompson.

PLEASANT GROVE: Mrs. Lathe Williams, Richard Hamilton, Roy Blythe, Walter Gray, Mrs. Robert Wilson. Alternates: Mrs. George Strickland.

REFUGE: Rev. George Roberts, W. J. Ballard, Mrs. W. J. Ballard, Mrs. Vernie Mashburn, Mrs. Carol Pettit, Mrs. Elmer Capps. Alternate: Mrs. Gertie Labor.

SALUDA: Mr. R. B. Staton, R. L. Savage, Mrs. Dan Pack. Alternates: Mrs. L. J. Rainey, Mrs. W. G. Eggerton, Burgie Pace.

SHAW'S CREEK: Mrs. T. G. Proctor, G. H. Orr, T. G. Proctor.

TRYON, FIRST: Mrs. Harold Taylor, Rev. Roy Easterly, Mrs. Dick Taylor, Mrs. Byron Rector, Mr. Byron Rector. Alternates: Mrs. Eb Bishop, Mrs. Roy Easterly, Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. Ella Range.

TRYON, SECOND: Theodore Burrell, W. T. Cantrell, Donald Hipp, Rev. Vergil Jones, J. L. Underwood. Alternates: Mrs. Mary Brock, Mrs. Juanita Gosnell, Mrs. Mae Smith.

TUXEDO: W. J. Lewis, Mrs. Cartee, Mrs. Anthony, Mrs. Joines, Roy Boone, Rev. Randall Joines.

VALLEY HILL: Glen Summey, D. H. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Eula Mintz, Mrs. Maze Hardin, Mrs. Clara Babb. Alternates: Mrs. Dave Halford, Mrs. Guy Sitton, Mrs. Tommy Magee, Mrs. Gene Spellman, Mrs. Audey Edney.

WARRIOR MTN.: Bain Foster, Gene Anderson, Phillys Anderson, Rev. Milton Endean.

ZION HILL: J. F. Lindsay, Jim Hammett, J. H. Boyd, Mrs. J. F. Lindsay, Mrs. Hammett.

ZIRCONIA: Weldon Bradley, Mrs. Jessie Whitmire, Mrs. R. L. Thompson.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

BALFOUR:

Pastor ----------Rev. W. C. Huntley, Balfour, N. C.
Clerk ----------Emerson P. Searcy, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ----------D. R. Lyda, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------Ezekiel Dunlap, Balfour, N. C.
BTU Director ----------Miss Edna Corn, Balfour, N. C.
WMS President ----------Mrs. Georgie Seigler, Balfour, N. C.
Music Director ----------Harvey Erwin, Balfour, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Miss Veda Erwin, Hendersonville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------W. J. Mills, Box 24, Balfour, N. C.

BARKER HEIGHTS

Pastor ----------Rev. C. E. Haynes, 414 Stepp St., H'ville, N. C.
Clerk ----------Miss Alice Conner, Box 1148, H'ville, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Mrs. George Redmond, 114 Blue Ridge St., H'ville
S. S. Superintendent ----------Robert Glover, Jr., Hendersonville, N. C.
BTU Director ----------Miss Ruby Moss, Hendersonville, N. C.
WMS President ----------Mrs. Flave Anders, Blue Ridge St., H'ville, N. C.
Music Director ----------John Redmond, Hendersonville, N. C.
Organist ----------Glenn Connor, Hendersonville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------Lloyd Connor, Box 1148, H'ville

BARNWELL

Pastor ----------Rev. O. J. Smith, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ----------Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Clarence Barnwell, Hendersonville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------Edgar Barnwell, Rt. 1, H'ville, N. C.

BAT CAVE
- Pastor ---- Rev. Lyman Wilson, Fruitland, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Mrs. Louie E. Meyer, Gerton, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- Mrs. DeWitt Freeman, Bat Cave, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- Edward Stevens, Bat Cave, N. C.
- BTU Director ---- Mr. Louie Meyer, Gerton, N. C.
- WMS President ---- Mrs. William Garvin, Bat Cave, N. C.
- Music Director ---- James Scott, Bat Cave, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- James Scott, Bat Cave, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- Thomas Oates, Gerton, N. C.

BEAR WALLOW
- Pastor ---- Rev. John H. Dickson
- Clerk ---- Doris E. Oates, Box 2, Gerton, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- R. D. Owensby, Gerton, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- K. G. Owensby, Gerton, N. C.
- WMS President ---- Mrs. Mary Frances Dickson, H'ville, N. C.
- Music Director ---- F. J. Wall, Gerton, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Doris Oates, Gerton, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- F. J. Wall, Gerton, N. C.

BEREA — (No Report)

BEULAH
- Pastor ---- Rev. Wade Worley, Dana, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Fred B. Wilkie, H'ville, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- Fred B. Wilkie, H'ville, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- J. P. Huggins, Sr., H'ville, N. C.
- BTU Director ---- C. G. Thornton, Sr., Hendersonville, N. C.
- Music Director ---- Mrs. Annie Cantrell, H'ville, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Dorothy Ann McCarson, H'ville, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- J. P. Huggins, Sr., Rt. 4, H'ville, N. C.

BROAD RIVER
- Pastor ---- Rev. Wade Huntley, Rutherfordton, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mtn., N. C.
- Treasurer ---- Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mtn., N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- J. C. Ledbetter, Jr., Black Mtn., N. C.
- Music Director ---- Boyd Wright, Black Mtn., N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Mrs. Cleo Huntley
- Chairman of Deacons ---- Luther B. Ledbetter, Black Mtn., N. C.

CALVARY
- Pastor ---- Rev. W. F. Sinclair, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Ethel MacMurray, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- James D. Tweed, H'ville, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- James D. Tweed, H'ville, N. C.
- BTU Director ---- F. C. Osborne, Hendersonville, N. C.
- WMS President ---- Mrs. Jess Brooks, H'ville, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Mrs. Perry Gibbs, H'ville, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- Clyde English, Grove St., H'ville

CEDAR SPRINGS — (No Report)

CRAB CREEK
- Pastor ---- Rev. Richard Pace, Flat Rock, N. C.

Clerk ---------- Mrs. Reba Barnwell, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Lawrence Barnwell, H'ville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- James Bell, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Lawrence Barnwell, H'ville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Ann Barnwell, Hendersonville, N. C.

CROSS ROADS

Pastor ---------- Rev. A. T. Howard, Landrum, S. C.
Clerk ---------- Wilburn M. Jones, Zirconia, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Newman Morgan, Zirconia, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Nile Jones, Zirconia, N. C.
Music Director ---------- N. A. Maybin, Zirconia, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Beatrice Burrell, Zirconia, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- Joy C. Burrell, Zirconia, N. C.

DANA

Pastor ---------- W. Silas Bradley, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ---------- Mrs. R. T. Pace, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- H. J. Pace, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Ned R. Wells, Hendersonville, N. C.
BTU Director ---------- Hesley Pace, Hendersonville, N. C.
WMS President ---------- Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Flat Rock, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Flat Rock, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Patricia Bradley, Hendersonville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- H. J. Pace, Rt. 1, H'ville, N. C.

DOUBLE SPRINGS

Pastor ---------- Rev. Zeb Brookshire
Treasurer ---------- O. E. Hudson, Zirconia, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Troy Thomas, Zirconia, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Clyde Ward
Chairman of Deacons ---------- Troy Thomas, Zirconia, N. C., R-1

EAST FLAT ROCK, FIRST

Pastor ---------- N. B. Phillips, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ---------- Broadus Phillips, East Flat Rock, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Hugh D. Morrison, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Rafe Lockaby, Hendersonville, N. C.
BTU Director ---------- Jack Jones, Hendersonville, N. C.
WMS President ---------- Mrs. Nora Nanney, East Flat Rock, N. C.
Music Director ---------- D. G. Wilkie, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Mrs. John A. Sinclair, Hendersonville, N. C.
Librarian ---------- Sreptia Allen, East Flat Rock, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- David H. Huff, East Flat Rock, N. C.

EBENEZER

Pastor ---------- Rev. L. K. Holbert, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ---------- James E. Stepp, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Mr. Foy C. Marlowe, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Marvin Holbert, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Walter Pace, Saluda, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Margaret Orr, Hendersonville
Chairman of Deacons ---------- Virgil Smith, Balfour, N. C.

ETOWAH
- Pastor ---- John F. Rymer, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- Felix F. Weese, Etowah, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- C. W. Sumner, Etowah, N. C.
- BTU Director ---- Ansel Jones, Etowah, N. C.
- WMS President ---- Mrs. C. C. Cantrell, H'ville, N. C.
- Brotherhood President ---- Henry Heatherly, Etowah, N. C.
- Music Director ---- Jimmie Cantrell, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Pianist ---- Wanda Sumner, Etowah, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- Felix F. Weese, Etowah, N. C.

FLETCHER
- Pastor ---- Rev. Henry Colvard, Fletcher, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Mr. R. B. Smith, Naples, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- W. A. Dunlap, Fletcher, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- Howard Garren, Fletcher, N. C.
- BTU Director ---- W. L. Pearson, Arden, N. C.
- WMS President ---- Mrs. Ruth Guinn, Fletcher, N. C.
- Music Director ---- Clarence Bishop, Fairview, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Mrs. W. A. Dunlap, Fletcher, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- T. M. Whitaker, Arden, N. C.

FORK CREEK
- Pastor ---- Rev. Billy Sandifer, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Geneva Rhodes, Saluda, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- Geneva Rhodes, Saluda, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- Andrew Belcher, Saluda, N. C.
- BTU Director ---- Mack Rhodes, Saluda, N. C.
- Music Director ---- Mrs. Frank B. Nash, Saluda, N. C.
- Organist or Pianist ---- Mrs. C. M. Lawson, Saluda, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- Mack M. Rhodes, Rt. 1, Saluda, N. C.

FRENCH BROAD
- Pastor ---- B. G. Henry, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Mrs. Arnold Liverett, Mtn. Home, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- Mrs. J. D. Hooper, Horse Shoe, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- William Russell, Hendersonville, N. C.
- WMS President ---- Mrs. B. G. Henry, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Mrs. Everett Newman, H'ville N. C.

FRIENDSHIP NO. 1 — (No Report)

FRIENDSHIP NO. 2
- Pastor ---- Eugene Saltz, Penrose, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Lola Mathis, Penrose, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- Hubert Orr, Penrose, N. C.

FRUITLAND
- Pastor ---- Rev. N. A. Melton, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Clerk ---- A. P. Pittillo, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- Mrs. Clara Pace, Hendersonville, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- J. C. Justus, Hendersonville, N. C.
- BTU Director ---- Fred Pressley, Hendersonville, N. C.
- WMS President ---- Mrs. J. B. Rymer, Hendersonville, N. C.

Brotherhood President ---------- J. B. Jackson, H'ville, N. C.
Music Director ---------- J. M. Huggins, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Mrs. Fred Pressley, H'ville, N. C.
Librarian ---------- Mrs. Howard Sitton, Hendersonville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- H. L. F. Drake, Rt. 1, H'ville, N. C.

GREEN RIVER

Pastor ---------- Rev. George Brian, Flat Rock, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- C. Quentin Capps, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Mr. L. K. Pace, Zirconia, N. C.
WMS President ---------- Mrs. Fred Beddingfield, Zirconia, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Mrs. Edna McGinnis, Zirconia, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Bett McGinnis, Zirconia, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- Dwight Morgan, Zirconia, N. C.

HENDERSONVILLE, FIRST

Pastor ---------- Rev. Mack M. Goss, H'ville, N. C.
Clerk ---------- C. F. Jervis, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- W. M. Sitton, Jr., Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- C. F. Jervis, Hendersonville, N. C.
BTU Director ---------- Zella Woody, Hendersonville, N. C.
WMS President ---------- Mrs. W. A. Garren, Hendersonville, N. C.
Brotherhood President ---------- Feltz Collins, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ---------- J. Boyd Sutton, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Mary Brooks, Hendersonville, N. C.
Librarian ---------- Miss Charlotte Turner, Hendersonville, N. C.
Educational Director ---------- Zella Woody, Hendersonville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- W. B. Sinclair, Kanuga Rd., H'ville

HENDERSONVILLE, WEST

Pastor ---------- Rev. Floyd B. Clark, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ---------- W. A. Pressley, Sr., Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Mrs. John Rollins, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- John Rollins, Hendersonville, N. C.
BTU Director ---------- Arthur Freeman, Hendersonville, N. C.
WMS President ---------- Mrs. J. V. Queen, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Allen Cantrell, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Elouise Rollins, Hendersonville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- John Rollins, Jones St., H'ville, N. C.

HOLLY SPRINGS

Pastor ---------- Rev. O. D. Rhodes, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ---------- Albert Rhodes, Etowah, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Mrs. Cecil Morrison, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- R. S. Anders, Penrose, N. C.

HOOPERS CREEK

Pastor ---------- Rev. Howard Cabe, Balfour, N. C.
Clerk ---------- Howard Youngblood, Fletcher, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Norman Huntley, Asheville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Fred Youngblood, Fletcher, N. C.
Music Director ---------- D. J. Wilkie, Fletcher, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Betty Bagwell, Fletcher, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- Frank Huntley, Fletcher, N. C.

HORSE SHOE
Pastor ---------- Rev. Cecil Worsham, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ---------- Mrs. Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Mrs. Avery Kilpatrick, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe, N. C.
BTU Director ---------- Mrs. Fred Cairnes, Horse Shoe, N. C.
WMS President ---------- Mrs. Bruse Hollingsworth, Horse Shoe, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Levoyd Norton, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Mrs. J. C. Reese, Hendersonville, N. C.

JONES GAP
Pastor ---------- Rev. Albert Saughter, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Mrs. Virgil T. Jones, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Clyde McCarson, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Virgil T. Jones, Hendersonville. N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Mrs. Louise Levi, Hendersonville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- U. S. Nelson, Hendersonville, N. C.

LAUREL SPRINGS
Pastor ---------- Rev. Billy Bryant, Fletcher, N. C.
Clerk ---------- Mrs. Charles L. Searcy, Lake Lure, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Floyd Whitaker, Asheville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Hardy Owenby, Asheville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- Hardy Owenby, Rt. 6, Asheville, N. C.

LIBERTY
Pastor ---------- Rev. Paul Shipman, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ---------- Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Walter F. Parks, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Walter Parks, Hendersonville, N. C.
BTU Director ---------- R. E. Shehan, Hendersonville, N. C.
WMS President ---------- Mrs. R. E. Shehan, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Rev. I. A. Rhinehart, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Mrs. Rhinehart, Hendersonville, N. C.

LOCUST GROVE
Pastor ---------- Finley Orr, Brevard, N. C.
Clerk ---------- Wayne Brevard, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Ann Clingpeel, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Paul Clingpeel, Hendersonville, N. C.
BTU Director ---------- Carl Clingenpeel, Hendersonville, N. C.
WMS President ---------- Dorothy Barnwell, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Wayne Brevard, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Thelma McGuinn, Fletcher, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- Paul Clingenpeel, Rt 2, H'ville, N. C.

MACEDONIA — (No Report'

MIDDLE FORK
Pastor ---------- Rev. N. S. Bell, Bat Cave, N. C.
Clerk ---------- Mrs. Ollie Huntley, Bat Cave, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Mrs. Luther Hill, Gerton, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Mrs. Woody Pryor, Gerton, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- R. C. Messer, Bat Cave, N. C.

MILLS RIVER
- Pastor ---- Rev. John F. Rymer, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Joe Field, Horse Shoe, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- Clifford Sitton, Horse Shoe, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- Joe Field, Horse Shoe, N. C.
- BTU Director ---- Miss Ruby Holden, Horse Shoe, N. C.
- WMS President ---- Mrs. Velma Rymer, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Music Director ---- Mrs. Clifford Sitton, Horse Shoe, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Mrs. R. F. Brittain, Horse Shoe, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- R. K. Whitaker, Horse Shoe, N. C.

MOUNT GILEAD
- Pastor ---- Rev. Rex Freeman, Fletcher, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Mrs. Elizabeth Kdan, Arden, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- Mrs. Margie Ballard, Fletcher, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- Mr. J. P. McCrary, Horse Shoe, N. C.
- BTU Director ---- Albert Bryson, Arden, N. C.
- WMS President ---- Mrs. Raid Miller, Horse Shoe, N. C.
- Music Director ---- Mrs. Roy Carland, Hendersonville, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Mrs. Laura Ann Ward, Arden, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- C. C. Ballard, Box 251, Fletcher, N. C.

MOUNT MORIAH
- Pastor ---- Rev. Ralph Banning, Edneyville, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- Alvin Dalton, Hendersonville, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- Troy Hill, Edneyville, N. C.
- BTU Director ---- Coy Duncan, Edneyville, N. C.
- Music Director ---- Mrs. Arthur Turner, Edneyville, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Mrs. Arthur Turner, Edneyville, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- Albert Hill, Edneyville, N. C.

MOUNT OLIVET
- Pastor ---- Rev. Ted Huntley, Balfour, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- Drayton O. Steen, Zirconia, N. C.
- Music Director ---- Chas O. Tankerslay, Zirconia, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Miss Rebecca Ballard, Zirconia, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- Herman Tankerslay, Zirconia, N. C.

MOUNTAIN HOME
- Pastor ---- Rev. James Mullinax, Balfour, N. C.
- Clerk ---- Roland Jones, Edneyville, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- W. A. Martin, Edneyville, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- Clyde Stepp, Edneyville, N. C.
- BTU Director ---- Donald Cole, Edneyville, N. C.
- Music Director ---- Roland Jones, Edneyville, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Mrs. Roland Jones, Edneyville, N. C.
- Chairman of Deacons ---- W. A. Martin, Edneyville, N. C.

MOUNTAIN PAGE
- Pastor ---- Rev. General Beddingfield, Tuxedo, N. C.
- Treasurer ---- Miss Maria Burns, Tryon, N. C.
- S. S. Superintendent ---- Fred Bell, Saluda, N. C.
- Music Director ---- Levi Pace, Saluda, N. C.
- Pianist or Organist ---- Beatrice Davis, Saluda, N. C.

Chairman of Deacons ----------R. W. Bell, Saluda, N. C.

MOUNTAIN VALLEY

Pastor ----------Rev. Bill Walker, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ----------Mrs. Kate Maybin, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Grant Maybin, Zirconia, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------Robert F. Maybin, Zirconia, N. C.
WHS President ----------Mrs. Kate Maybin, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ----------Fate Maybin, Zirconia, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Elsie Maybin, Zirconia, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------Hicks L. Maybin, Rt. 3, H'ville, N. C.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

Pastor ----------Luther Capell, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ----------Mrs. George Erwin, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Mrs. Ben H. Jones, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------Mr. Ben H. Jones, Hendersonville, N. C.

MUD CREEK

Pastor ----------Rev. W. S. Billingsley, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ----------Ralph E. Osteen, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Mrs. Lula Kent, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------Edward Thomas, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ----------A. L. Summers, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Miss Jean Osteen, Hendersonville, N. C.
Librarian ----------Patricia McCraw, Hendersonville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------Thomas Lyda, Brooklyn Ave., H'ville

NAPLES

Pastor ----------Rev. Paul Chandler, Jr., Asheville, N. C.
Clerk ----------Mrs. Alma Corn, Mountain Home, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Mrs. R. B. Smith, Naples, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------Carl Allen, Mountain Home, N. C.
BTU Director ----------Mr. Paul McKinney, Mountain Home, N. C.
WMS President ----------Mrs. Naomi Smith, Mountain Home, N. C.
Music Director ----------Elmo Orr, Mountain Home, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Betty Orr, Mountain Home, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------Spurgeon Williams, Mountain Home, N. C.

OAK FOREST

Pastor ----------Rev. Carl Taylor, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ----------James P. Baker, Fletcher, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Ray Ruth, Fletcher, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------Marvin Keener, Fletcher, N. C.
WMS President ----------Mrs. Katherine Ruth, Fletcher, N. C.
Music Director ----------Mrs. Katherine Ruth, Fletcher, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Mrs. C. B. Rud, Fletcher, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------Cecil Rice, Rt. 1, Fletcher, N. C.

OAK GROVE

Pastor ----------J. H. Hudson, Arden, N. C.
Clerk ----------Mrs. Wilma Moore, Flat Rock, N. C.
Treasurer ----------U. G. Hill, Tuxedo, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------Jasper P. Halford, E. Flat Rock, N. C.
Music Director ----------Vinson Cable, E. Flat Rock, N. C.

Pianist or Organist ----------Mrs. Ruby Reed, E. Flat Rock, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------Hubert Crisp, Flat Rock Rt. 1, N. C.

PACOLET
Pastor ----------Rev. M. C. Cheatwood, Spartanburg, S. C.
Clerk ----------Rosa Henson, Lynn, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Edwin Wilson, Lynn, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------Buddy Covil, Lynn, N. C.
Educational Director ----------Rex Plemons, Lynn, N. C.
Music Director ----------Martha Wilson, Lynn, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Lillian Constance, Lynn, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------Norman Foster, Lynn, N. C.

PLEASANT GROVE
Pastor ----------Rev. Albert Laughter, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ----------Mrs. Lathe Williams, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Mrs. Earl Gray, Etowah, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------W. H. Gray, Hendersonville, N. C.
BTU Director ----------Mrs. Ralph Pace, Hendersonville, N. C.
WMS President ----------Mrs. Lathe Williams, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ----------Mr. D. R. Justus, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Mrs. Robert Wilson, H'ville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------J. H. Drake, Rt. 1, H'ville, N. C.

PLEASANT HILL
Pastor ----------Rev. L. R. Rhodes, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ----------Mrs. Cleat Hardin, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ----------James H. Curtis, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------Kenneth Summy, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ----------Daniel Johnson, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Wanda Lewis McClain, Hendersonville
Chairman of Deacons ----------Portor Sosbee, R-3, H'ville, N. C.

REFUGE
Pastor ----------Rev. George A. Roberts, Dana, N. C.
Clerk ----------Mrs. Willie B. Marshall, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Coy Davis, Flat Rock, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------W. J. Ballard, Flat Rock, N. C.
BTU Director ----------Ernest Hyder, Hendersonville, N. C.
WMS President ----------Mrs. Garland Brown, Hendersonville, N. C.
Brotherhood President ----------Willie B. Marshall, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ----------Charles E. Holland, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Loretta Garrett, Flat Rock, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------S. N. Bayne, Dana, N. C.

SALUDA
Pastor ----------Rev. L. J. Rainey, Saluda, N. C.
Clerk ----------Mrs. E. B. Hall, Saluda, N. C.
Treasurer ----------W. G. Egerton, Saluda, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------Nolan D. Pace, Saluda, N. C.
BTU Director ----------Jack Ward, Saluda, N. C.
WMS President ----------Mrs. Dan W. Pace, Saluda, N. C.
Music Director ----------Mrs. L. J. Rainey, Saluda, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Mrs. Ed Phillips, Saluda, N. C.

Chairman of Deacons ----------Nolan D. Pace, Saluda, N. C.

SHAW'S CREEK

Pastor ----------T. G. Proctor, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ----------Troy A. Drake, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ----------J. L. Nanney, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville, N. C.
BTU Director ----------Finley Pace, Hendersonville, N. C.
WMS President ----------Mrs. G. H. Orr, Hendersonville, N. C.
Brotherhood President ----------G. H. Orr, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ----------A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Mrs. T. G. Proctor, Hendersonville, N. C.
Librarian ----------Beth Proctor, Hendersonville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------A. J. Nanney, 1038 Justice St., H'ville

TRYON, FIRST

Pastor ----------Rev. Roy F. Easterly, Tryon, N. C.
Clerk ----------Mrs. Fred McKaig, Tryon, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Miss Iris Jackson, Tryon, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------R. B. Scruggs, Tryon, N. C.
BTU Director ----------Harold Taylor, Tryon, N. C.
WMS President ----------Mrs. E. L. Bishop, Tryon, N. C.
Brotherhood President ----------Marion Brock, Tryon, N. C.
Music Director ----------Robert Simmons, Spartanburg, S. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Patricia Easterly, Tryon, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------John Moore, Tryon, N. C.

TRYON, SECOND

Pastor ----------Rev. V. D. Jones, Balfour, N. C.
Clerk ----------William Whitmire, Tryon, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Theodore Burrell, Tryon, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------J. L. Underwood, Tryon, N. C.
BTU Director ----------J. E. Brock, Tryon, N. C.
WMS President ----------Mrs. E. D. Smith, Tryon, N. C.
Music Director ----------Hulon Jackson, Tryon, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ----------Mrs. Ruth Bradshaw, Tryon, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------W. T. Cantrell, Tryon, N. C.

TUXEDO

Pastor ----------Rev. Randall Joines, Tuxedo, N. C.
Clerk ----------W. J. Lewis, Tuxedo, N. C.
Treasurer ----------James Henderson, Tuxedo, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ----------Roy Boone, Tuxedo, N. C.
BTU Director ----------James A. Henderson, Tuxedo, N. C.
WMS President ----------Mrs. O. A. Caldwell, Tuxedo, N. C.
Music Director ----------Carl Bell, Tuxedo, N. C.
Pianist ----------Mrs. Lillie Johnson, Tuxedo, N. C.
Organist ----------Elaine Corn, Tuxedo, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ----------H. J. Lindsey, Tuxedo, N. C.

UPWARD

Pastor ----------Rev. Albert Jones, H'ville, N. C.
Clerk ----------William Kitchene, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ----------Mrs. Ruby Maxwell, Flat Rock, N. C.

S. S. Superintendent ---------- Ben M. Walden, Flat Rock, N. C.
BTU Director ---------- Clara Jackson, Flat Rock, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Ruth Jackson, Flat Rock, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Mrs. Ben M. Walden, Flat Rock, N. C.

VALLEY HILL
Pastor ---------- Rev. Paul Lovingood, Hendersonville, N. C.
Clerk ---------- Mrs. Clyde Griffin, Hendersonville, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- E. C. Stepp, Hendersonville, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- M. J. Banning, Mountain Home, N. C.
BTU Director ---------- Mrs. Thomas L. Magee, H'ville, N. C.
WMS President ---------- Mrs. Fred Mintz, Hendersonville, N. C.
Brotherhood President ---------- E. S. Hamilton, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Edgar Sexton, Hendersonville, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Mrs. Fred Mintz, H'ville, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- J. C. Oates, Schl. St., H'ville, N. C.

WARRIOR MOUNTAIN
Pastor ---------- Rev. Milton Endean, Greenville, S. C.
Clerk ---------- Mrs. Frits Hipp, Saluda, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Mrs. Frits Hipp, Saluda, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- Gene Anderson, Saluda, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Mrs. Ned Anderson, Saluda, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- Bane Foster, Saluda, N. C.

ZION HILL
Pastor ---------- Rev. Horace Jones, Flat Rock, N. C.
Clerk ---------- J. H. Boyd, Zirconia, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- J. B. Hill, Zirconia, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- J. F. Lindsay, Hendersonville, N. C.
Music Director ---------- J. C. Pace, Sr., Zirconia, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- A. E. Taylor, Zirconia, N. C.

ZIRCONIA
Clerk ---------- Mrs. Isabelle M. Anders, Zirconia, N. C.
Treasurer ---------- Mrs. Nora Anders, Zirconia, N. C.
S. S. Superintendent ---------- G. W. Dryman, Zirconia, N. C.
Music Director ---------- Roy Burrell, East Flat Rock, N. C.
Pianist or Organist ---------- Mrs. Loree Morgan, Zirconia, N. C.
Chairman of Deacons ---------- W. A. Lindsey, Zirconia, N. C., Bx. 4

Carolina Baptist Association

REPORT OF TREASURER
FOR YEAR ENDING JULY 31, 1956

Balance on hand August 1, 1955	$ 654.12
Receipts to maintain Field Worker	3,390.22
Receipts from State Convention	1,400.00
Receipts for Minute Fund	377.40
Receipts — Miscellaneous	135.00
Receipts for Supply	135.00
Receipts — Fifth Sundays	97.23
Receipts for Evangelistic Crusade	37.50

Receipts — Deacons School	17.05
Receipts Mars Hill Centennial	65.00
Receipts from School of Music	8.40
	$6,498.51

DISBURSEMENTS

Salaries	$4,399.90	
Telephone Expense	242.94	
Rent	400.00	
Retirement Expense	146.65	
Mars Hill Centennial	65.00	
Visiting Speakers	40.00	
Travel Expense	287.47	
Supplies & Expense	413.11	
Minutes	390.58	$6,385.65
Balance on hand		112.86

Respectfully Submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

CHURCHES CONTRIBUTING TO SUPPORT OF FIELD WORKER AND MINUTE FUND

	Minute Fund	Field Worker
Balfour	15.00	182.00
Barker Heights		22.00
Bat Cave	5.00	30.00
Bear Wallow	5.00	43.43
Beulah	5.00	
Cross Roads	10.00	
Dana	10.00	60.00
Double Springs	5.00	
East Flat Rock	15.00	265.00
Ebenezer	10.00	
Etowah	18.00	60.00
Fletcher	12.00	97.50
French Broad	10.00	40.00
Fruitland	15.00	100.00
Green River	6.00	
Hendersonville First	25.00	900.00
Hendersonville West	5.00	15.00
Hoopers Creek	10.00	
Horse Shoe		28.00
Jones Gap	6.00	
Liberty	5.00	
Locust Grove	5.00	
Middle Fork	2.00	
Mills River	10.00	52.27

Mt. Gilead	5.00	
Mt. Moriah	12.50	30.00
Mtn. Home	3.00	10.00
Mtn. Page		4.85
Mtn. View	5.00	7.75
Mud Creek	20.00	295.00
Naples	12.00	60.00
Oak Forest	5.00	
Oak Grove		10.00
Pacolet	17.40	64.25
Pleasant Grove	5.00	
Refuge	10.00	156.00
Saluda	10.00	100.00
Shaws Creek	10.00	125.00
Tryon First	15.00	338.30
Tryon Second		45.00
Tuxedo	10.00	60.00
Valley Hill	10.00	155.00
Warrior Mountain	1.00	
Calvary	5.00	
Crab Creek	7.50	12.00
Zirconia	5.00	
Fork Creek		21.87
	$377.40	$3,390.22

Respectfully Submitted,
M. K. Sinclair, Treas.

CONSTITUTION AND RULES OF ORDER

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE 1 — Name and Constitution

Section 1. This body shall be known as the Carolina Baptist Association.

Section 2. It shall be composed of messengers and pastors of Missionary Baptist churches in Henderson and Polk Counties and other Missionary Baptist churches who wish to unite with them.

Section 3. Each church shall be entitled to three messengers and one additional messenger for each fifty members in excess of one hundred. Only the names of the messengers attending the meeting shall be printed in the minutes.

ARTICLE 2 — Objects

Section 1. The object of this association shall be to devise and recommend measures for the increasing of mental and spiritual power of the churches, and for developing and directing their energies, their resources and gifts in advancing the Master's Kingdom throughout the entire world.

ARTICLE 3 — Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this body shall be Moderator, Vice-Mod-

erator, Clerk, Historian, Treasurer, Associational Sunday School Superintendent, Associational B. T. U. Director, all of whom shall be elected by a majority vote at each annual meeting. These officers shall assume their duties at the close of the associational meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next annual meeting.

Section 2. The Moderator shall preside over all meetings of the body and see that order and decorum are observed by every member. He shall, by fraternal visitation, counsel and advise with churches regarding their work through the year.

Section 3. The Vice Moderator shall preside at the request of the Moderator.

Section 4. The Clerk shall distribute blank letter forms to the clerks of the churches in the Association. He shall keep an accurate record of the proceedings of the body and issue the minutes as soon as practical after adjournment. His annual compensation shall be $50.

Section 5. The Treasurer shall have charge of all the funds which may be raised by the Association, of which he shall give an account at the annual meeting.

ARTICLE 4

Section 1. The Association shall adopt such rules of order as from time to time be deemed advisable.

ARTICLE 5

Section 1. Any church holding the principles of the doctrines of Christ, and the ordinances of His house as accepted by Missionary Baptist churches, may become a member by application at any regular session of the Association, by a majority vote.

Section 2. Any church, in good standing in this Association may, on its own request, be dismissed by letter from membership.

ARTICLE 6

Section 1. The Association at any meeting may withdraw fellowship from any church that abandons the principles of this organization.

ARTICLE 7

Section 1. This Association regards each Baptist church as an independent body and this organization as a co-operative body for furthering the cause of Christ, the betterment of humanity, the preaching of Christian education.

ARTICLE 8

Section 1. A majority vote shall be sufficient to pass any motion or resolution of the body, except to amend the constitution which shall require a two-thirds vote of the members.

ARTICLE 9

Section 1. The minutes of the previous day shall be read and approved at the beginning of each day and corrected, if necessary. Before adjournment the entire minutes shall be read and approved.

ARTICLE 10

Section 1. The Association shall before its final adjournment, fix a place for the next annual meeting and select one of the ministers of the body to preach the annual sermon.

ARTICLE 11

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of 12 members, six ministers, three laymen and three women, one third of whom shall be elected each year, together with associational officers as members ex officio.

A quorum shall consist of all members of the Executive Committee present after due notice has been given by card or letter.

2. Program Committee Duties:

A. Work with the committee of the Pastor's conference in correlating the programs of the two groups.

B. Assume responsibility for programs for meetings of the Association in which objectives of the State and Southern Baptist Denominational calendar shall be given proper emphasis.

C. Cooperate with the Field Worker or Associational missionary, the Sunday School, Training Union, and Woman's Missionary Union departments of the Association so as to coordinate the Associational work.

D. Arrange for special Associational meetings when desired.

E. Prepare the Association's calendar of meetings and general activities for the year or shorter periods.

3. Mission Committee Duties:

A. Direct and work with the Association's Missionary in cooperation with the State and Home Mission Boards.

B. Survey the field for more effective action.

C. Establish missions where deemed advisable.

D. Conduct revivals when deemed advisable with a pastorless or non-self-supporting churches, or communities without a Baptist church.

E. Organize new churches when and where the Executive Committee deems advisable.

F. Conduct Daily Vacation Bible Schools.

G. Conduct Bible Classes.

H. Conduct association-wide Sunday School revivals.

I. Aid pastorless churches, etc.

4. Finance Committee Duties:

Prepare the Associational budget for proposed work to be done by the Executive Committee through all committees and secure necessary funds to accomplish the proposed programs.

RULES OF ORDER

1. The Association shall convene at 9:30 a. m. on Tuesday after the first Sunday in August each year.

2. The Association shall open and close with prayer each day. The title of "Brother" shall be used in all meetings of the body.

3. The rules of order may be changed at any session by a vote of majority of members present.

4. That reports be limited to 500 words.

5. All questions of order shall be decided by Mell's Parliamentary Practice.

PROGRAM

EIGHTIETH ANNUAL SESSION
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

Rev. N. A. Melton, Moderator — Rafe P. Lockaby, Clerk

Theme: "We are laborers together with God."

August 7, 1956

MORNING SESSION
VALLEY HILL CHURCH

9:15 Music ---------- D. G. Wilkie, Chorister
9:20 Scripture and Prayer ---------- Rev. Paul Shipman
9:30 Organization:
1. Election of officers
2. Adoption of order of business
3. Roll call of churches
4. Recognition of pastors and visitors
5. Digest of church letters

REPORTS:

10:00 Sunday School ---------- Roy Bennett
10:20 Training Union ---------- Mrs. J. M. Huggins
10:30 Home Missions ---------- Rev. L. J. Rainey
10:35 Associational Missions ---------- M. M. Goss
10:45 State Missions ---------- M. L. Walker
Hymn — Address — Dr. M. A. Huggins, General Secretary
11:20 Hospital ---------- C. F. Jervis
Address ---------- Rev. Richard Young
11:50 Announcements ---------- Appointment of Committees
Report of Committee on Committees ---------- Resolutions
12:00 Hymn
12:05 Sermon ---------- Dr. J. C. Canipe
12:30 Adjourn for lunch

AFTERNOON SESSION

1:30 Music
1:35 Scripture and Prayer ---------- Rev. Randall Joines
1:45 Report on Christian Education ---------- Rev. Wade Huntley
Address ---------- Dr. Hoyt Blackwell
President, Mars Hill College
2:05 Hymn
2:10 Report on Home for Aging ---------- Dr. F. M. Huggins
2:25 Christian Literature ---------- Rev. W. S. Billingsley
Remarks by Recorder Representative, Dr. L. L. Carpenter
2:40 Temperance and Public Morals ---------- Rev. Paul Chandler
2:45 Business Session
3:10 Orphanage ---------- Mrs. O. J. Smith
3:30 Adjourn

EVENING SESSION
FRUITLAND CHURCH

7:15 Music
7:20 Scripture and Prayer ---------- Frank Colvard
7:30 W. M. U. Report ---------- Mrs. M. K. Sinclair
7:40 Foreign Mission Report ---------- Rev. T. G. Proctor
7:50 Address ---------- Rev. Clay R. Barnes
8:15 Churches Represented
8:20 Special Choir Music
8:25 Message ---------- Dr. Courts Redford
9:00 Adjourn

PROCEEDINGS

EIGHTIETH ANNUAL SESSION
CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
August 7, 1956 — Morning Session

1. The eightieth session of the Carolina Baptist Association, meeting with the Valley Hill Baptist Church, was called to order by Moderator, N. A. Melton at 9:15 A. M., Tuesday, August 7, 1956.

2. The messengers, under the able leadership of Mr. D. G. Wilkie, sang "Onward Christian Soldiers". Mrs. Fred Pressley accompanied at the piano. The devotion was under the direction of the Rev. Paul Shipman of the Liberty Baptist Church. He read Psalms 145:3, 13, and 17. After Brother Shipman led in prayer, Brother D. G. Wilkie led the congregation in singing, "Work For the Night Is Coming".

3. Mr. Rafe Lockaby, the association's clerk was absent and upon request of the moderator, the Rev. Roy F. Easterly of Tryon First Baptist Church served as clerk.

4. A note of sadness was felt in the absence of the host pastor, the Rev. Paul Lovingood, who was away due to the tragic death of a brother.

5. The moderator, N. A. Melton, called for the order of the day and the association set to the task of electing officers with the following results: Rev. N. A. Melton, Moderator; Mr. M. L. Walker, vice moderator; Mr. Rafe P. Lockaby, clerk; Rev. Roy F. Easterly, assistant clerk; Mr. M. K. Sinclair, treasurer; Rev. F. M. Huggins, historian; Mr. Zeno Greene, Sunday school Superintendent; Mrs. J. M. Huggins, Training Union Director.

6. The program submitted by the program committee was adopted with only minor changes. Mr. M. L. Walker called the roll of the churches. (At the first roll-call forty of the associations sixty-one churches were represented.)

7. RECOGNITION OF NEW PASTORS

M. C. Cheatwood, pastor of the Pacolet Baptist church at Lynn, resides at 7528 Valley Falls Road, Spartanburg, S. C.

Henry Colvard, pastor of Fletcher Baptist church. His address is P. O. Box 451, Fletcher, N. C.

F. M. Orr, pastor of Locust Grove Baptist church. His address is Box 342, Brevard, N. C.

Lyman Wilson, pastor of Bat Cave Baptist church, Bat Cave, N. C.

8. VISITORS

Rev. Jack Bagwell, Associate Secretary of Sunday School of North Carolina.

Rev. Earle Bradley, State Secretary of Promotion.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry O. Hearn, Reed Memorial Baptist Church of Biltmore, N. C.

C. B. Lockee, 109 Hilltop Avenue, Greenville, S. C.

Miss Florence B. Robinson, St. Petersburg, Fla.

Miss Annie Rooney, St. Petersburg, Fla.

J. H. Shuford, Barnardsville, N. C.

Rev. S. P. Stapp, Chimney Rock, N. C.

9. SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Brother Roy Bennett having resigned at the last quarterly associational meeting, the report was made by Brother Joe Bennett. In addition to a good report, Bro. Bennett gave a wonderful testimony of a call of God to preach the gospel. He announced his plans to enroll in Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary this fall. The Sunday School Report was unanimously accepted.

10. Brother Jack Bagwell made a challenging talk on Sunday School work in our churches.

11. Mrs. J. M. Huggins presented the Training Union report. The report was adopted.

12. Rev. M. M. Goss brought report on Associational Missions. The report was adopted.

13. The gavel was given to Mr. M. L. Walker, vice moderator. who introduced Mrs. Walker who brought the report on State missions.

14. After adoption of the report, Mr. Earle Bradley, state secretary of promotion, brought a stirring message on state missions.

15. The Rev. Clay Barnes brought request of Mr. Ted Reed for ministerial student aid. Motion to recommend that aid be given was made, seconded and passed. (He is a student at Furman; the recommendation of his worthiness of and need for aid was made to South Carolina state convention.)

16. Mrs. O. J. Smith brought the report on the Baptist Children's Home. The report was adopted.

17. Mr. Marse Grant brought an interesting and informative discussion on the report.

18. The moderator named two committees as follows:

Committee on Resolutions; Rev. M. L. Lewis, Rev. L. K. Holbert, and Mr. Byron Rector.

Time, Place, and Preacher; W. C. Huntley, George Roberts, and Wade Worley.

19. Mr. M. K. Sinclair brought the treasurer's report for the association. The report was adopted.

20. Rev. Ralph Banning brought the report of the committee on committees. The report was adopted.

21. Mrs. Clara Babb of Valley Hill the host church made announcements concerning the lunch hour.

22. Mr. D. G. Wilkie led the messengers in singing "Take Time to Be Holy".

23. Dr. J. C. Canipe, president of the North Carolina State Convention, brought a challenging message, closing the morning session.

24. Everyone enjoyed a delicious lunch which was served under the trees on the church lawn.

AFTERNOON SESSION

25. Mr. D. G. Wilkie led the group in singing, "I Will Sing the Wonderous Story".

26. Rev. Randall Joines, pastor of the Tuxedo Baptist Church led the devotion reading the scripture and leading in prayer.

27. The Christian Education report was not present, but was to be mailed in to the clerk.

28. Dr. Hoyt Blackwell, president of Mars Hill College, spoke on Christian Education in North Carolina.

29. Rev. F. M. Huggins was absent because of illness, and his report on Homes for the Aging was read by Rev. M. L. Lewis. Brother J. M. Hayes, superintendent of the homes, brought an able discussion of our work in this field. The report was adopted.

30. Rev. W. S. Billingsley brought the report on Christian Literature. The report was adopted.

31. Dr. L. L. Carpenter, editor of the BIBLICAL RECORDER made remarks on our state paper.

32. Rev. Paul B. Chandler brought the report on Temperance and public Morals. The report was adopted.

33. Rev. R. M. Hauss discussed public morals. Mr. Hauss is executive director of the Allied Church League Incorporated. Membership cards were distributed. Each member was asked to contribute $1.00. $50.00 was the total amount collected.

34. The committee on time, place and preacher reported as follows: Time, Tuesday after the first Sunday in August, 1957. (This will be August 6, 1957.) Place, morning and afternoon sessions will be at the Beulah Baptist church. The evening session with the Balfour Baptist church. Preacher, Rev. W. S. Billingsley, alternate, Rev. Silas Bradley. Te report was adopted.

35. The report on the Baptist Hospital was not available. Dr. W. K. McGee brought remarks on our hospital work.

26. The messengers, led by D. G. Wilkie, sang, "Blest Be the Tie that Binds".

37. Rev. Cheatwood pronounced the benediction, and the afternoon session was adjourned.

EVENING SESSION

38. The group sang "Standing on the Promises" and "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms".

39. Rev. Henry Colvard of Fletcher Baptist church led the devotion.

40. Rev. Ralph Banning nominated John Sinclair to serve as chairman of the Finance Committee instead of Rev. John Rymer who asked to be relieved.

41. Mrs. M. K. Sinclair brought the report of the W. M. U.

42. Miss Audrey Saunders presented Sunbeams under the leadership of Mrs. Elva Drake of Fruitland.

43. Miss Dorothy Morgan of Shaw's Creek represented the G. A.'s.

44. Miss Phyllis Stancil of Balfour represented the Y. W. A.'s. The program was "What Y. W. A. Means to Me."

45. Rev. T. G. Proctor then described the purpose and functions of R. A. work.

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47. The Foreign Missions report was given by the Rev. T. G. Proctor. The report was adopted.

48. Rev. Clay Barnes spoke on missions. (A plea for unity as we assume the responsibility of the Great Commission)

49. A report from the committee on Resolutions was given by M. L. Lewis.

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50. Rev. Roy F. Easterly read the list of our dead.

51. The Youth Choir from Mt. Moriah sang directed by Miss Jean Hill.

52. Mr. Boyd Sutton, minister of music at the Hendersonville First Baptist church sang "Have Faith in God."

53. L. J. Rainey made the Home Missions Report. The report was adopted.

54. Rev. Clay Barnes introduced Dr. Courts Redford, executive secretary of the Home Mission Board. Brother Fred McCallie of the Home Mission Board was visiting with Dr. Redford.

55. Dr. Courts Redford spoke from Mark 1:38. The three main thoughts of his message were extension, cooperation, and participation.

56. Dr. M. A. Huggins spoke briefly on our Baptist work.

57. Rev. M. M. Goss pronounced the benediction closing the evening session.

N. A. MELTON, Moderator
ROY F. EASTERLY, Asst. Clerk

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

Due to the resignation of my Father, Roy C. Bennett, as Associational Sunday School Superintendent in April, I submit this annual report in my capacity as Associate Superintendent.

We are happy to report at this time that each of the churches in our Association have Sunday schools. The work, as a whole, is progressing nicely, but there is as we see it much room for improvement. During the past year, one District Study Course was held, and we do hope that this idea will spread into all districts during the coming year. Too little emphasis is being placed on Training in our churches, and it is our prayer

and sincere desire that this dire need will be realized and met. We can not hope to win the lost through our Sunday Schools unless we are well trained and prepared to accomplish this all-important task.

From the minutes, which will be printed soon, figures will be available to show both the progress and the recessions, the strong points and the weak ones, the successes and the apparent failures our individual Sunday Schools during the past year. We, of the Sunday School Department have made many contacts during the past year, going where we were invited and welcomed, and doing whatever we could to be of help. Many of our churches had Bible Schools this summer and we feel that the Sunday Schools of these churches were definitely strengthened by the Bible Schools. We are deeply grateful to Miss Willa Dean Freeman of Belmont, our Summer Worker, who worked dilligently and efficiently with our Bible School work.

We commend the churches who have cooperated and worked with us so nicely during the year, and we encourage the others to do so in the years to come. We believe that this cooperative spirit is absolutely essential if we are to work together at this great task.

We offer three suggestions to be used as an aim or goal for the coming year.

1. Enlargement — Through prayer, visitation, and hard work to make substantial gains in enrollment and enlistment so that we can bring more people into vital contact with the teachings of Jesus.

2. Training — To realize the urgent need of the education and preparation which is needed to reach people effectively. To strive toward at least one Study Course each year in each church or at least in each district.

3. Cooperation — To realize the need of working together in our common task, sharing our ideas, knowledge, and experiences in a spirit of brotherly love and in so doing to glorify God together as we serve Him and strive to do His will.

Respectfully Submitted,
Joseph T. Bennett

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS

Superintendent, Rev. Zeno Green, Hendersonville ---------- 2-2185
Asso., Enlargement, Leo Bell, Tuxedo, N. C. ---------- 5837
Associate, Training, C. F. Jervis, 317 Ehringhaus, Hendersonville 4504
Asso., Evangelism, Paul Lovingood, Stepp Ave., Hendersonville - 4026
Asso., Vac. Bible School, Mrs. Howard Sitton, Rt. 1, H'ville ------ 5857
and Rev. John F. Rymer, Rt. 2, Hendersonville ---------- 3838
Sec.-Treas., Miss Edith Roper, Ambassador Apts., H'ville ---------- 5464
Pianist, Mrs. Fred Pressley, Rt. 1, Hendersonville ---------- 6062
Chorister, J. M. Huggins, Rt. 1, Hendersonville ---------- 6239

Group Leaders

Group 1—Ed. Stevens, Bat Cave, N. C.
Group 2—Carroll Petit, Dana Road, Hendersonville
Group 3—Ansil Jones, Etowah, N. C.
Group 4—A. J. Freeman, 823 Tenon St., Hendersonville, Phone 6113
Group 5—Robert Bryson, Mills River

Group 6—Rev. Leo Bell, Tuxedo, N. C., 5837
Group 7—R. B. Scruggs, Tryon, N. C.
Group 8—Fred Gentry, 611 N. Church St., Hendersonville, Ph. 3185

TRAINING UNION REPORT

"Training in church membership" is the aim of the Baptist Training Union, and this aim is continually our guide as we seek to carry on our work. The Baptist Training Union of the Carolina Association makes the following report:

Two mass meetings and three executive planning meetings were held. The outstanding meeting of the year was "M" night, which was held on Monday night December 5 with the Ebenezer Baptist Church. We had an attendance of 504 at this meeting. There were 29 churches represented with 20 pastors present. At this meeting Miss Zella Woody spoke on our "1956 Crusade". Joe Bennett presented the Highlights of the 1956 program. The program was climaxed with an inspiring message "Prepared Unto All Good Work" by the Rev. Homer Baker.

At the general mass meeting held in April the Elimination tournaments for the Training Unions were held. We had participants in the Junior Memory, the Young Peoples' Better Speakers, and the Adult Bible Reading and Hymn Festival. Several of our Juniors were state winners in the Junior Memory Work at the State Assembly at Fruitland.

The theme for study course this year was "Magnifying Church Membership". We are happy to report that most of our churches studied these books.

At the beginning of the associational year we had 36 organizations. We lost two during the year and gained two organizations. So we still have 36 organizations.

As we begin a new year may each of us pledge our support and prayers for better work and may we pray earnestly that more churches in our association will see the need of training and growth that Baptist Training Union offers.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Junius Huggins

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THE REPORT ON HOME MISSIONS

The Home Mission Board is acting as an agent for you and me in carrying the gospel of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ to the lost. This board is seeking to give the gospel of good news to the multitudes of our own citizens and to the strangers within our country who do not know Jesus and who have not experienced His wonderful grace and salvation.

Statistics for 1955 indicated at the close of the year, 1,493 missionaries, (including 388 summer student missionaries) a gain of 151; 37,475 professions of faith; 4,423 dedications for special Christian service; 725 new missions started; 410 new churches constituted; and Southern Baptist chaplains in service — There were 15,249 conversions reported by these chaplains, not counted in the above report.

The major emphasis this year is on church extension, with a goal of 2,666 new churches. Surveys reveal that there is a need for 10,000 new churches now. New churches and new meeting houses in which to worship mean more workers, more converts, and more money for the promotion of world missions and God's Kingdom.

We would RECOMMEND and URGE:

1. That each and every church in the Carolina Association make regular gifts through the co-operative program to world missions;

2. That each and every church make a special offering to Home Missions on Home Mission Day; and

3. That the men join with W. M. S. in the Annie Armstrong Offering.

Respectfully Submitted,
L. J. Rainey

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS REPORT

If "Jerusalem" of the Great Commission applies to the local community, "Judea" may apply to the Association territory. The Master bade us preach in "Judea" even as in the 'Uttermost parts of the earth". To that end the Missions Committee seeks to minister to the area through the organization authorized by this body. Brother Barnes' work would not properly assay his achievements, and yet we have no other way even to approximate an index to his labors.

He did the following:

109 sermons, 13 Training Courses, 48 Associational meetings, 57 days in Vacation Bible School, where 91 were converted, 2457 conferences with individuals, committees, and groups, 46 Pastor's conferences, 1 church organizational meeting, 5 Training Unions organized, attended 6 meetings outside the Association, mailed out the following: 2943 letters, 927 cards, 348 printed matter, 5036 bulletins, 26 news paper ar-

ticles, 5121 programs, 418 calendars of events.

Most of us will not remember these figures, but they will show you that our field worker has been at work.

Allow your committee to urge pastors and church representatives to support the Associational Missions program with prayers and offerings. Thirty one churches have given something toward this work during the past year, ten have given regularly, and thirty have given nothing of record. We plead that you present the matter to your people and send an offering to Brother M. K. Sinclair, East Flat Rock, N. C.

Our churches will do a better job in the "uttermost parts of the earth", if we do a better job in "Jerusalem" and in "Judea".

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. M. M. Goss

STATE MISSIONS

The objects of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina are to promote missions, education, social service, the distribution of the Bible, sound religious literature, and to cooperate with the work of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Notice that missions is our first objective; it heads the list. We all agree that 'As the home goes, so goes the nation" — and just as truly, "As State Missions go, so go Home and Foreign Missions."

Our State Missions ministries are continually touching every phase of church and denominational life in North Carolina. Many strong churches now do not need these ministries but they once did; 1,700 of the 3,100 churches in our Convention were established or aided by State Missions. Many of the younger churches and some older ones will continue to need the help that State Missions offer through teaching, training, student guidance, and pastoral support. Many of the 42 new churches added last year were aided by State Missions.

Please note that the last Sunday in October of each year is "State Mission Day". During the past year, 27 phases of work were supported and promoted through our State Mission program.

In this very brief report, it would be impossible to include interesting facts of each of these, but would like to note the progress and also weaknesses in some.

Some outstanding gains are the following: The S. S. enrollment in North Carolina for the past year equalled 89.9 per cent of the total church membership; this is the highest percentage of any state in the Southern Baptist Convention. Also, North Carolina led all Southern Baptist states in the net increase in churches with Training Unions.

Secretary Bruce Whitaker of the Baptist Student Union urges the importance of strengthening and deepening the program to do at least as well as other states in providing student centers.

In the department of Evangelism, Dr. J. C. Canipe has resigned and the Rev. Julian S. Hopkins is the new secretary. Dr. Canipe continues to direct the Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, and the past year's enrollment was 166. During the Institute's ten-year period, it has touched and helped 1,200 pastors to become better preachers and better pastors.

We in the Carolina congratulate Dr. Canipe on his recent election to the office of President of our State Convention. May his spiritual and evangelistic influence continue to bless our State.

Both Assemblies, Fruitland and Caswell, have had a marked increase in attendance, and surely with the inspiration, information, fellowship, and recreation enjoyed at each, the local churches of the State should show an increase in interest, development, and improvement in training, as well as a deeper spirituality.

Two other departments greatly need our financial support, encouragement, and prayers. The Allied Church League could much better combat liquor propaganda by both radio and television with a reasonable amount of money.

And in the department of Radio and Audio-Visual Aids, if every Association would elect a chairman and Sponsor more work-shops, the ministry of this department could be greatly broadened. Many of the projected aids are free. Let us use this means of creating interest and giving information of our State Work.

State Missions strengthens and develops the local churches, which are the very foundation of all our work.

Let us not fail to give our whole-hearted support.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. M. L. Walker

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

"And Jesus went about doing good." In no other way do the Baptists of North Caraolina better emulate this example of Jesus than in their work through the Baptist Hospital, which, together with the Bowman Gray School of Medicine of Wake Forest College, forms the medical center of North Carolina Baptists, the objectives of which are teaching, preaching, and healing. Underlying these objectives is the Christian responsibility of providing medical service for the sick of all circumstances.

You might be interested in knowing that —

More than 142 babies per month are born at the Baptist Hospital, there being 1713 new citizens last year.

78,952 diagnostic X-ray films were made and 5,275 X-ray therapy treatments were given in 1955.

The mail-man brings to the institution 250 pounds of mail per day.

It takes ten tons of coal per day.

The Nursing School has graduated a total of 708 nurses, and the Medical School 591 doctors.

2554 meals are served per day, or a total of 932,219 last year, the daily cost being $1400.

An average of twenty operations are performed every day, 7,130 being the total for the year 1955.

The bookmobile makes 312 trips per year, distributing 3600 books and 12,000 magazines to the patients.

The pharmacy fills 250 prescriptions per day and the laundry furnishes 7500 pieces each day.

The emergency room receives an average of 33 visits each day, or 11,198 last year.

So states the North Carolina Baptist Hospital Bulletin.

The work is physical, the work is mental, the work is spiritual, the work is an immense task and responsibility. Then surely every Baptist Church and every Baptist in the state of North Carolina will want a part in the great and good work by co-operating in the special Mother's Day offering and through the Co-operative program, as well as by our prayers.

Respectfully Submitted,
C. F. Jervis

REPORT ON HOMES FOR THE AGING

The Homes are in their sixth, and greatest, year of operation.

Construction of the Administration and Dormitory Building began in February. It should be completed by the end of the year, and ready for occupancy by February 1, 1957.

North Carolina Baptists have good reason to be proud of this new building, which, when completed and equipped, will add one-half million dollars to the total value of the Homes. What is more encouraging, there is reason to believe that the total cost of the new building will be paid for by the time it is occupied, if our 3,200 Baptist churches will respond with a generous Special Day offering on the third Sunday of February, 1957.

The added facilities of the new building will make it possible to care for 100 residents — 20 at Resthave, 36 at Albermarle Home, and 44 in the new building. Of this number, less than 10 will be part-time helpers. Moreover, a greater ministry to our aging residents will be possible because of the extra facilities in the new building. Among these will be ample space for craft shops, sun parlors, library, infirmary, and other additional features. In fact, the new building was planned and is being constructed to provide a well rounded program with the most up-to-date facilities.

The Special Day offering this year, to date, is $88,400.03, including personal and corporation gifts. This amount will be increased by churches late in reporting their gifts. It is encouraging to know that the number of churches responding increases every year.

Resthaven and the Albermarle Home have been filled to capacity. When a vacancy occurs, which is rare, there is always a waiting list.

Effort was made in Winston-Salem during June and July to raise $100,000 for the new building. In addition to the money raised, the response on the part of a large number of splendid business men to help with the campaign was most inspiring. The aroused interest in the program of the Homes will bring increasing results for years to come.

There has been a larger number of building memorial gifts.

They ranged from $300 to $3,000 — $300 to furnish, $1,000 to endow, and $3,000 to pay cost of constructing, a room.

A trustee, Mr. Don G. Matthews of Hamilton, gave, in addition to $3,000 to construct a room in the new building, $1,378 to pay cost of

excavating a lake on the grounds of the new building.

Your Homes are putting forth their best efforts to render a ministry of security, comfort, congeniality, and Christian love to our residents.

North Carolina Baptists should keep in mind that their special offering and the share of the Nine Year Program received by the Homes help to make this ministry possible to all who come to the Homes, and, especially to a large number who could not come but for such help.

There are some rooms left to be memorialized. Also, a limited number of cottages may be built on the Park Road site. If interested, contact James M. Hayes, general superintendent, N. C. Baptist Homes, Kentucky Avenue, Winston-Salem, N. C.

"Cast me not off in the time of old age; forsake me not when my strength faileth". (Psalm 71:9)

P. S. — A Homes representative was elected last year in nearly all of our Associations. Please see to it that one is elected in your Association this year. Thanks.

Respectfully Submitted,
J. M. Huggins

REPORT ON RELIGIOUS LITERATURE

John J. Hart, Junior, editor of the Georgia Baptist paper, THE CHRISTIAN INDEX, has said, "Books and magazines so loaded with filth they lack respectability in a garbage dump are pouring their slime into the minds of our young people."

We need to spend but a few minutes in the drugstore or the news stand and see our young people as they buy their books and magazines. Their sense of reading values are at the bottom. It does not take much carnal reading to develop a carnal mind. A drop of ink in a gallon of pure water will rob that water of crystal clearness. Just so, one vile book tends to rob a mind of the moral standards we teach in our homes.

We believe decent and noble reading makes a full man. Let us as Baptists provide the best literature for our homes.

In North Carolina, the Biblical Recorder has been in circulation for 123 years, carrying the message of Baptist progress into 62,304 Baptist homes.

In addition to the Recorder, Charity and Children, a weekly publication, published by our Baptist Orphanage in Thomasville and Home Life and the Sunday School Builder, published by the Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tennessee, and Home Mission, published by the Home Mission Board, Atlanta, Georgia, and The Commission, published by the Foreign Mission Board, Richmond, Virginia, Also, the Baptist Program published in Nashville, Tennessee.

One of the essential functions of our Baptist literature is to give the people information about the denomination, its agencies and the mission program both of state conventions and of the Southern Baptist

convention. The Baptist literature is dedicated to the proposition of giving information to the people.

Respectfully Submitted,
W. S. Billingsley

REPORT ON TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

It is a great joy to report progress in our battle for temperance and public morals. It is the firm conviction of this committee that intemperance and immorality are on a rapid decline in our association.

As you know, during the year 1955, Henderson County voted out beer and wine by an overwhelming majority, this due in large part to the efforts of the churches of our association.

Then, in February of this year, the liquor forces fought fiercely to establish an ABC liquor store in the City of Hendersonville. Once again the churches of our association rallied to the cause, locking arms with churches of other denominations, and God once more, gave us an overwhelming victory and the liquor crowd was defeated.

In a recent interview with a member of the Hendersonville Department, it was ascertained that in Hendersonville alone from the period of January through July, 1956 there were some sixty less arrests for drunkenness than there were for the same period in 1955.

Several things are apparent as we examine the reasons for progress:

First, there seems to be a great spirit of revival in our association, and multitudes have come to a saving knowledge of Christ during the preceding year.

Secondly, it is joyfully apparent that large numbers of the members of our churches are earnestly seeking God's will, they are confessing their sins unto Him, are surrendering themselves to the Lord, as Paul instructed us to in Romans 12: 1 & 2 when he said, "I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service. And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God." — and, having surrendered themselves to Christ, they are going forth living separated lives, laboring for him.

Thirdly, the pastors of our association have been diligently faithful in proclaiming God's word, and have humbly cried out against sin, wickedness and immorality in every form.

Fourthly, our churches have responded to the challenge of service and have gotten behind the efforts for total abstinence and Christian morality.

Respectfully Submitted,
Paul B. Chandler, Jr.

ORPHANAGE REPORT

The greatest work that anyone can do is build in boys and girls the

character which is so vital in today's civilization. When one builds Christian character, he builds for eternity.

Building Christian men and women is the work that our North Carolina Baptist Orphanage is dedicated to do. Due to the fact that our denomination is the largest group in the state our responsibility is the greatest. However, because of limited facilities we were able last year to care for only 18½ percent of the applications to our orphanages. This left 81& percent uncared for so far as our orphanage is concerned. Yet we were able to care for 23 more than the year before. This increase was in foster homes, made possible by the Thanksgiving Offerings.

The Baptist denomination is larger than ever before and the income greater. It is hoped that the Thanksgiving offering will be the greatest it has ever been.

The three types of service rendered by the orphanages are (1) direct care of 575 children in the two homes at Thomasville and Kinston, (2) care of 101 children who live in foster homes throughout the state, and (3) care of 50 in their own homes with their parents. All these receive financial aid, making a total of 736.

Our orphanage publication, CHARITY AND CHILDREN, is making a great contribution to the life of our denomination. Today there are more than 51,000 copies mailed out each week.

Our association has been blessed by care of several chilrdren. The offering from this association in 1955 was $10,889.00. The average for each church was about $178.50 not enough for the care of one child for an entire year. Yet in 1954 we had three to graduate who were from this association. The largest amount given by any one church was $1504.00. Sad to say there were sixteen churches which did not give anything.

Let's strive to get every church to give something next year. While we build home churches and other things, may we have a part in the building of character in the youth of state.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. O. J. Smith

W. M. U. REPORT

We are thankful that we can make another report covering the work for the past year. We have much to be thankful for but we are not satisfied. Much more could have been done, more results could now be reported if we had all had a mind to work.

When we compare our gains with our losses we find that some progress has been made. As is usually the case some churches have had their problems, but, regardless of this progress has been made.

We are glad to report 107 organizations with a membership of 1,456. During the year we had 16 new organizations, making a total of 34 W. M. S., 10 Y. W. A.'s, 23 G. A.'s, 20 R. A.'s and 20 Sunbeam bands. There were 987 members reported as regular contributors to the Co-operative Program. There were 70 new tithers enlisted, making a total of 550. More of our members observed the three seasons of prayer. Gifts to our special offerings increased. This is what was given through these channels for missions, this year:

Lottie Moon — Foreign Missions	$4,296.69
Heck Jones	698.20
Annie Armstrong	1,396.62
State Missions	844.52
Total for the Year	$7,263.03

Mission study is the heart of our work. There were 1,374 enrolled in study classes. There were 99 books taught and 98 approved books were read. We had two Mission Study Institutes. We try to stress soul winning, in our work, and to encourage our members 16 books were studied on this subject. There were 48 of our organizations that took part in Community Missions.

In our work we face problems, there are needs here and there, and one of our greatest needs is trained, consecrated leaders who will help in training our Youth groups. We make appeals to our churches, to our Pastors and to our W. M. S. members to place more emphasis on the need to meet conditions that have to do in taking care of our Youth. If they are trained, as they deserve to be, the need for leadership in the future will be met. The Lord Jesus has ways of appealing to young hearts. A story told to a group of Sunbeams, can and has driven home a thought that was the beginning of a change in a young heart.

Our annual meeting, held in the beautiful First Church of Tryon, was all that we had hoped for. The women of that good church proved their hospitality in a wonderful way. The program was very, very good. Our guest speakers were Miss Mary Ellen Yancy, of Nigeria, and Miss Miriam Robinson, our Executive Secretary from Raleigh.

May we resolve, in our every heart, to be all on the alter, this coming year. If that is our attitude we will have a better report one year from now than this one.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. M. K. Sinclair

FOREIGN MISSION REPORT

There are now 1064 Southern Baptist Missionaries on our foreign mission fields. This fall we plan to study the mission needs of Japan in preparation for our special December offering for foreign missions. The mission graded books are: "Japan Advanced" for adults; "Japan's New Baptists" for young people; "The Tarnished Helmet" for intermediates; "Koji of Japan" for juniors; and "The Lantern and the Song" for primaries. These books may be obtained from the Baptist Book Store.

World Mission Year begins this next October. Last year eleven million dollars was given to foreign missions. For the proposed advance, by 1958 we must give fifty two million dollars. Our denomination has increased in number tremendously. Our responsibility is great. We must strive to increase the number of tithers in our churches. Our churches must give more to missions.

To advance, there is need for more missionary volunteers, and more

money to send them, and to supply our present demands. Jesus, the Light of the world, has shined in the dark places of the earth through the lives of Christian missionaries of every age. Now, with spiritual darkness enveloping most of the peoples of the earth, the cry goes out for the light of salvation. Shall we bear the torch? Shall we send the light? Our Lord has commanded us, "Go ye therefore, and make disciples of all nations".

Our W. M. U. women will give in December as they always have. Our churches must respond through the cooperative program and special mission offerings. Let us first give our hearts to the Lord, then our prayers and gifts to missions.

Respectfully Submitted,
T. G. Proctor

REPORT OF RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

1. We hereby express our deepest sympathies to our host pastor, the Rev. Paul Lovingood, in the death of his Brother.

2. Since the Valley Hill church showed such fine hospitality in the service of the Noonday Lunch and otherwise, even in the absence of their pastor, be it resolved that we hereby express to them our thanks.

3. We appreciate the fine way in which our Moderator and other officers have directed the program of this session of our Association. We also give thanks to each speaker for his fine address.

Respectfully Submitted,
M. L. Lewis

IN MEMORIAM

BALFOUR

Mrs. W. M. Burrell

BARKER HEIGHTS

Mrs. C. T. Justice

BARNWELL

Mr. Floyd Barnwell

BAT CAVE

Mr. Dewey Sumner

BROAD RIVER

Mr. Clyde Ledbetter

CRAB CREEK

Mr. Henry Redmond
Mr. Joseph Stepp
Mr. Thomas Stepp
Mrs. Emma Patterson

CROSS ROADS

Mr. George Lindsey

DANA

Mr. R. T. Pace

EAST FLAT ROCK

Mrs. Cling Ward

EBENEZER

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Mr. U. M. Orr
Mr. Jack Blythe
Mrs. Alice Elizabeth Searcy
Mr. S. T. Camby

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Mr. Walter Hefner, Jr.
Miss Clara McGee

FRUITLAND

Miss Jane Love

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Mrs. Henry C. Hyder
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Mr. Foster Bennett
Mr. Ernest Godwin
Mr. Edward Peace
Mrs. J. C. McCorkle
Mr. W. M. Sherard
Mrs. David M. Wells

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Mr. Pink Camp

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Mr. O. B. Souther

HORSE SHOE

Mr. John Cabe

JONES GAP

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Mrs. Emma McMinn

MILLS RIVER

Mr. G. C. Field (Deacon)

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Mrs. Dewitt Hoots

MTN. HOME

Mrs. Jane Stepp

Mrs. Drucilla Jackson

Mr. Ernest Justice

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Rev. H. H. Mace (Pastor)

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Mr. Clyde Pittman

Mr. Hugh Blackwell

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Mrs. Lela Pace

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TRYON, SECOND

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Mr. Earl Covil

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Mrs. Orpha Newman

ZIRCONIA

Mrs. Nellie M. Stanberry

CAROLINA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

HISTORICAL TABLE

Year	Moderator	Clerk	Place of Meeting	Int. Sermon
1877	M. E. Smith	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	M. E. Smith
1878	M. E. Smith			
1879	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Gap Creek	E. J. Mullinax
1880	E. J. Mullinax	Joshua Pruitt	Cross Plain	J. J. Bureline
1881	W. B. Johnson	W. C. Ward	Friendship	Text. Gen. 35:34
1882	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Oak Grove	T. F. Nelson
1883	J. R. Rhodes	W. C. Ward	Double Springs	J. W. Middleton
1884	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Mountain Page	T. F. Nelson
1885	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1886	W. B. Johnson	J. W. Middleton	Shaws Creek	J. E. Carter
1887	James Blythe	W. B. Johnson	Refuge	J. B. Boone
1888	D. B. Nelson	Joshua Pruitt	Beulah	W. B. Johnson
1889	W. B. Johnson	Joshua Pruitt	Friendship	J. W. Oliver
1890	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Old Salem	W. J. Wilkie
1891	W. B. Johnson	R. A. Freeman	Boylston	J. L. Brookshire
1892	R. A. Freeman	J. P. McKenna	Mount Moriah	J. W. Anderson
1893	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Crab Creek	D. A. Glenn
1894	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Shaws Creek	D. A. Glenn
1895	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Waldrop	Mountain Page	A. J. Justice
1896	W. B. Johnson	T. L. Brown	Green Mountain	M. P. Mattheny
1897	W. B. Johnson	A. B. Freeman	Mills River	S. S. Gibson
1898	A. I. Justice	J. W. Anderson	Salem	J. W. Anderson
1899	A. I. Justice	M L. Shipman	Fruitland	J. L. Brookshire
1900	W. B. Johnson	J. M. Justice	Beulah	W. L. Richards
1901	W. H. Jones	W. F. Powell	Hoopers Creek	A. I. Justice
1902	G. W. Conner	J. T. Freeman	Riverside	A. R. Love
1903	J L. Brookshire	W. F. Powell	Fruitland	A. R. Love
1904	J L. Brookshire	H. R. Freeman	Mt. Gilead	W. H. Woodall
1905	G. S. Jones	T. A. Drake	Shaws Creek	W. A. Terrell
1906	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Bat Cave	T. H. Posey
1907	T. H. Posey	T. A. Drake	Fruitland	M. L. Lawson
1908	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mountain Page	C. D. Cole
1909	J. L. Brookshire	T. A Drake	French Broad	N. A. Melton
1910	J. L. Brookshire	T. A. Drake	Mount Moriah	N. A. Melton
1911	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	E. H'ville	A. I. Justice
1912	N. A. Melton	T. A. Drake	Pleasant Hill	I. C. Woodward
1913	A. I. Justice	T. D. Brown	Pleasant Hill	R. N. Pratt
1914	A. I. Justice	F. K. Poole	Fruitland	T. L. Brown
1915	A. I. Justice	Noah Hollowell	Balfour	R. N. Pratt
1916	A. I. Justice	A. B. Gallimore	Refuge	W. W. Marr
1917	J. O. Bell	K. W. Cawthorne	Salem	K. W. Cawthorne
1918	J. O. Bell	N. A. Melton	Valley Hill	W. F. Sinclair
1919	W. F. Sinclair	J. J. Slattery	Mt. Gilead	J. J. Slattery
1920	J P. Corn	J. J. Slattery	E. Flat Rock	E. E. Bomar
1921	N A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Fruitland	W A. Morris
1922	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Mud Creek	N. A. Melton
1923	N. A. Melton	E. E. Bomar	Refuge	W. M. Wilson
1924	N. A. Melton	M. C. Lunsford	Beulah	T. L. Justice
1925	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Fbenezer	M. C. Lunsford
1926	W. B. Sinclair	M. C. Lunsford	Pleasant Hill	E. G. Ross
1927	J. J Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Mount Moriah	Carl E. Blythe
1928	J. J. Slattery	A. G. Sargent	Fletcher	Arthur Jackson
1929	E. E. Bomar	A. G. Sargent	Etowah	M. L. Lewis
1930	E. E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Double Springs	T. W. Ayers
1931	E E. Bomar	Arthur Jackson	Balfour	J. M. Page
1932	E. E. Bomar	W. H. Ford	Refuge	D. B. Martin
1933	N. B. Phillips	W. H. Ford	Bat Cave	W. H. Ford
1934	N. B. Phillips	James L. Brown	E. Flat Rock	J. M. Justice
1935	W B. Sinclair	Roy Bennet	Mud Creek	Broadus E. Jones
1936	W. B. Sinclair	Mrs. J. L. Redden	French Broad	Paul Hartsell
1937	M. L. Walker	Roy Bennett	Fruitland	Broadus E. Wall
1938	M. L. Walker	W. H. Cale	Tuxedo	A. E. Edney
1939	M. L. Walker	M. A. Kizer	Mountain Page	B. G. Henry
1940	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Dana	A. E. Kilstrom
1941	Victor Rector	W. H. Davis	Double Springs	N. B. Phillips
1942	Victor Rector	Chas. Vause	H'ville 1st	N. A. Melton
1943	D. G. Wilkie		Fletcher and	W. W. Worley
		A. V. Reese	E. Flat Rock	Otto Parham
1944	D. G. Wilkie	A. V. Reese	Hoopers Creek	O. M. Seigler
			and Refuge	B. G. Henry
1945	M L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Horse Shoe	J. N. Shufford
			and Balfour	L. A. Erwin
1946	M. L. Walker	Mrs. E. M. Bostick	Oak Grove	Wayne Peek
1947	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Mud Creek	Fred Poplin
1948	F M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	H'ville 1st	Ralph Banning
1949	F. M. Huggins	E. V. Plemmons	Valley Hill	C. E. Scarborough
1950	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Dana	D. H. Daniels
1951	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Refuge	W. C. Huntley
1952	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	East Flat Rock	N. A. Melton
1953	M. L. Walker	Roy D. Campbell	Mud Creek	Mack M. Goss
1954	N. A. Melton	Mrs. Fred J. Swift	Etowah	W. F. Sinclair
1955	N. A. Melton	Mrs. Fred J. Swift	Tryon, First	R. A. Banning
1956	N. A. Melton	Rafe P. Lockaby	Valley Hill	J. C. Canipe

TABLE A — CHURCH AND MEMBERSHIP

CHURCHES	Location Rural V-T-C	Date Organized	Dates of Meeting	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES CLERK & MODERATOR	GAINS		LOSSES	TOTAL			SPECIAL INFORMATION						
					Baptisms	Letters and Other Additions	Loss by Death, Transfer, etc.	Total Resident Members	Total Non-resident Members	Grand Total Present Members	Revival Meetings Held	Number Tithers	Church Have Budget?	Every Member Canvass	State Paper in Budget	No. Local Missions Operated by Church	Pastor's Annual Salary (Whether had a pastor or not)
Balfour	R	1908	All	W. C. Huntley, Balfour	0	3	18	0	0	496	3	65	* *	*	*	0	3640.00
Barker Heights	T	1944	All	C. E. Haynes, Hendersonville	13	6	2	194	11	205	1	20	* *	* *	* *	0	3121.00
Barnwell	R	1864	1-3	O. J. Smith, Hendersonville	0	0	1	18	15	33	0	0		*	*	0	
Bat Cave	V	1892	All	Lyman Wilson, Fruitland	1	5	10	85	29	114	1	8	* *	* *	* *	0	2600.00
Bear Wallow	R	1868	All	John H. Dickson, Hendersonville	7	8	1	68	19	87	2	12	* *	* *	* *	0	1820.00
Berea	....	1921	.....	(No Report)													
Beulah	R	1820	All	Wade Worley, Dana	2	2	5	223	50	273	0	0		* *	* *	0	1130.00
Broad River	R	1886	All	Wade Huntley, Rutherfordton	2	2	2	66	46	12	2	0		* *	* *	0	
Calvary	C	1886	All	W. F. Sinclair, Hendersonville	0	4	3	0	0	222	2	111		* *	* *	0	3501.00
Cedar Springs	R	1847	.....	(No Report)													
Crab Creek	R	1834	All	Richard Pace, Flat Rock	9	6	10	94	69	163	1	0		* *	* *	0	425.00
Cross Roads	R	1912	1-2-3-5	A. T. Howard, Landrum	2	3	1	17	100	117	0	0	* *	* *	* *	0	645.00
Dana	R	1936	All	W. S. Bradley, Hendersonville	5	2	4	92	47	139	2	0	* *	* *	* *	0	3120.00
Double Springs	R	1871	All	Zeb Brookshire, Zirconia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	* *	* *	* *	0	
E. Flat Rock, First	T	1911	All	N. B. Phillips, Hendersonville	10	17	8	335	85	420	1	0	* *	* *	* *	0	5200.00
Ebenezer	R	1817	All	L. K. Holbert, Hendersonville	27	9	10	622		622	2	0	* *	* *	* *	0	5498.00
Etowah	R	1926	All	John F. Rymer, Hendersonville	21	7	6	189	76	265	2	15	* *	* *	* *	0	1500.00
Fletcher	T	1926	All	Henry Colvard, Fletcher	12	5	0	200	60	260	2	20	* *	* *	* *	0	3388.00
Fork Creek	R	1891	All	Billy Sandifer, Hendersonville	8	2	1	39	36	75	1	0	* *	* *	* *	0	398.00
French Broad	R	1781	All	B. G. Henry, Hendersonville	3	2	5	58	17	75	1	5	* *	* *	* *	0	1200.00

*—Indicates "No." **—Indicates "Yes."

Friendship No. 1	....	1834	.....	(No Report)	.....													
Friendship No. 2	R	.....	All	Eugene Saltz, Penrose	.....	10	14	1	63	87	150	2	0		*	*	0	
Fruitland	R	1875	All	N. A. Melton, Hendersonville	.....	8	8	1	0	0	206	1	0	**	*	*	0	3000.00
Green River	R	1846	All	George Brian, Flat Rock	.....	3	0	3	78	40	118	1	0		*	*	0	
Hendersonville, First	C	1844	All	Mack M. Goss, Hendersonville	.....	46	104	89	1448	443	1891	1	0	**	**	*	0	5880.00
Hendersonville, West	C	1936	All	Floyd B. Clark, Hendersonville	.....	11	10	12	277		277	3	0	**	*	*	0	3120.00
Holly Springs	R	1860	All	O. D. Rhodes, Hendersonville	.....	10	0	1	0	0	100	4	0	*	*	*	0	
Hoopers Creek	R	1776	All	Howard Cabe, Balfour	.....	7	3	4	261	0	261	2	0	*	*	*	0	
Horse Shoe	R	1888	All	Cecil Worsham, Hendersonville	.....	5	3	2	0	0	188	1	28	*	*	*	0	2585.00
Jones Gap	R	1892	All	Albert Saughter, Hendersonville	.....	0	0	5	50	13	63	0	0	*	*	*	0	337.00
Laurel Springs	R	1908	All	Billy Bryant, Fletcher	.....	14	4	7	30	0	30	2	12	*	*	*	0	
Liberty	R	1911	All	Paul Shipman, Hendersonville	.....	1	5	7	0	0	104	2	2	*	*	*	0	832.00
Locust Grove	R	1898	All	Finley Orr, Brevard	.....	0	0	6	93	33	126	2	8	*	*	*	0	705.00
Macedonia	....	1898	.....	(No Report)	.....													
Middle Fork	R	1925	All	N. S. Bell, Bat Cave	.....	7	3	0	55	31	86	1	0	*	*	*	0	700.00
Mills River	R	1835	All	John F. Rymer, Hendersonville	.....	0	4	3	86	50	136	1	35	*	*	*	0	2220.00
Mount Gilead	R	1883	All	Rex Freeman, Fletcher	.....	2	2	5	0	0	263	0	0	*	*	*	0	1133.00
Mount Moriah	R	1839	All	Ralph Banning, Edneyville	.....	8	4	10	221	60	281	2	30	**	*	*	0	3400.00
Mount Olivet	R	.....	.....	Ted Huntley, Balfour	.....	4	3	4	0	0	0	2	0		*	*	0	660.00
Mountain Home	R	1892	All	James Mullinax, Balfour	.....	30	5	8	0	0	23	3	0	*	*	*	0	
Mountain Page	R	1789	All	General Beddingfield, Tuxedo	.....	9	3	3	0	0	276	1	0	*	*	*	0	1487.00
Mountain Valley	R	1915	All	Bill Walker, Hendersonville	.....	0	1	0	0	0	88	1	0	*	*	*	0	
Mountain View	R	1949	All	Luther Capcil, Hendersonville	.....	6	6	7	44	20	64	2	10	*	*	*	0	
Mud Creek	R	1804	All	W. S. Billingsley, Hendersonville	.....	34	25	22	392	167	579	2	60	**	**	*	0	4000.00
Naples	R	1942	All	Paul Chandler, Jr., Asheville	.....	15	19	6	119	43	162	0	23	**	**	*	0	2080.00
Oak Forest	R	1950	All	Carl Taylor, Hendersonville	.....	3	3	9	64	9	73	1	15	**	*	*	1	1820.00
Oak Grove	R	1875	All	J. H. Hudson, Arden	.....	0	3	6	0	0	111	1	0	*	*	*	0	244.00
Pacolet	V	1916	All	M. C. Cheatwood, Spartanburg, S. C.	.....	20	10	9	65	100	165	1	10	**	*	*	0	1245.00
Pleasant Grove	R	1856	2-4	Albert Laughter, Hendersonville	.....	0	3	5	76	72	148	1	0	**	*	*	0	650.00
Pleasant Hill	R	1880	All	L. R. Rhodes, Hendersonville	.....	8	13	7	160	40	200	2	50	*	*	*	0	
Refuge	R	1837	All	George A. Roberts, Dana	.....	20	7	9	402	80	482	1	0	**	*	*	0	3120.00
Saluda	T	1882	All	L. J. Rainey, Saluda	.....	3	2	6	139	49	188	2	40	**	*	*	0	3300.00
Shaw's Creek	R	1881	All	T. G. Proctor, Hendersonville	.....	7	17	12	221	100	321	1	50	**	*	*	0	4300.00
Tryon, First	C	1892	All	Roy F. Easterly, Tryon	.....	26	28	35	349	54	403	2	80	**	**	*"	0	4940.00
Tryon, Second	C	1924	All	V. D. Jones, Balfour	.....	10	4	8	71	45	116	1	0	*	*	*	0	2080.00
Tuxedo	V	1910	All	Randall Joines, Tuxedo	.....	14	24	12	298	126	424	3	35	**	*	*	0	5200.00
Upward	R	1940	All	Albert Jones, Hendersonville	.....	4	3	5	83	115	98	3	9	**	*	*	0	600.00
Valley Hill	V	1908	All	Paul Lovingood, Hendersonville	.....	16	25	12	494	138	632	2	60	**	*	*	0	3900.00
Warrior Mountain	R	1933	All	Milton Endean, Greenville, S. C.	.....	3	0	3	19	26	45	0	0		*	*	0	
Zion Hill	V	1914	All	Horace Jones, Flat Rock	.....	0	4	0	60	25	85	1	20	*	*	*	0	794.00
Zirconia	R	1953	All		.....	3	14	0	0	0	53	1	21	**	*	*	0	1430.00

TABLE B — THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS AND ADDRESSES Zeno Greene Hendersonville	Cradle Roll	Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People, Single	Young People, Married	Adults	Extension Dept.	Officers Not Counted Classes & Departments	Grand Total Sunday School Enrolment	Average Attendance	Vacation Bible School Enrolment	Average Attendance V.B.S.	January Bible Study	Number Training Schools
Barker Heights	Ezkiel Dunlap, Balfour	42	43	17	30	62	51	17	73	106	2	2	465	308	166	138	*	
Balfour	Robert Glover, Jr., Hendersonville		25	16	20	24	17	21		55		1	172	130	125	106	*	
Barnwell	(No Report)	3	3	9	17	7	2	1		7	4	3	57	28	48	32	*	
Bat Cave	Edward Stevens, Bat Cave	3		8	5	11	5		14	24		3	67	45	34	34	*	1
Bear Wallow	K. G. Owensby, Gerton			7	6	7		14		24			58	34	30	24	**	1
Berea	(No Report)																	
Beulah	J. P. Huggins, Sr., Hendersonville			14	16	11	6	30		80			157		67	61	**	
Broad River	J. C. Ledbetter, Jr., Black Mountain				11	7	8			48			74	75			*	
Calvary	James D. Tweed, Hendersonville		16	13	31	26	17	12	26	39			180	140	80	71	*	1
Cedar Springs	(No Report)																	
Crab Creek	James Bell, Hendersonville			8	5	9	7	7		24		8	68	46	67	50	*	
Cross Roads	Nile Jones, Zirconia			7		14		6		10		6	51	32			*	1
Dana	Ned R. Wells, Hendersonville		2	14	14	16		13	19	24		3	105	65	53	45	**	2
Double Springs	Troy Thomas, Zirconia																*	
E. Flat Rock, First	Rafe Lockaby, Hendersonville	16	16	59	46	51	20	50		180			432	285	147	116	**	1
Ebenezer	Marvin Holbert, Hendersonville			45	35	30	45	25	35	165			375	280	128	123	*	
Etowah	C. W. Sumner, Etowah			31	28	38	20	34		85	8	1	245	111	131	120	*	1
Fletcher	Howard Garren, Fletcher			11	34	30	41	25	35	7	6	17	296	176	88	76	*	
Fork Creek	Andrew Belcher, Saluda			14	10	11	16		16	17		2	87	65	67	62	*	
French Broad	William Russell, Hendersonville			9	16	8	8	8	10	20			79				**	1

Friendship No. 1	(No Report)																		
Friendship No. 2	Hubert Orr, Penrose																		
Fruitland	J. C. Justus, Hendersonville	14	5	15	12	28	23	16	1	75		2	189	115	83	65	**		
Green River	L. K. Pace, Zirconia		2	5	10	12	16	13		35			93	76	110	83	*		
Hendersonville, First	C. F. Jervis, Hendersonville	60	119	87	135	161	147	85	36	656	149	12	1647	822	300	240	**	12	
Hendersonville, West	John Rollins, Hendersonville			36	23	32	12	26		53		2	184	110	69	56	*		
Holly Springs	R. C. Anders, Penrose			12	8	8	10			32		6	92	70	39	30	*		
Hoopers Creek	Fred Youngblood, Fletcher	6		17	15	27	29	20	20	43			177	110	99	84	*		
Horse Shoe	Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe	11		10	12	12	19	14		16	14		108	61	64	48	*		
Jones Gap	Clyde McCarson, Hendersonville			7	4	3	4	2		14			34	22	0	0	*		
Laurel Springs	Hardy Ownbey, Asheville		9	5	8	10	7	7	2	14			62	55	0	0	*		
Liberty	Walter Parks, Hendersonville			10	10	15	9			15			59	44	52	42	*		
Locust Grove	Paul Clingenpeel, Hendersonville			20		14	14	12		22			92	65	35	35	*		
Macedonia	(No Report)																		
Middle Fork	B. E. Huntley, Gerton		8	2	3	5	3	3		25			48	28	34	34	*		
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe			12	7	15		13		30			77	52	72	68	*		
Mount Gilead	J. P. McCrary, Horse Shoe			16	16	15	15	20		50		2	134	70	93	87	*		
Mount Moriah	Troy Hill, Edneyville	4	10	12	18	21	28	36	16	72		5	227	123	98	78	**	2	
Mount Olivet	Drayton O. Steen, Zirconia			18		15	20			35			93	80			*		
Mountain Home	Clyde Stepp, Edneyville			30	16	14	25	20	10	78		4	197	128	60	44	*		
Mountain Page	Fred Bell, Saluda			14	22	17	20	23		60			154	126	75	65	*		
Mountain Valley	Robert F. Maybin, Zirconia			12	7	9	24		16	17		2	37	60			*		
Mountain View	Ben. H. Jones, Hendersonville			18		9	14			15			56	50	48	40	*		
Mud Creek	Edward Thomas, Hendersonville	16	26	17	36	51	41	106		113	18	13	440	252	135	125	*	1	
Naples	Carl Allen, Mountain Home		22	15	14	29	20	20					188	118	98	89	*		
Oak Forest	Marvin Keener, Fletcher			20	15	30	18	12	9	52			156	87	81	74	*		
Oak Grove	Jasper P. Halford, E. Flat Rock			18	10	5	10			16		4	53	45			*		
Pacolet	Buddy Covil, Lynn		10	10	15	15	10	8		45		2	115	98	84	77	*		
Pleasant Grove	W. H. Gray, Hendersonville			7		11		15	26	12		3	84	55	38	36	*		
Pleasant Hill	Kenneth Summy, Hendersonville			14		6	11	16		43		5	150	95	60	55	*		
Refuge	W. J. Ballard, Flat Rock		6	29	36	61	48	35		123		4	342	214	103	78	*		
Saluda	Nolan D. Pace, Saluda, N. C.	14	13	15	19	22	8	9		68	24		192	109	120		**		
Shaw's Creek	A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville		25	17	31	32	37	20	20	110		3	295	169	71	64	**	2	
Tryon, First	R. B. Scruggs, Tryon	7	34	23	31	60	39	20		142	44	4	404	217	154	113	**	3	
Tryon, Second	J. L. Underwood, Tryon			11	16	27	11	16	22	30			133	85	64	55	*		
Tuxedo	Roy Boone, Tuxedo			27	30	40	18	39	57	93		3	301	229	104	94	*		
Upward	Ben. M. Walden, Flat Rock			10		18	6	15	20	20			93	80	101	72	*		
Valley Hill	M. J. Banning, Mountain Home			34	21	32	64	31	41	84	24	8	331	205	110	128	*		
Warrior Mountain	Gene Anderson, Saluda				4			7		10			21	17			*		
Zion Hill	J. F. Lindsay, Hendersonville	2	2	10	11	10	21	10		14		7	87	65	36	30	*		
Zirconia	G. W. Dryman, Zirconia			9		10		8	10	19		7	63			8	*		

TABLE C — TRAINING UNION

ASSOCIATIONAL DIRECTOR
Mrs. J. M Huggins
Rt. 1, Hendersonville

TRAINING UNION DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES

CHURCHES		Nursery	Beginners	Primaries	Juniors	Intermediates	Young People	Adults	General Officers Enrolled	Grand Total Enrolled	Average Attendance
Balfour	Miss Edna Corn, Balfour	7	0	0	13	12	16	25	4	67	45
Barker Heights	Miss Ruby Moss, Hendersonville		11	0	16		15	13		55	44
Barnwell											
Bat Cave	Louie Meyer, Gerton	0	1	0	5	6	0	10	0	22	18
Bear Wallow											
Berea	(No Report)										
Beulah	C. G. Thorton, Sr., Hendersonville	0	0	0	15	0	25	20	0	60	0
Broad River											
Calvary	F. C. Osborne, Hendersonville	0	0	0	7	6	10	6	4	33	20
Cedar Springs	(No Report)										
Crab Creek											
Cross Roads											
Dana	Hesley Pace, Hendersonville	0	7	6	8	0	9	28	3	61	35
Double Springs											
E. Flat Rock, First	Jack Jones, Hendersonville	0	10	7	18	15	12	40	4	106	70
Ebenezer											
Etowah	Ansel Jones, Etowah	0	7	12	12	11	18	18	7	85	52
Fletcher	W. L. Pearson, Arden	0	0	5	6	23	6	18	2	60	42
Fork Creek	Mack Rhodes, Saluda	0	0	13	8	8	8	14	0	51	45
French Broad											

Friendship No. 1	(No Report)										
Friendship No. 2											
Fruitland	Fred Pressley, Hendersonville	0	7	0	7	24		22		60	40
Green River											
Hendersonville, First	Zella Woody, Hendersonville	21	18	37	73	54	38	115	5	361	173
Hendersonville, West	Arthur Freeman, Hendersonville	0	0	15	10	16	8	21	4	72	45
Holly Springs											
Hoopers Creek											
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Fred Cairnes, Horse Shoe	0	0	0	8	9	5	13	0	35	26
Jones Gap											
Laurel Springs											
Liberty	R. E. Shehan, Hendersonville	0	0	10	5	9	0	7	1	32	31
Locust Grove	Carl Clingenpeel, Hendersonville	0	0	0	12	0	0	11	0	23	21
Macedonia	(No Report)										
Middle Fork											
Mills River	Miss Ruby Holden, Horse Shoe	0	0	0	11	0	10	5	0	26	20
Mount Gilead	Albert Bryson, Arden	0	8			12	12	35	2	69	38
Mount Moriah	Coy Duncan, Edneyville			20	12	14	25	14	4	89	47
Mount Olivet											
Mountain Home	Donald Cole, Edneyville	6	7	7	10	10	12	18	5	75	45
Mountain Page											
Mountain Valley											
Mountain View											
Mud Creek		15	5	11	23	23	13	31	3	124	96
Naples	Paul McKinney, Mountain Home		6			18		12	6	42	36
Oak Forest											
Oak Grove											
Pacolet											
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Ralph Pace, Hendersonville				6	15		12	6	39	
Pleasant Hill											
Refuge	Ernest Hyder, Hendersonville		3		23	14	17	20	4	81	59
Saluda	Jack Ward, Saluda	1	2	5	10	5	7	29	2	61	50
Shaw's Creek	Finley Pace, Hendersonville			4	11	9	12	16	9	61	60
Tryon, First	Harold Taylor, Tryon	5	9	11	21	13	10	32	1	112	68
Tryon, Second	J. E. Brock, Tryon						12	18		30	20
Tuxedo	James A. Henderson, Tuxedo			8	18	15	16	14	3	79	62
Upward	Clara Jackson, Flat Rock		10		18	6	15	20		98	83
Valley Hill	Mrs. Thomas L. Magee, Hendersonville			8	9	28	17	15	4	81	51
Warrior Mountain											
Zion Hill											
Zirconia											

TABLE D — WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL PRESIDENT Mrs. M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock, N. C. PRESIDENTS OF W.M.S. AND ADDRESSES	W.M.S. Units	Y.W.A. Units	G.A. Units	Sunbeam Units	Total Units	W.M.S. Enrolled	Y.W.A. Enrolled	G.A. Enrolled	Sunbeam Enrolled	Total Enrolled	Total Tithers All Organizations
Balfour	Mrs. George Seigler, Balfour	2	1	1	1	5	28	12	12	24	76	45
Barker Heights	Mrs. Flave Anders, Hendersonville	1				1	10				10	
Barnwell												
Bat Cave	Mrs. William Garvin, Bat Cave	1		1		2	8		6		14	4
Bear Wallow	Mrs. Mary F. Dickson, Hendersonville	1				1	20				20	
Berea	(No Report)											
Beulah												
Broad River												
Calvary	Mrs. Jess Brooks, Hendersonville	1				1	22				22	22
Cedar Springs	(No Report)											
Crab Creek												
Cross Roads												
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Flat Rock	1		1	1	3	11		4	18	33	
Double Springs												
E. Flat Rock, First	Mrs. Nora Nanney, East Flat Rock	1	1	1	2	5	38	6	16	28	88	60
Ebenezer												
Etowah	Mrs. C. C. Cantrell, Hendersonville	1	1	1	1	4	41	18	13	14	86	15
Fletcher	Mrs. Ruth Guinn, Fletcher	1				1	18				18	
Fork Creek												
French Broad	Mrs. B. G. Henry, Hendersonville	1				1	15				15	

Friendship No. 1												
Friendship No. 2												
Fruitland	Mrs. J. B. Rymer, Hendersonville	1	2		1	4	25	13		10	48	25
Green River	Mrs. Fred Beddingfield, Zirconia	1				1	10				10	
Hendersonville, First	Mrs. W. A. Garren, Hendersonville	11	2	1	2	16	190	17	6	41	254	130
Hendersonville, West	Mrs. J. V. Queen, Hendersonville	1		1	1	3	20		15	20	55	
Holly Springs												
Hoopers Creek												
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Bruse Hollingworth, Horse Shoe	1				1	28				28	18
Jones Gap												
Laurel Springs												
Liberty	Mrs. R. E. Shehan, Hendersonville	1				1	17				17	4
Locust Grove	Dorothy Barnwell, Hendersonville	1				1	12				12	4
Macedonia	(No Report)											
Middle Fork												
Mills River	Mrs. Velma Rymer, Hendersonville	1		1		2	18		21		39	27
Mount Gilead	Mrs. Raid Miller, Horse Shoe	1				1	7				7	
Mount Moriah												
Mount Olivet												
Mountain Home												
Mountain Page												
Mountain Valley	Mrs. Kate Maybin, Hendersonville	1		1	1	3	17		9	12	38	8
Mountain View												
Mud Creek		2		1	1	4	23		18	30	71	25
Naples	Mrs. Naomi Smith, Mountain Home	1		2	2	5	17		21	15	53	
Oak Forest	Mrs. Katherine Ruth, Fletcher	1				1	27				27	10
Oak Grove												
Pacolet												
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lathe Williams, Hendersonville	1				1	18				18	
Pleasant Hill												
Refuge	Mrs. Garland Brown, Hendersonville	2	1	2	1	6	42	20	25	35	122	
Saluda	Mrs. Dan W. Pace, Saluda	2		1	1	4	25		14	12	51	22
Shaw's Creek	Mrs. G. H. Orr, Hendersonville	2	1	1	1	5	24	6	17	24	71	27
Tryon, First	Mrs. E. L. Bishop, Tryon	3	1	2	1	7	70	9	27	30	136	63
Tryon, Second	Mrs. E. D. Smith, Tryon	1				1	7				7	
Tuxedo	Mrs. O. A. Caldwell, Tuxedo	1				1	23				23	18
Upward												
Valley Hill	Mrs. Fred Mintz, Hendersonville	2		1	1	4	38		15	21	74	20
Warrior Mountain												
Zion Hill												
Zirconia												

TABLE E — BROTHERHOOD WORK

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD PRESIDENT Carroll Clark Box 1051, Hendersonville PRESIDENTS OF MEN'S BROTHERHOODS AND ADDRESSES	Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	Young Men's Brotherhood Enrolment	No. Junior R. A. Chapters	Junior R. A. Enrolment	No. Intermediate R. A. Chapters	Intermediate R A. Enrolment	Total Brotherhood Enrolment
Balfour						1	9	9
Barker Heights				1	18			18
Barnwell								
Bat Cave								
Bear Wallow								
Berea	(No Report)							
Beulah								
Broad River								
Calvary								
Cedar Springs	(No Report)							
Crab Creek								
Cross Roads								
Dana		12						12
Double Springs								
E. Flat Rock, First		38		1	15			53
Ebenezer								
Etowah	Henry Heatherly, Etowah	10		1	15	1	5	30
Fletcher								
Fork Creek								
French Broad								

Friendship No. 1	(No Report)							
Friendship No. 2								
Fruitland	J. B. Jackson, Hendersonville	14				1	17	31
Green River								
Hendersonville, First	Feltz Collins, Hendersonville	60	30	1	20	1	20	130
Hendersonville, West								
Holly Springs								
Hoopers Creek								
Horse Shoe								
Jones Gap								
Laurel Springs								
Liberty								
Locust Grove								
Macedonia	(No Report)							
Middle Fork								
Mills River				1	7	1	9	16
Mount Gilead								
Mount Moriah								
Mount Olivet								
Mountain Home								
Mountain Page								
Mountain Valley						1	9	9
Mountain View								
Mud Creek								
Naples				1	14	1	17	31
Oak Forest								
Oak Grove								
Pacolet								
Pleasant Grove								
Pleasant Hill								
Refuge	Willie B. Marshall, Hendersonville	24		1	25			49
Saluda								
Shaw's Creek	G. H. Orr, Hendersonville	30	6	1	8	1	12	56
Tryon, First	Marion Brock, Tryon	35						35
Tryon, Second								
Tuxedo								
Upward								
Valley Hill	E. S. Hamilton, Hendersonville	40						40
Warrior Mountain								
Zion Hill								
Zirconia								

TABLE F — CHURCH MUSIC — CHURCH LIBRARY — BUILDING — GOALS

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY Clay Barnes Hendersonville, N. C. CHOIR DIRECTORS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Number Choirs	Total Choir Enrolment	Total Music Budget (excluding salaries)	Use Church Musician Magazine	Name of Hymnal Used In Auditorium	Does your church have a library?	Value Pastor's Home	Value of Church Property Including Pastor's Home	Money Spent on New Construction, Property, And Equipment	Total Church Debt At End of Year	Cooperative Program, Per Cent of Total Budget	Association Mission Goal Coming Year
Balfour	Harvey Erwin, Balfour	1	30		*		*	10,000	25,000	22,966	62,000		
Barker Heights	John Redmons, Hendersonville	2	25		*	Broadman	*		5,000	10			
Barnwell													
Bat Cave	James Scott, Bat Cave	1	12		*	Broadman	*		33,000	12,893	5,375	8	60
Bear Wallow	F. J. Wall, Gerton					Broadman	*		12,000	614			40
Berea	(No Report)												
Beulah	Mrs. Annie Cantrell, Hendersonville												
Broad River	Boyd Wright, Black Mountain												
Calvary							*	7,000	19,000	75			
Cedar Springs	(No Report)												
Crab Creek	Lawrence Barnwell, Hendersonville	1	20		*	Broadman	*		12,500	1,114	415		
Cross Roads	N. A. Maybin, Zirconia					Broadman			5,000				
Dana	Mrs. L. V. Lyda, Flat Rock	1				Broadman		10,000	35,000				60
Double Springs													
E. Flat Rock, First	D. B. Wilkie, Hendersonville	3	50		**	Broadman	**		150,000				
Ebenezer	Walter Pace, Saluda					Broadman			45,000	200			
Etowah	Jimmie Cantrell, Hendersonville	1				American	**		15,000				
Fletcher	Clarence Bishop, Fairview							6,000	75,000	36,000	20,000		
Fork Creek	Mrs. Frank B. Nash, Saluda					Broadman			2,000	113			
French Broad		1	15			Broadman				20,000			

Friendship No. 1	(No Report)												
Friendship No. 2													
Fruitland	J. M. Huggins, Hendersonville	1	16			Broadman	**						
Green River	Mrs. Edna McGinnis, Zirconia												
Hendersonville, First	J. Boyd Sutton, Hendersonville	4	60	500	**	Baptist Hymnal	**	15,000	550,000				
Hendersonville, West	Allen Cantrell, Hendersonville								15,111	1,018			
Holly Springs										2,000	300		
Hoopers Creek	D. J. Wilkie, Fletcher												
Horse Shoe	Levoyd Norton, Hendersonville					Broadman			2,500	479		10	
Jones Gap	Virgil T. Jones, Hendersonville												
Laurel Springs										703			
Liberty	Rev. I. A. Rhinehart, Hendersonville					Broadman							
Locust Grove	Wayne Brevard, Hendersonville					Broadman			4,000	1,315		10	
Macedonia	(No Report)												
Middle Fork									5,000	2,000	900		
Mills River	Mrs. Clifford Sitton, Horse Shoe	1				Broadman	**		10,000	417			
Mount Gilead	Mrs. Roy Carland, Hendersonville					Broadman		6,000	26,000	175	976		
Mount Moriah	Mrs. Arthur Turner, Edneyville	2	35			Broadman		9,000	29,000	974	5,525		
Mount Olivet	Chas. O. Tanterslay, Zirconia												
Mountain Home	Roland Jones, Edneyville								10,000				
Mountain Page	Levi Pace, Saluda								10,650	671			
Mountain Valley	Fate Maybin, Zirconia								8,000	1,000			
Mountain View									38,000				
Mud Creek	A. L. Summers, Hendersonville	3	55	50	**	Broadman	**	35,000	102,000	6,998		15	
Naples	Elmo Orr, Mountain Home	1	19			Broadman			6,000				30
Oak Forest	Mrs. Katherine Ruth, Fletcher								25,000	1,457	800		
Oak Grove	Vinson Cable, East Flat Rock												
Pacolet	Martha Wilson, Lynn					Broadman			5,000			10	30
Pleasant Grove	D. R. Justus, Hendersonville												
Pleasant Hill	Daniel Johnson, Hendersonville								7,000				
Refuge	Charles E. Holland, Hendersonville					Broadman			50,000		4,050		156
Saluda	Mrs. L. J. Rainey, Saluda	1	20		**	Broadman	**	6,000	31,000	15,788			110
Shaw's Creek	A. J. Nanney, Hendersonville	2	40			Broadman	**			8,297			120
Tryon, First	Robert Simmons, Spartanburg, S. C.	2	50	150		Broadman		12,000	170,000	1,000	24,336	17	600
Tryon, Second	Hulon Jackson, Tryon												
Tuxedo	Carl Bell, Tuxedo	1						15,000	60,000				60
Upward	Ruth Jackson, Flat Rock								6,000				104
Valley Hill	Edgar Sexton, Hendersonville		100			Broadman		10,000	25,000	300			150
Warrior Mountain						Broadman				109			
Zion Hill	J. C. Pace, Sr., Zirconia												
Zirconia	Roy Burrell, East Flat Rock												

*—Indicates "No." **—Indicates "Yes."

TABLE G AND H — TOTAL GIFTS AND LOCAL EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER M. K. Sinclair East Flat Rock, N. C. TREASURER AND ADDRESSES	Total Gifts for All Purposes	Total Salaries (Do Not Include Pastor's Salary Here)	Maintenance, Insurance, Repair, etc.	New Buildings and Equipment	Literature, Song Books, Printing, etc.	Local Missions and Benevolences	Revival Expenses and Pastoral Supply	Payment on Church Debt	Other Local Expenses	Total Local Expenses (Excluding Pastor's Salary)	Pastor's Salary (Money Paid)	Grand Total Local Expense
Balfour	D. R. Lyda, Hendersonville	27305.00	600.00	307.00	22966.00	703.00	117.00	450.00		1074.00	30357.00	3640.00	33997.00
Barker Heights	Mrs. George Redmond, Hendersonville	6395.00	266.00	24.00		200.00			1500.00	263.00	4519.00	3120.00	7639.00
Barnwell	Clarence Barnwell, Hendersonville	384.00	20.00	25.00	10.00	39.00	45.00			49.00	187.00	100.00	287.00
Bat Cave	Mrs. DeWitt Freeman, Bat Cave	8942.00	240.00	105.00	12893.00	194.00		180.00	1655.00	316.00	15583.00	1615.00	17198.00
Bear Wallow	R. D. Owensby, Gerton	4114.00	168.00	239.00	614.00	88.00	278.00	234.00			1671.00	3285.00	4956.00
Berea	(No Report)												
Beulah	Fred B. Wilkie, Hendersonville	3350.00	144.00	186.00	732.00	218.00	163.00	25.00		154.00	1646.00	1131.00	2777.00
Broad River	Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mountain		120.00	52.00	267.00	29.00		314.00		857.00	1459.00	2001.00	3460.00
Calvary	James D. Tweed, Hendersonville	6757.00	416.00	322.00	75.00	541.00	203.00	110.00	396.00	425.00	2413.00	3590.00	6003.00
Cedar Springs	(No Report)												
Crab Creek	Lawrence Barnwell, Hendersonville	2374.00	300.00	269.00	914.00	238.00	144.00	90.00	160.00		2115.00	425.00	2540.00
Cross Roads	Newman Morgan, Zirconia	795.00				50.00					50.00	645.00	695.00
Dana	H. J. Pace, Hendersonville	5486.00		459.00		145.00	363.00	140.00		853.00	1961.00	3120.00	5802.00
Double Springs	O. E. Hudson, Zirconia	746.00		43.00		18.00				10.00	71.00	476.00	5046.00
E. Flat Rock, First	Hugh D. Morrison, Hendersonville	19695.00	1735.00	272.00		1072.00	1926.00	150.00		2688.00	7843.00	5200.00	13043.00
Ebenezer	Foy C. Marlowe, Hendersonville	11353.00	360.00	617.00		321.00	1182.00	587.00		500.00	3566.00	5498.00	9064.00
Etowah	Felix F. Weese, Etowah	7781.00	300.00	408.00		502.00	247.00	296.00		360.00	2113.00	1288.00	3401.00
Fletcher	W. A. Dunlap, Fletcher	11998.00	325.00	1112.00	4144.00	344.00	177.00	224.00	1547.00	151.00	8023.00	3388.00	11411.00
Fork Creek	Geneva Rhodes, Saluda	1209.00		224.00	113.00	83.00	51.00	60.00			531.00	398.00	929.00
French Broad	Mrs. J. D. Hooper, Horse Shoe	3330.00		157.00		96.00	94.00	15.00		216.00	579.00	1200.00	1779.00

Friendship No. 1	(No Report)												
Friendship No. 2													
Fruitland	Mrs. Clara Pace, Hendersonville	8123.00			2104.00	375.00	63.00	125.00		530.00	3247.00	3000.00	6247.00
Green River	C. Quentin Capps, Hendersonville	5294.00	120.00	386.00	1508.00	90.00	140.00	203.00	1144.00	156.00	3754.00	1127.00	4881.00
Hendersonville, First	W. M. Sitton, Jr., Hendersonville	119871.00	12616.00	5391.00		4852.00	530.00	1062.00		12920.00	37371.00	5880.00	43251.00
Hendersonville, West	Mrs. John Rollins, Hendersonville	6710.00		59.00	1033.00	267.00		330.00		1198.00	2887.00	3120.00	6007.00
Holly Springs	Mrs. Cecil Morrison. Hendersonville		120.00			26.00	83.00	120.00		212.00	563.00	204.00	765.00
Hoopers Creek	Norman Huntley, Asheville	5352.00	480.00	3299.00		280.00		260.00		530.00	4848.00	3380.00	8328.00
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Avery Kilpatrick, Hendersonville	4782.00		479.00		196.00		135.00		216.00	1025.00	2585.00	3610.00
Jones Gap	Mrs. Virgil T. Jones. Hendersonville					34.00				148.00	555.00	373.00	928.00
Laurel Springs	Floyd Whitaker, Asheville	3387.00	132.00		703.00	39.00	143.00	348.00	83.00	118.00	1567.00	814.00	2381.00
Liberty	Walter F. Parks, Hendersonville	1938.00	30.00		500.00	109.00	71.00	104.00		150.00	964.00	832.00	1796.00
Locust Grove	Ann Clingenpeel, Hendersonville	3066.00		77.00	1238.00	169.00	62.00	75.00		76.00	1697.00	705.00	2402.00
Macedonia	(No Report)												
Middle Fork	Mrs. Luther Hill, Gerton	2217.00			1100.00	25.00	100.00	25.00		100.00	1350.00	700.00	2050.00
Mills River	Clifford Sitton, Horse Shoe	4103.00			417.00	117.00		167.00		357.00	1077.00	2221.00	3297.00
Mount Gilead	Mrs Margie Ballard, Fletcher	5010.00	510.00	457.00		134.00	90.00		971.00	66.00	2227.00	2133.00	4359.00
Mount Moriah	Alvin Dalton, Hendersonville	6226.00	285.00	603.00	974.00	204.00	211.00	194.00	475.00	466.00	3412.00	3400.00	6812.00
Mount Olivet		660.00											
Mountain Home	W. A. Martin, Edneyville	2920.00				131.00		177.00		341.00	659.00	2217.00	2875.00
Mountain Page	Miss Maria Burns, Tryon		175.00								175.00	1487.00	1662.00
Mountain Valley	Grant Maybin, Zirconia	5550.00		1300.00		1500.00	200.00	100.00		150.00	3700.00	800.00	4550.00
Mountain View	Mrs. Ben H. Jones, Hendersonville					55.00	17.00	100.00	1022.00	150.00	1344.00	1166.00	2510.00
Mud Creek	Mrs. Lula Kent, Hendersonville	27070.00	2370.00	4629.00		781.00	1268.00	387.00	6998.00	2140.00	18523.00	4000.00	22573.00
Naples	Mrs. R. B. Smith, Naples	8356.00	325.00			340.00	365.00	30.00		553.00	1614.00	2500.00	3664.00
Oak Forest	Ray Ruth, Fletcher	4690.00	168.00		767.00	255.00	480.00	360.00	690.00	149.00	2570.00	1820.00	4690.00
Oak Grove	U. G. Hill, Tuxedo	80.00											
Pacolet	Edwin Wilson. Lynn	3837.00		114.00	506.00	117.00		80.00		1112.00	1929.00	1245.00	3174.00
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Earl Gray, Etowah			174.00	785.00	153.00	58.00	50.00		100.00	1320.00	808.00	2129.00
Pleasant Hill	James H. Curtis, Hendersonville					18.00	10.00	165.00		561.00	793.00	2713.00	3506.00
Refuge	Coy Davis, Flat Rock	8961.00	480.00	692.00		460.00	49.00	231.00	1602.00	285.00	3799.00	3120.00	6919.00
Saluda	W. G. Egerton, Saluda	13266.00		477.00	15788.00	350.00	243.00	275.00		146.00	17279.00	3300.00	2579.00
Shaw's Creek	J. L. Nanney, Hendersonville	16417.00	529.00	314.00	8294.00	764.00	312.00	392.00		1064.00	11673.00	4300.00	15973.00
Tryon, First	Miss Iris Jackson, Tryon	29677.00	4006.00	555.00		1107.00	407.00	587.00	8654.00	4790.00	20106.00	4870.00	24976.00
Tryon, Second	Theodore Burrell, Tryon		455.00	85.00	103.00	163.00	117.00	219.00		315.00	1457.00	2165.00	3622.00
Tuxedo	James Henderson, Tuxedo	13655.00	491.00	1211.00		589.00	767.00	568.00			3627.00	4297.00	7924.00
Upward	Mrs. Ruby Maxwell, Flat Rock	1110.00		200.00		60.00	75.00	100.00			435.00	600.00	1035.00
Valley Hill	E. C. Stepp, Hendersonville	11715.00	520.00	639.00	2604.00	456.00	63.00	152.00		2418.00	6850.00	3900.00	10750.00
Warrior Mountain	Mrs. Frits Hipp, Saluda	585.00		109.00		33.00		24.00		23.00	91.00	477.00	569.00
Zion Hill	J. B. Hill, Zirconia			324.00		63.00	174.00	194.00	300.00	54.00	915.00	794.00	1708.00
Zirconia	Mrs. Nora Anders, Zirconia	3438.00	120.00	200.00	850.00	164.00	50.00	84.00	336.00		1804.00	1430.00	3207.00

TABLE I AND J — MISSION EXPENDITURES

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONARY Clay R. Barnes Route 2, Hendersonville CLERKS OF CHURCHES AND ADDRESSES	Cooperative Program	Associational Missions	Designated State Missions	Designated Home Missions	Designated Foreign Missions	Christian Education, Schools	Orphans Home	Designated Hospitals	Other objects Relief And Annuity, etc.	Total Mission Expenditures	Grand Total Expenditures for All Purposes
Balfour	Emerson P. Searsy, Hendersonville	300.00	167.00	80.00	85.00	537.00	196.00	359.00	71.00	492.00	1794.00	35039.00
Barker Heights	Miss Alice Conner, Hendersonville					273.00		180.00	225.00		678.00	7639.00
Barnwell	Mrs. Floyd Barnwell, Hendersonville	4.00		5.00				20.00		8.00	98.00	384.00
Bat Cave	Mrs. Louie E. Meyer, Gerton	259.00	60.00	13.00	31.00	27.00	7.00	370.00	50.00	62.00	879.00	18077.00
Bear Wallow	Doris E. Oates, Gerton	140.00	35.00	7.00		49.00		177.00	37.00	63.00	508.00	5464.00
Berea	(No Report)											
Beulah	Fred B. Wilkie, Hendersonville	225.00						275.00	43.00	30.00	573.00	3266.00
Broad River	Gertrude Ledbetter, Black Mountain			7.00				11.00			18.00	3478.00
Calvary	Ethel MacMurray, Hendersonville				9.00	1119.00		32.00	43.00		1266.00	7269.00
Cedar Springs	(No Report)											
Crab Creek	Mrs. Reba Barnwell, Hendersonville		20.00			58.00		120.00	24.00	31.00	252.00	2792.00
Cross Roads	Wilburn M. Jones, Zirconia	55.00					40.00				95.00	790.00
Dana	Mrs. R. T. Pace, Hendersonville	16.00	70.00	74.00	124.00	43.00	10.00	80.00	70.00	354.00	841.00	5923.00
Double Springs				10.00				12.00	15.00	5.00	42.00	589.00
E. Flat Rock, First	Broadus Phillips, East Flat Rock	1110.00	295.00	110.00	322.00	910.00	310.00	1200.00	625.00	342.00	5224.00	18267.00
Ebenezer	James E. Stepp, Hendersonville				322.00	600.00	250.00	853.00	170.00	100.00	2295.00	11359.00
Etowah	Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Hendersonville		60.00	100.00	182.00	276.00	53.00	506.00	108.00	150.00	1435.00	4836.00
Fletcher	R. B. Smith, Naples	16.00	90.00			245.00		60.00	41.00		452.00	11863.00
Fork Creek	Geneva Rhodes, Saluda	10.00	31.00		19.00	3.00		15.00	15.00	3.00	96.00	1025.00
French Broad	Mrs. Arnold Liverett, Mountain Home	180.00	58.00	59.00	10.00	8.00		16.00	24.00	18.00	402.00	2181.00

Friendship No. 1	(No Report)											
Friendship No. 2	Lola Mathis, Penrose											
Fruitland	A. P. Pittillo, Hendersonville	589.00	100.00	80.00	118.00	405.00	124.00	160.00	238.00	60.00	1875.00	8123.00
Green River						390.00	56.00	20.00			466.00	5347.00
Hendersonville, First	C. F. Jervis, Hendersonville	17946.00	900.00	338.00	300.00	2046.00		948.00	247.00	1407.00	24144.00	67384.00
Hendersonville, West	W. A. Pressley, Sr., Hendersonville	126.00	15.00		20.00	72.00		54.00	155.00	190.00	632.00	6638.00
Holly Springs	Albert Rhodes, Etowah							30.00	50.00	130.00	210.00	975.00
Hoopers Creek	Howard Youngblood, Fletcher						164.00	166.00	153.00		481.00	8709.00
Horse Shoe	Mrs. Charles Sitton, Horse Shoe	329.00	28.00		5.00				11.00	10.00	382.00	3992.00
Jones Gap								25.00	15.00		40.00	968.00
Laurel Springs	Mrs. Charles L. Searcy, Lake Lure					62.00			51.00		113.00	2494.00
Liberty	Mrs. Flave Rhodes, Hendersonville	10.00		10.00		16.00		6.00	20.00		62.00	1757.00
Locust Grove	Wayne Brevard, Hendersonville	46.00	47.00	62.00	5.00	5.00		35.00	36.00		236.00	2665.00
Macedonia	(No Report)											
Middle Fork	Mrs. Ollie Huntley, Bat Cave					21.00		25.00			46.00	2096.00
Mills River	Joe Field, Horse Shoe	141.00	52.00	34.00	39.00	77.00	56.00	304.00	34.00	34.00	772.00	4070.00
Mount Gilead	Mrs. Elizabeth Koan, Arden					214.00	56.00	48.00	33.00		351.00	4710.00
Mount Moriah		77.00	60.00	48.00	58.00	162.00		79.00	47.00	15.00	547.00	7359.00
Mount Olivet												
Mountain Home	Roland Jones, Edneyville								18.00	27.00	45.00	2920.00
Mountain Page								14.00	16.00		30.00	1691.00
Mountain Valley	Mrs. Kate Maybin, Hendersonville					75.00		169.00			244.00	4694.00
Mountain View	Mrs. George Erwin, Hendersonville	30.00	12.00			12.00	30.00		5.00	24.00	112.00	2622.00
Mud Creek	Ralph E. Osteen, Hendersonville	742.00	270.00	143.00	249.00	163.00	350.00	1169.00	600.00	225.00	3909.00	26482.00
Naples	Mrs. Alma Corn, Mountain Home	350.00	60.00		20.00	25.00		260.00	58.00	88.00	861.00	4535.00
Oak Forest	James P. Baker, Fletcher		10.00								10.00	4700.00
Oak Grove	Mrs. Wilma Moore, Flat Rock							55.00			55.00	55.00
Pacolet	Rosa Henson, Lynn	28.00	43.00	20.00				51.00	31.00	145.00	317.00	3491.00
Pleasant Grove	Mrs. Lathe Williams, Hendersonville				10.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	37.00	10.00	72.00	2200.00
Pleasant Hill	Mrs. Cleat Hardin, Hendersonville	8.00					25.00	10.00	55.00		98.00	3586.00
Refuge	Mrs. Willie B. Marshall, Hendersonville	288.00	156.00	71.00	52.00	112.00	10.00	279.00	56.00	830.00	1855.00	8774.00
Saluda	Mrs. E. B. Hall, Saluda	300.00	160.00	123.00	138.00	182.00		671.00	58.00	338.00	1970.00	22549.00
Shaw's Creek	Troy A. Drake, Hendersonville	346.00	160.00	57.00	57.00	165.00	137.00	42.00	72.00	52.00	1088.00	17061.00
Tryon, First	Mrs. Fred McKaig, Tryon	2900.00	376.00	25.00	50.00	107.00		175.00	239.00	160.00	4032.00	28896.00
Tryon, Second	William Whitmire, Tryon		30.00	25.00				50.00	135.00	15.00	255.00	3087.00
Tuxedo	W. J. Lewis, Tuxedo	740.00	65.00	80.00	172.00	525.00		143.00	100.00	122.00	1215.00	9139.00
Upward	William Kitchene, Hendersonville	49.00						26.00	11.00		85.00	1110.00
Valley Hill	Mrs. Clyde Griffin, Hendersonville	27.00	150.00	118.00	123.00	119.00	67.00		100.00	263.00	965.00	11715.00
Warrior Mountain								5.00		12.00	17.00	585.00
Zion Hill		18.00									18.00	1726.00
Zirconia			60.00			60.00		36.00	50.00	25.00	231.00	3438.00